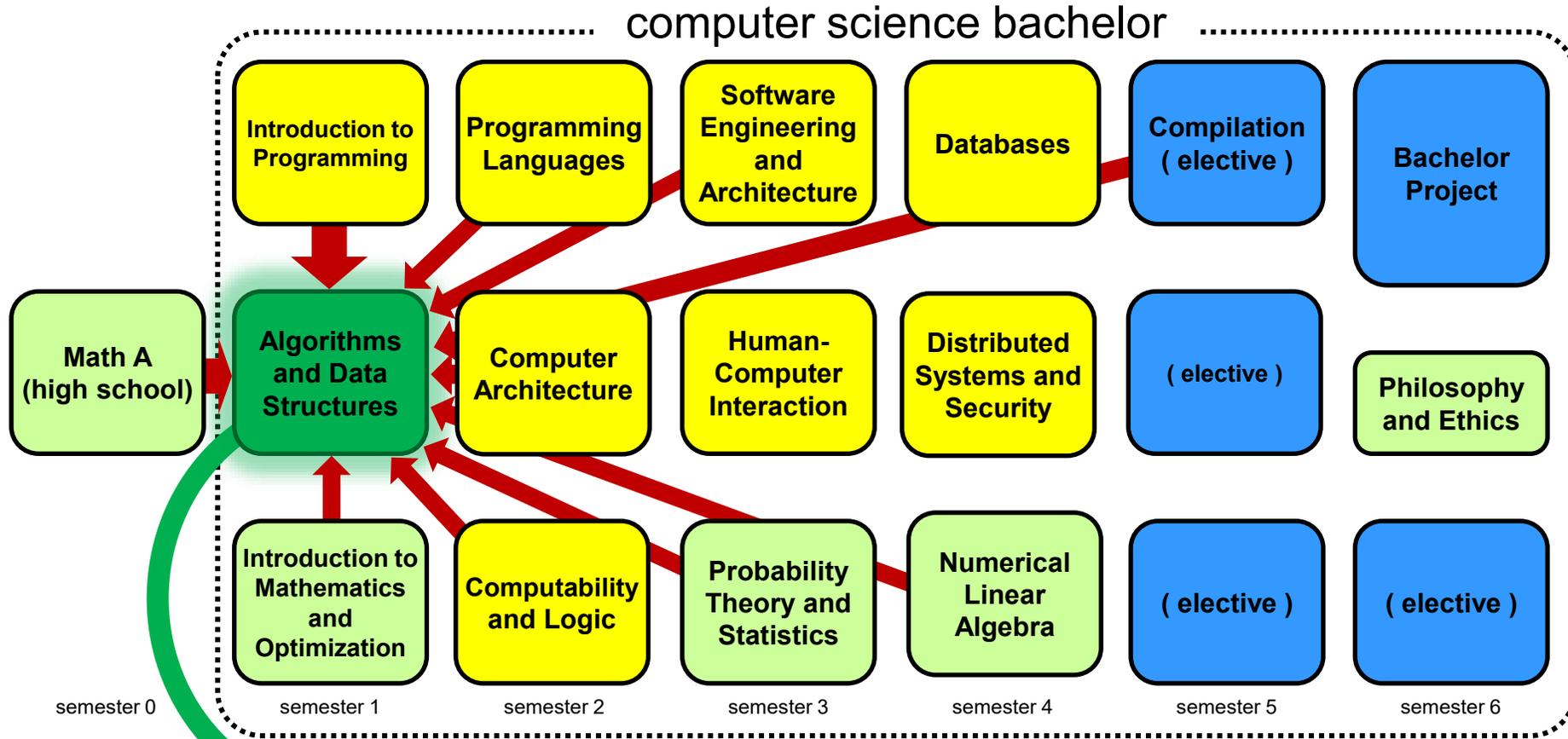


# Algorithms and Data Structures

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➔ scientific prerequisites  
(ideal world)

Exam : January  
Reexam : May



## Content

- **Introduction to algorithms and data structures**
  - Examples of applications
  - Advanced algorithms and data structures
  - Research results
- ambitious ↓

# Course elements

## Teaching forms

Lectures 2 + 2 hours/week

Exercise sessions (“TØ” = Teoretiske Øvelser) 3 hours/week

Study café 5 x 2 hours/week

Online discussion forums [**Brightspace**]

Lectures cover the material

Exercise sessions *work* with the material

Teaching assistant help with exercises and assignments (cs.au.dk/studiecafe)

## Assignments (groups, 1-3 students, must be approved)

9 theoretical assignments

4 weeks with programming exercises

Practice algorithmic formulations

Handed in on Brightspace

Deadline set by you and your TA

**Resubmission** (positive) = TA feedback and possibility to improve

Recommended groups with 2-3 students for ongoing discussion of the problems

## Exam

2 hours multiple choice, no aids, 7-scale grading

Previous exams and practice exercises on course webpage

## Language

English

Exercise sessions and study café, also Danish

<b>Work load</b>	hours x weeks
Lectures	4 x 14 = 56
Exercise sessions (TØ)	3 x 14 = 42
Study café	1 x 14 = 14
Assignments	3 x 14 = 42
Preparation lectures	2 x 14 = 28
Preparation TØ	2 x 14 = 28
Preparation exam	45
Exam	2
<b>Total hours</b>	<b>257</b>

**3 hours each week with a teaching assistant**

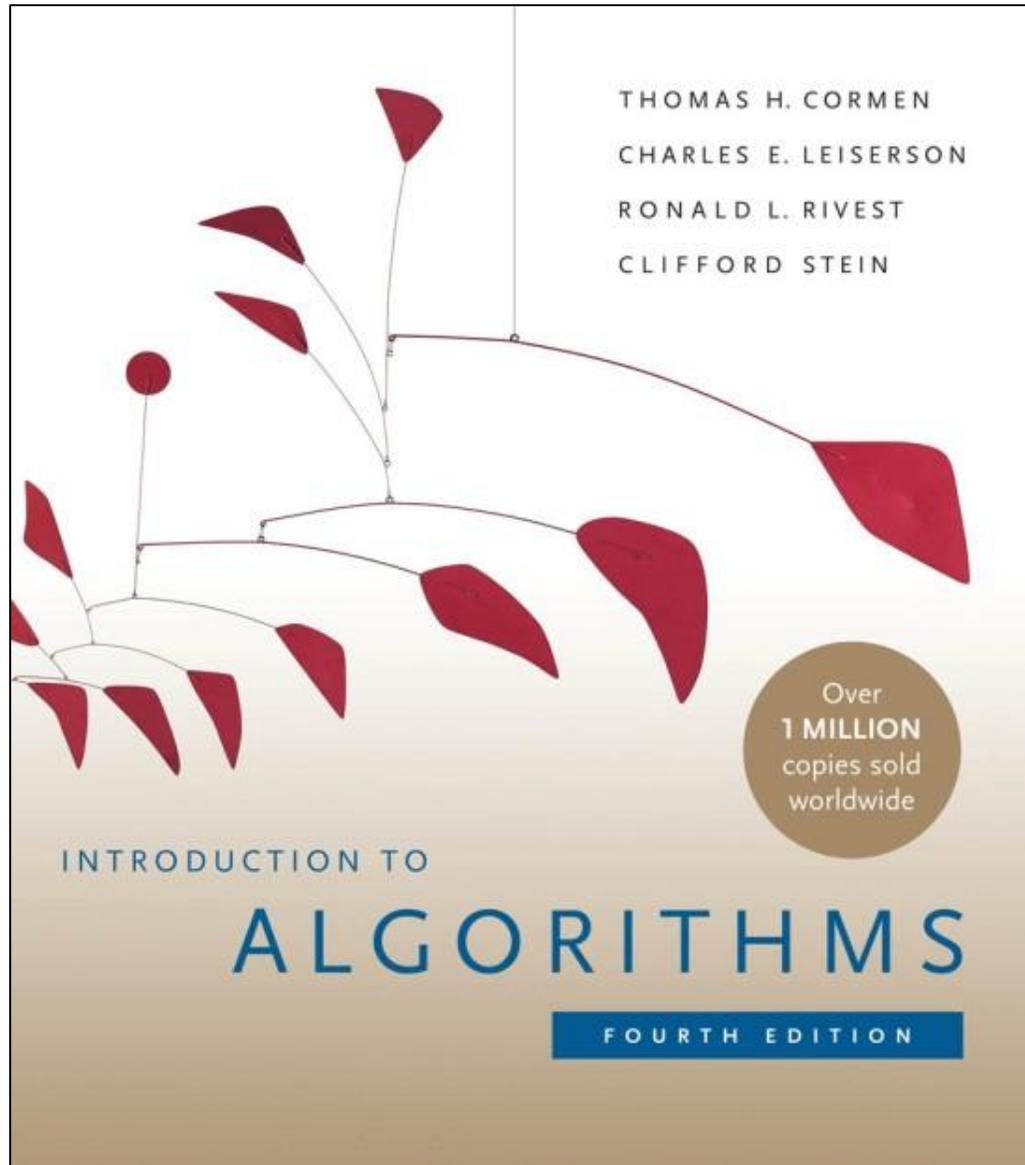
**A set of exercises for each TØ**

Exercises on “Course plan” associated with the lectures since your last TØ

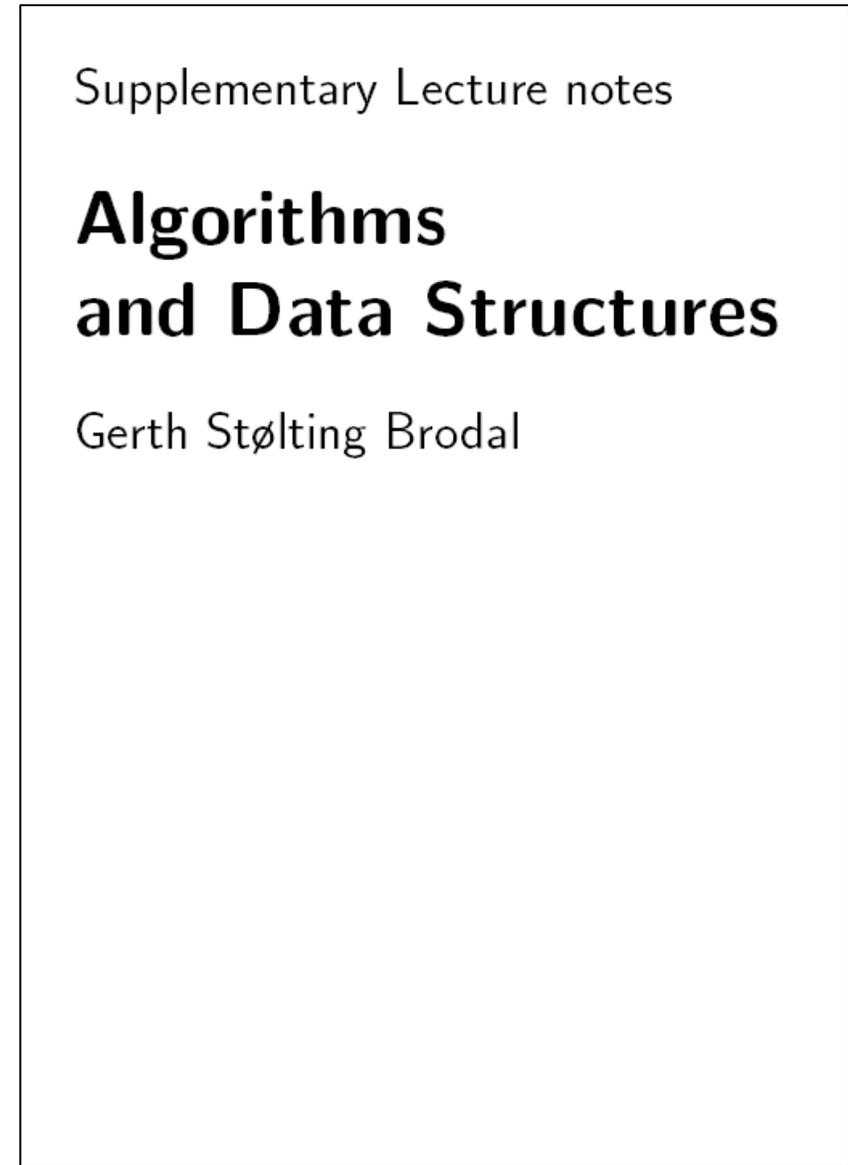
**Format**

1. Prepare before TØ with your study group and try to understand and solve all exercises  
Use the study café & discussion forum to get help
2. At TØ students present solutions to the exercises  
The TA helps fixing misunderstandings and emphasizing important points

*Make sure to have an ongoing dialog with your TA about the best usage of your TØ hours*



Primary textbook

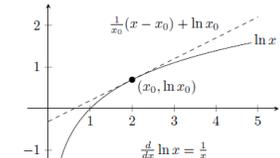
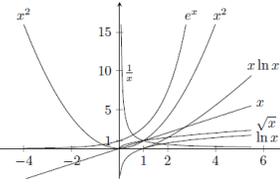


(updated as the course progresses)

If 0 is considered a natural number depends who you ask ! →

Mathematics Cheat Sheet

A "cheat sheet" with mathematical notation and formulas used in the course can be found in "Supplementary Lecture Notes"

<p><math>\mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\}</math> natural numbers  <math>\mathbb{R}</math> = real numbers  <math>\mathbb{R}^+ = \{x \in \mathbb{R} \mid x &gt; 0\}</math>  <i>Floor</i> <math>\lfloor x \rfloor</math>, <i>ceiling</i> <math>\lceil x \rceil</math>  <b>Associativity</b>  <math>(a \cdot b) \cdot c = a \cdot (b \cdot c)</math>, <math>(a + b) + c = a + (b + c)</math>  <b>Commutativity</b>  <math>a \cdot b = b \cdot a</math>, <math>a + b = b + a</math>  <b>Distributivity</b>  <math>a \cdot (b + c) = a \cdot b + a \cdot c</math>  <b>Powers</b>  <math>a^0 = 1</math>, <math>a^1 = a</math>, <math>a^{b+c} = a^b \cdot a^c</math>  <math>(a^b)^c = a^{b \cdot c}</math>, <math>a^{b^c} = a^{(b^c)}</math>, <math>a^{-b} = \frac{1}{a^b}</math>  <math>(a \cdot b)^c = a^c \cdot b^c</math>, <math>a^{b-c} = a^b / a^c</math>  <b>Roots</b>  <math>\sqrt[n]{a} = \sqrt[n]{a} = a^{1/n}</math>, <math>\sqrt[n]{a} = a^{1/n}</math>  <math>\sqrt[n]{a \cdot b} = \sqrt[n]{a} \cdot \sqrt[n]{b}</math>, <math>\sqrt[n]{a/b} = \sqrt[n]{a} / \sqrt[n]{b}</math>  <b>Fractions</b>  <math>\frac{a}{b} \cdot \frac{c}{d} = \frac{a \cdot c}{b \cdot d}</math>  <math>\frac{a/b}{c/d} = \frac{a \cdot d}{b \cdot c}</math>  <math>\frac{a}{b} + \frac{c}{d} = \frac{a \cdot d + b \cdot c}{b \cdot d}</math>  <b>Logarithms</b>  <math>\log_b a = c \Leftrightarrow b^c = a</math>, <math>b^{\log_b a} = a</math>  <i>Natural logarithm</i>  <math>\ln a = \log_e a</math>, <math>e = 2.71828 \dots</math>  <i>Binary logarithm</i> <math>\log_2 a = \lg a</math>  <math>\log_b 1 = 0</math>, <math>\log_b b = 1</math>  <math>\log_b (a \cdot c) = \log_b a + \log_b c</math>  <math>\log_b (a/c) = \log_b a - \log_b c</math>  <math>\log_b (a^c) = c \cdot \log_b a</math>  <math>\log_b a = \frac{\log_c a}{\log_c b}</math>, <math>\log_c a = (\log_b a) \cdot c</math>  <math>a^{\log_b c} = c^{\log_b a}</math>  <math>a^{\log_2 c} = 2^{\log_2 a \cdot \log_2 c} = c^{\log_2 a}</math></p>  <p><b>Matrices</b> <sup>(1,4)</sup>  <math>A = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} &amp; \dots &amp; a_{1n} \\ \vdots &amp; \ddots &amp; \vdots \\ a_{m1} &amp; \dots &amp; a_{mn} \end{pmatrix}</math> <math>m \times n</math> matrix  <i>Matrix addition</i> (<math>m \times n</math> og <math>m \times n</math>)  <math>C = A + B</math>, <math>c_{ij} = a_{ij} + b_{ij}</math>  <i>Matrix multiplication</i> (<math>m \times n</math> og <math>n \times p</math>)  <math>C = AB</math>, <math>c_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^n a_{ik} \cdot b_{kj}</math>  <i>Constant multiplication</i> (<math>m \times n</math>)  <math>C = cA</math>, <math>c_{ij} = c \cdot a_{ij}</math>  <math>A + B = B + A</math>  <math>c(dA) = (cd)A</math>  <math>c(A + B) = (cA) + (cB)</math>  <math>(AB)C = A(BC)</math>  <math>A(B + C) = (AB) + (AC)</math>  <math>(A + B)C = (AC) + (BC)</math></p>	<p><b>Sets</b>  <i>Set</i> <math>A = \{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n\}</math>  <i>Size</i> <math> A </math>  <i>Membership</i> <math>x \in A</math>, <i>non-member</i> <math>x \notin A</math>  <i>Empty set</i> <math>\emptyset</math>, <math> \emptyset  = 0</math>  <i>Subset</i> <math>A \subseteq B</math>, i.e. <math>x \in A \Rightarrow x \in B</math>  <i>Set intersection</i> <math>A \cap B</math>  <i>Set union</i> <math>A \cup B</math>  <i>Set difference</i> <math>A \setminus B</math> or <math>A - B</math></p>  <p><math>A \cup B = (A \setminus B) \cup (A \cap B) \cup (B \setminus A)</math>  <i>Commutativity</i>  <math>A \cap B = B \cap A</math>, <math>A \cup B = B \cup A</math>  <i>Associativity</i>  <math>A \cup (B \cup C) = (A \cup B) \cup C</math>  <math>A \cap (B \cap C) = (A \cap B) \cap C</math>  <i>Distributivity</i>  <math>A \cup (B \cap C) = (A \cup B) \cap (A \cup C)</math>  <math>A \cap (B \cup C) = (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C)</math>  <i>DeMorgan's laws</i>  <math>A \setminus (B \cap C) = (A \setminus B) \cup (A \setminus C)</math>  <math>A \setminus (B \cup C) = (A \setminus B) \cap (A \setminus C)</math>  <i>Idempotence</i> <math>A \cup A = A = A \cap A</math>  <i>Empty set</i> <math>A \cup \emptyset = A</math>, <math>A \cap \emptyset = \emptyset</math>  <i>Complement</i> <math>\bar{A}</math> wrt. <i>universe</i> <math>U</math>  <math>\bar{\bar{A}} = A</math>  <math>\overline{A \cup B} = \bar{A} \cap \bar{B}</math>, <math>\overline{A \cap B} = \bar{A} \cup \bar{B}</math>  <math>A</math> and <math>B</math> are <i>disjoint</i> <math>\Leftrightarrow A \cap B = \emptyset</math>  <i>Cross product / Cartesian product</i>  <math>A \times B = \{(a, b) \mid a \in A \wedge b \in B\}</math>  <b>Sums</b> <sup>(2)</sup>  <math>\sum_{i=1}^n a_i = a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n</math>  <math>\sum_{i=1}^n (a_i + b_i) = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i + \sum_{i=1}^n b_i</math>  <math>\sum_{i=1}^n (c \cdot a_i) = c \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n a_i</math>  <math>\sum_{i=0}^n 2^i = 1 + 2^1 + \dots + 2^n = 2^{n+1} - 1</math>  <math>\sum_{i=0}^n a^i = \frac{a^{n+1} - 1}{a - 1}</math> for <math>a \neq 1</math>  <math>\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} a^i = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=0}^n a^i = \frac{1}{1-a}</math>, <math> a  &lt; 1</math>  <math>\sum_{i=1}^n i = 1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + n = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}</math>  <math>\sum_{i=1}^n i^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}</math>  <math>\sum_{i=1}^n i \cdot a^i = \frac{a(1 - (n+1)a^n + na^{n+1})}{(1-a)^2}</math>  <math>\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} i \cdot a^i = \frac{a}{(1-a)^2}</math> for <math> a  &lt; 1</math>  <i>Polynomial</i> <math>P(x) = \sum_{i=0}^k c_i \cdot x^i</math>  <i>Telescoping sum</i>  <math>\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (a_{i+1} - a_i) = a_n - a_0</math>  <i>n-te harmonic number</i> <math>H_n = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i}</math>  <math>= \frac{1}{1} + \frac{1}{2} + \dots + \frac{1}{n}</math>  <math>\ln n + \frac{1}{n} \leq H_n \leq \ln n + 1</math>  <math>\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (H_n - \ln n) = \gamma = 0.577215 \dots</math>          = Euler-Mascheroni constant</p> <p><b>Products</b>  <math>\prod_{i=1}^n x_i = x_1 \cdot x_2 \cdot \dots \cdot x_n</math>  <i>Factorial</i> <math>n! = \prod_{i=1}^n i = 1 \cdot 2 \cdot \dots \cdot n</math>  <math>\ln(\prod_{i=1}^n x_i) = \sum_{i=1}^n \ln(x_i)</math>  <math>0 \leq \ln(n!) - (n \ln n - n + 1) \leq \ln n</math></p>	<p><b>Probability theory</b> <sup>(3)</sup>  <i>Mean</i> <math>\bar{x} = \frac{x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n}{n}</math>  <i>Binomial coefficient</i> <math>\binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{(n-k)! \cdot k!}</math>          (number of ways to select <math>k</math> elements among <math>n</math>, independent on the order)  <i>Linearity of expectation</i>  <math>E[\sum_{i=1}^k c_i \cdot X_i] = \sum_{i=1}^k c_i \cdot E[X_i]</math>  <i>Bernoulli distribution</i> <math>X \sim \text{Bern}(p)</math>  <math>\Pr[X = 1] = p</math>, <math>\Pr[X = 0] = 1 - p</math>  <i>Binomial distribution</i> <math>X \sim \text{Bin}(n, p)</math>          (sum of <math>n</math> Bernoulli trials)  <math>\Pr[X = k] = \binom{n}{k} \cdot p^k \cdot (1-p)^{n-k}</math>          Expected value <math>\mu = E[X] = p \cdot n</math>  <i>Geometric distribution</i> <math>X \sim \text{Geom}(p)</math>          (number of Bernoulli trials before 1)  <math>\Pr[X = k] = p \cdot (1-p)^{k-1}</math>  <math>E[X] = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k \cdot \Pr[X = k] = \frac{1}{p}</math>  <b>Logical expressions</b>  <i>Or / disjunction</i> <math>U \vee V</math>  <i>And / conjunction</i> <math>U \wedge V</math>  <i>Not / negation</i> <math>\neg U</math>  <i>Implication / conditional</i> <math>U \Rightarrow V</math>  <i>Equivalent / biconditional</i> <math>U \Leftrightarrow V</math>  <i>Exists</i> <math>\exists x : U(x)</math>  <i>For all</i> <math>\forall x : U(x)</math></p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; 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\text{for } n &gt; d \end{cases}</math>  <math>\Downarrow</math>  <math>T(n) = \begin{cases} \Theta(n^p) &amp; \text{for } a &lt; b^p \\ \Theta(n^p \cdot \log_b n) &amp; \text{for } a = b^p \\ \Theta(n^{\log_b a}) &amp; \text{for } a &gt; b^p \end{cases}</math></p> <p><b>Growth of functions</b></p> 	$\vee$	F	T	$\wedge$	F	T	$\neg$	F	T	F	F	F	F	F	T	T	T	F	T	T	F
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 Thomas H. Cormen *et al.*, Introduction to Algorithms, 4th Edition, appendix A-C, 2022  
 Steve Seiden, Theoretical computer science cheat sheet, ACM SIGACT News, 27(4), 1996  
 Covered in <sup>(1)</sup>this course, <sup>(2)</sup>introduction to mathematics course, <sup>(3)</sup>probability course, <sup>(4)</sup>linear algebra course

# Learning outcomes and competences (from course description)

At the end of the course, the participants will be able to

- Formulate and execute algorithms and data structures in the form of **pseudo code**.
- Construct, implement and analyze algorithms using **standard algorithm paradigms**.
- Identify and compare **data structures** and **graph algorithms** for solving algorithmic problems.
- **Construct, implement** and **evaluate** the performance of algorithms for simple algorithmic problems.
- Analyze and compare the **time** and **space usage** of algorithms and data structures.
- Identify valid **invariants** and prove the correctness of simple algorithms.

# Questions ?

See Brightspace and slides for info!

# Study

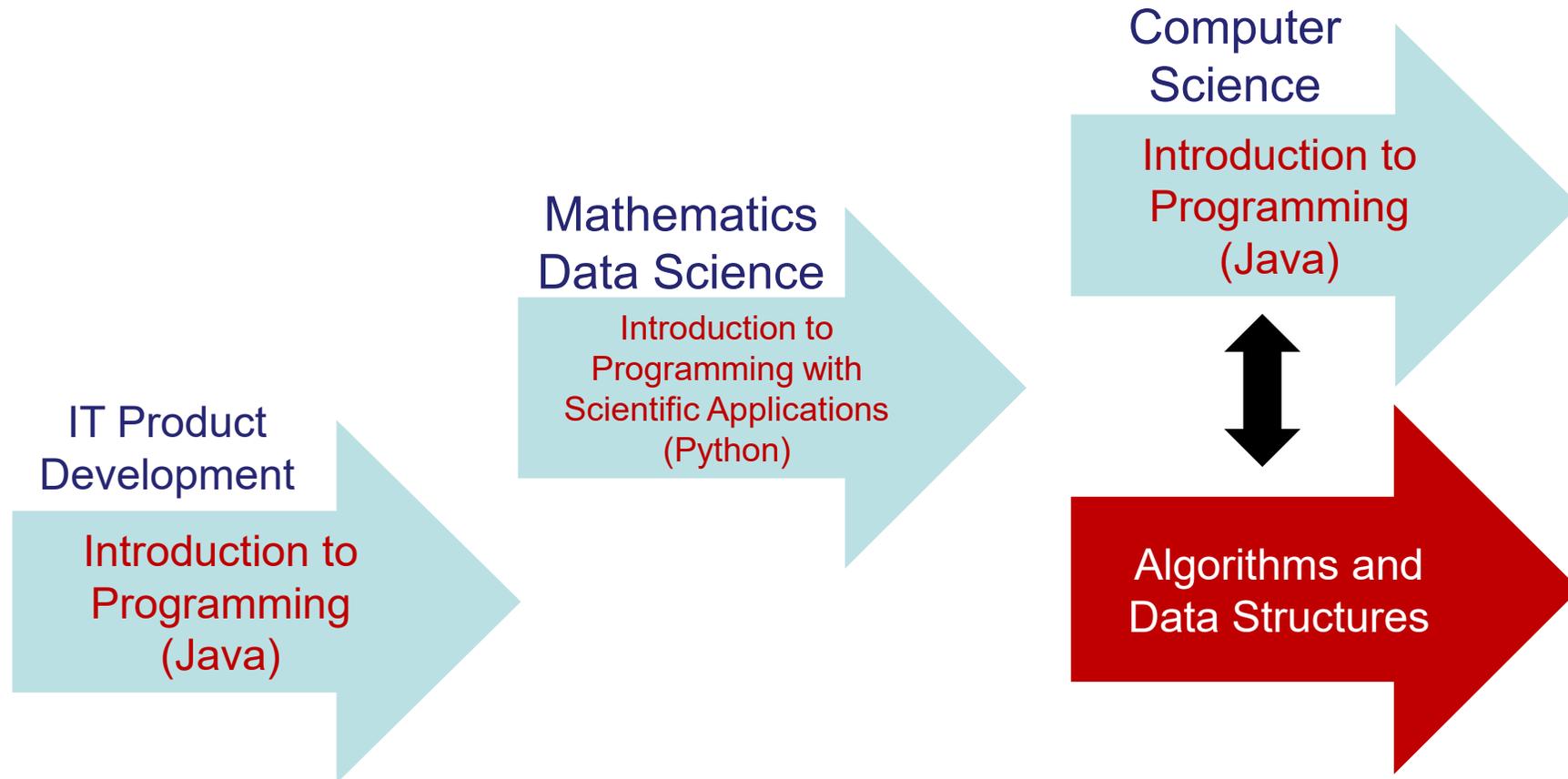
- a) Computer science (1<sup>st</sup> year)
- b) Data science (2<sup>nd</sup> year)
- c) IT product development (3<sup>rd</sup> year)
- d) Mathematics (usually 3<sup>rd</sup> year)
- e) Physics (usually 3<sup>rd</sup> year)
- f) other (usually supplement in programming)

# Programming experience

(for the programming language you know the best)

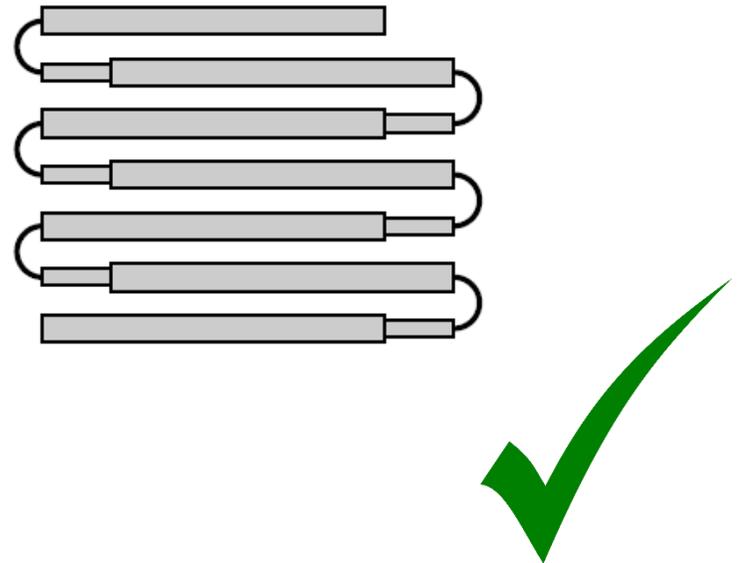
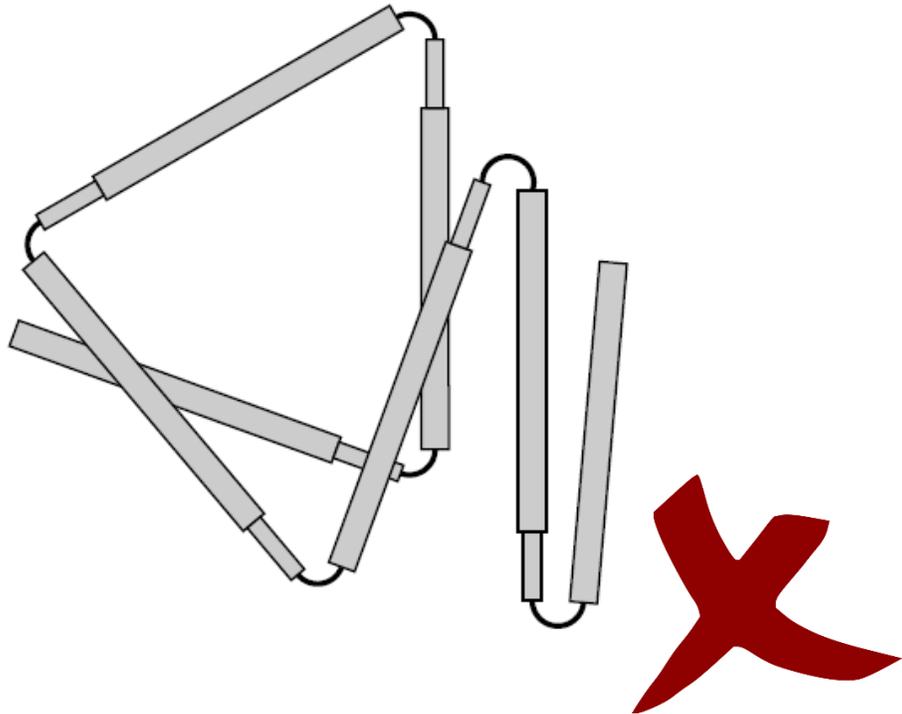
- a) None
- b) Basic knowledge
- c) Foundational knowledge
- d) Advanced
- e) Expert

- The course Algorithms and Data Structures is about the efficiency of computer programs
- Really requires you can program...



- Programming exercises will be basic Java

# Tent pole problem



# **Algorithms and Data Structures**

Puzzle, SelectionSort



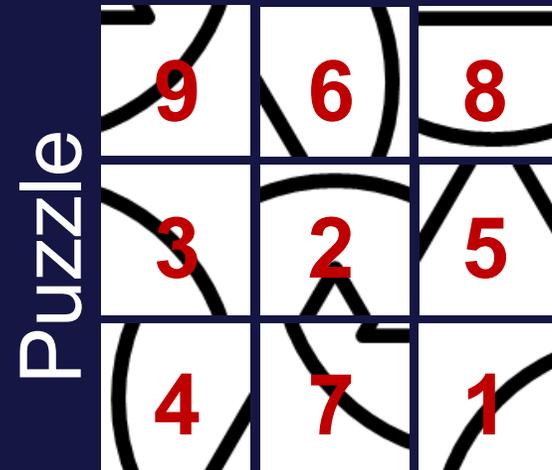
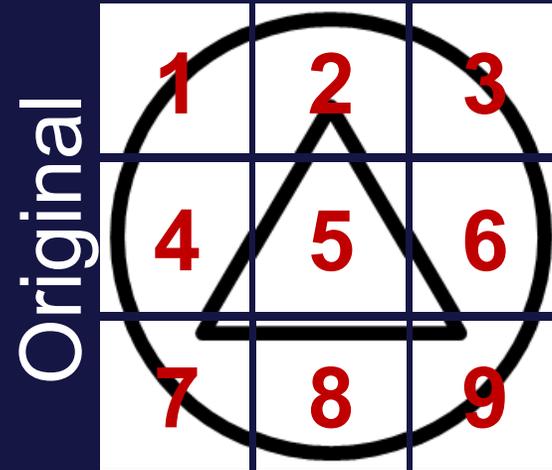
# ”Lokes Høj”

- 64 pieces
- Score = 500 – # of swaps
- High score 450, i.e., 50 swaps

**How do you achieve a low  
number of swaps  
– luck or cleverness ?**

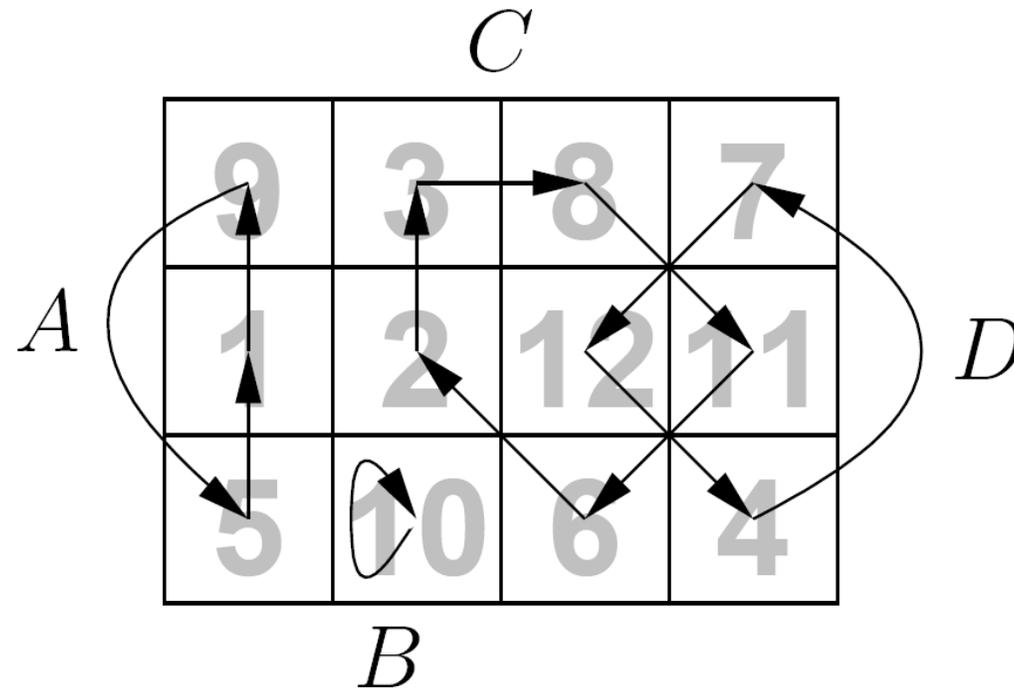
# Optimal number of swaps ?

- a) 5
-  b) 6
- c) 7
- d) 8
- e) 9
- f) Don't know



One solution: 1-9 2-6 5-6 8-3 4-8 8-7

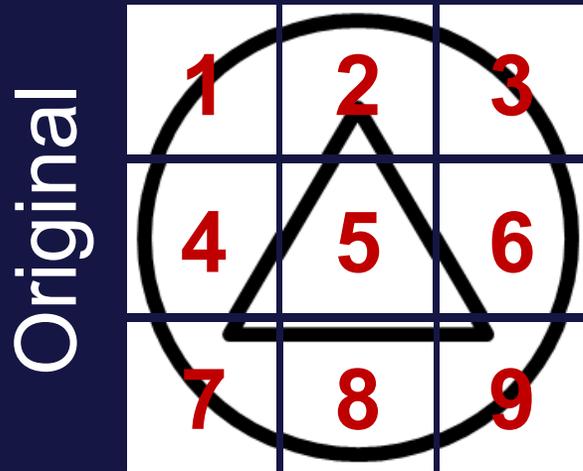
# Cycles (Permutations)



Each arrow points to the piece's correct position

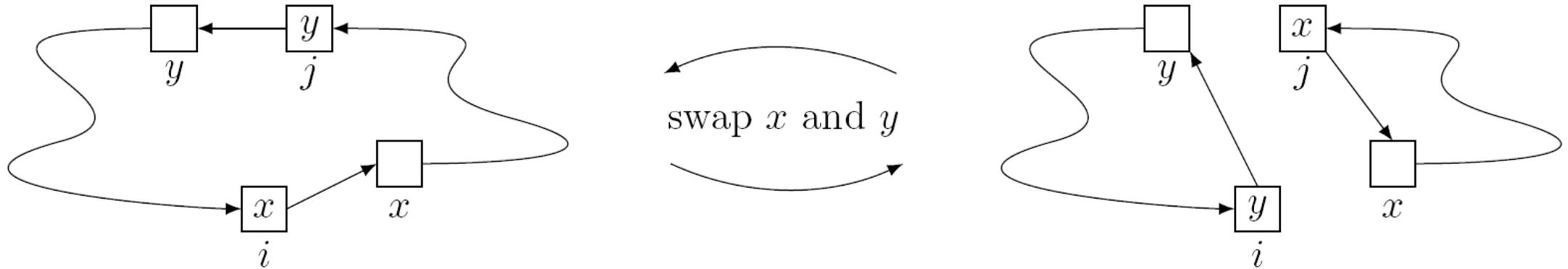
The arrows define a set of cycles (e.g. cycles A,B,C,D)

# Optimal number of swaps ?



One solution: 1-9 2-6 5-6 8-3 4-8 8-7

# Swaps and cycles



## Lemma

- Swapping two pieces in the **same cycle** increases the number of cycles by one.
- Swapping two pieces in two **distinct cycle** decreases the number of cycles by one.

### Lemma

When all  $n$  pieces are placed correctly there are exactly  $n$  cycles.

### Lemma

To solve a puzzle with  $n$  pieces and initially  $k$  cycles requires  $\geq n - k$  swaps.

We have proved a **lower bound** for  
**ALL** algorithms solving the problem

# A (greedy) algorithm

## Algorithm PUZZLE

- 1 **while** there exists a misplaced piece  $x$  **do**
- 2     Let  $y$  be the piece at  $x$ 's correct position
- 3     swap  $x$  and  $y$

### **Lemma**

The algorithm never swaps correctly placed pieces.

### **Lemma**

The algorithm performs  $\leq n - 1$  swaps

### **Lemma**

To solve a puzzle with  $n$  pieces and initially  $k$  cycles the algorithm performs exactly  $n - k$  swaps.

We have proved an **upper bound** for a specific algorithm

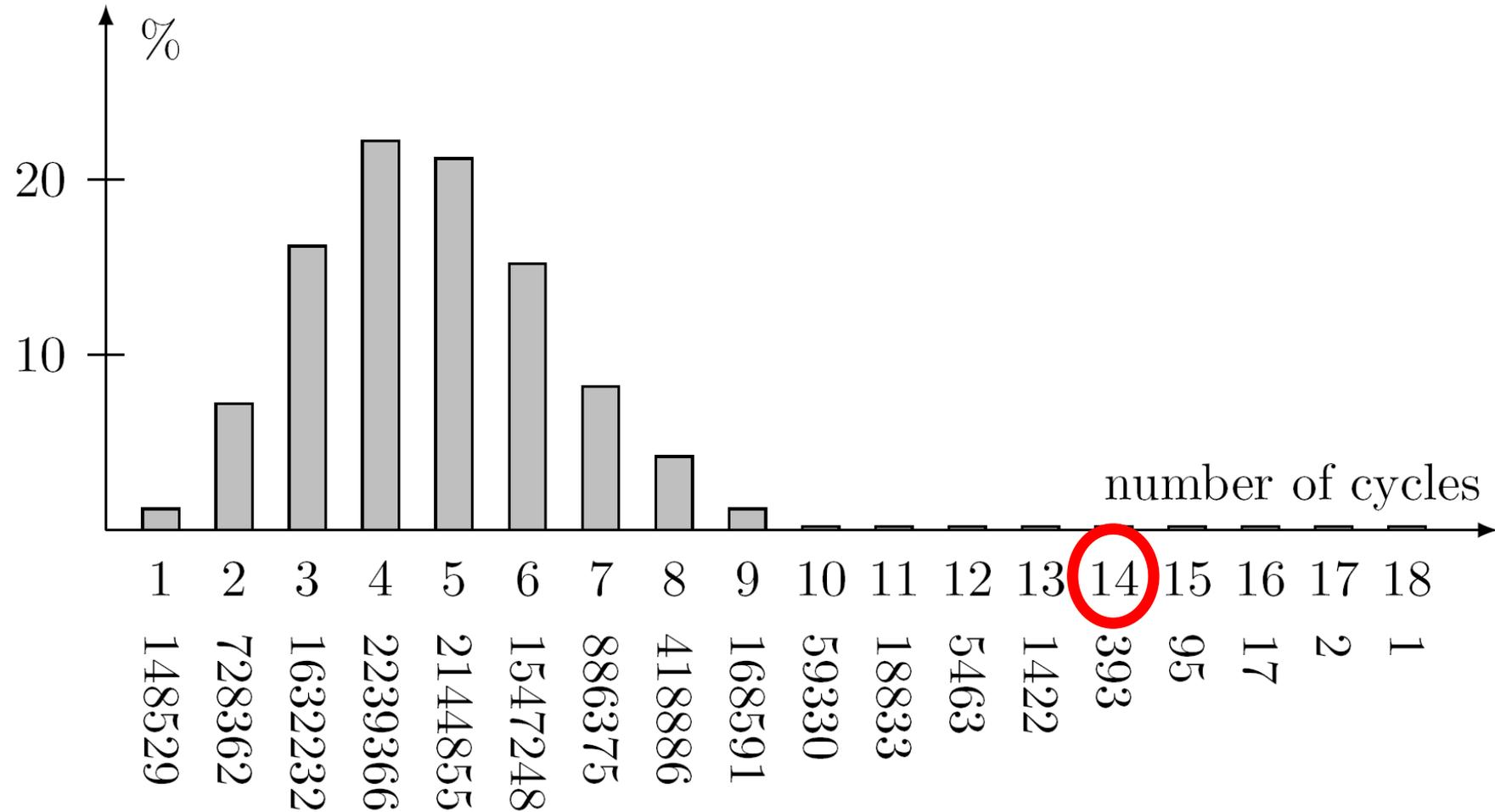
The algorithm is **optimal** since the number of swaps is best possible (the proved lower and upper bounds are identical)

# Theorem

To solve a puzzle with  $n$  pieces and initially  $k$  cycles requires exactly  $n - k$  swaps

# Distribution of number of cycles

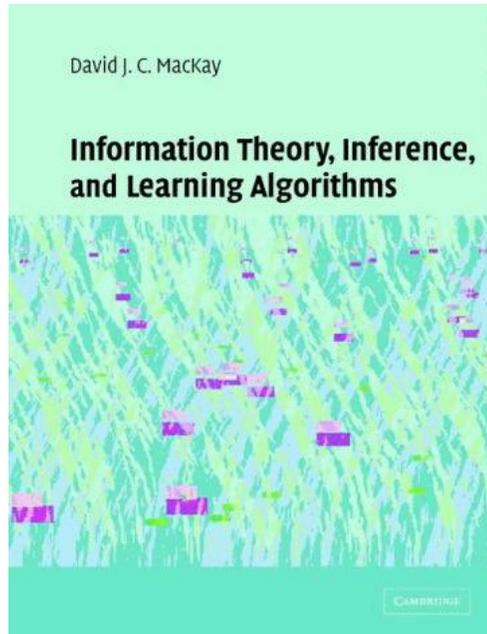
$n = 64$ , 10.000.000 permutations



# Algorithmic insights...

- **Mathematical insights** (cycles)
- **Resource usage** (number of swaps)
- **Lower bound** ( $\geq n - k$  swaps)
- **Greedy algorithm**
- **Analyzed algorithm** ( $\leq n - k$  swaps)
- **Optimal algorithm** (argued best possible)
- **Input dependent resource usage**  
(size and number of cycles in input)

# Random permutations...

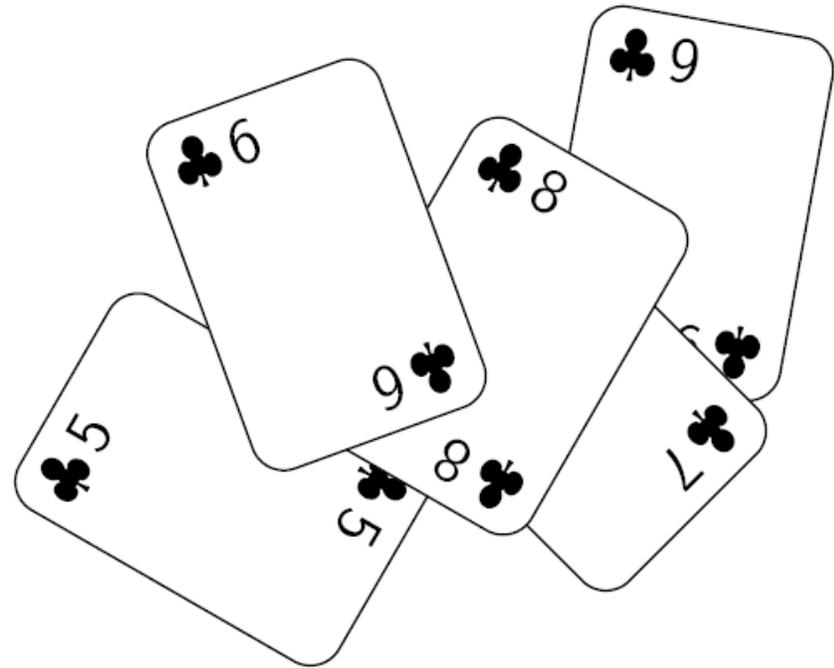


More information on random permutations can be found in David J.C. MacKay, appendix to *Information Theory, Inference, and Learning Algorithms*, on "Random Permutations", 4 pages.

[www.inference.phy.cam.ac.uk/mackay/itila/cycles.pdf](http://www.inference.phy.cam.ac.uk/mackay/itila/cycles.pdf)

# SelectionSort

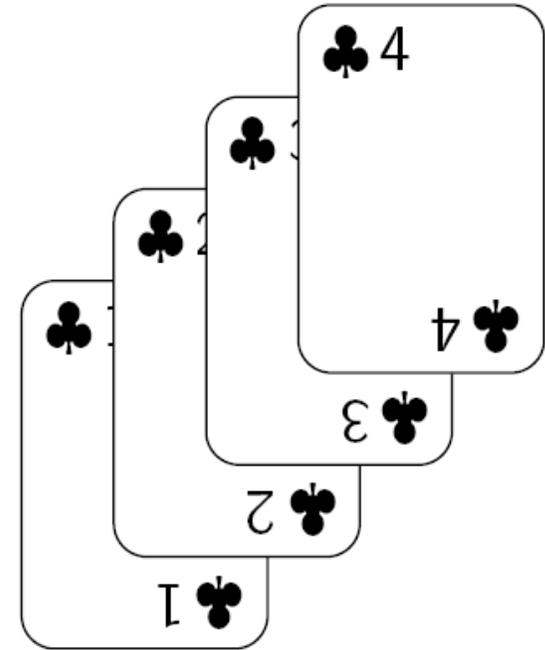
Move smallest card



Unsorted

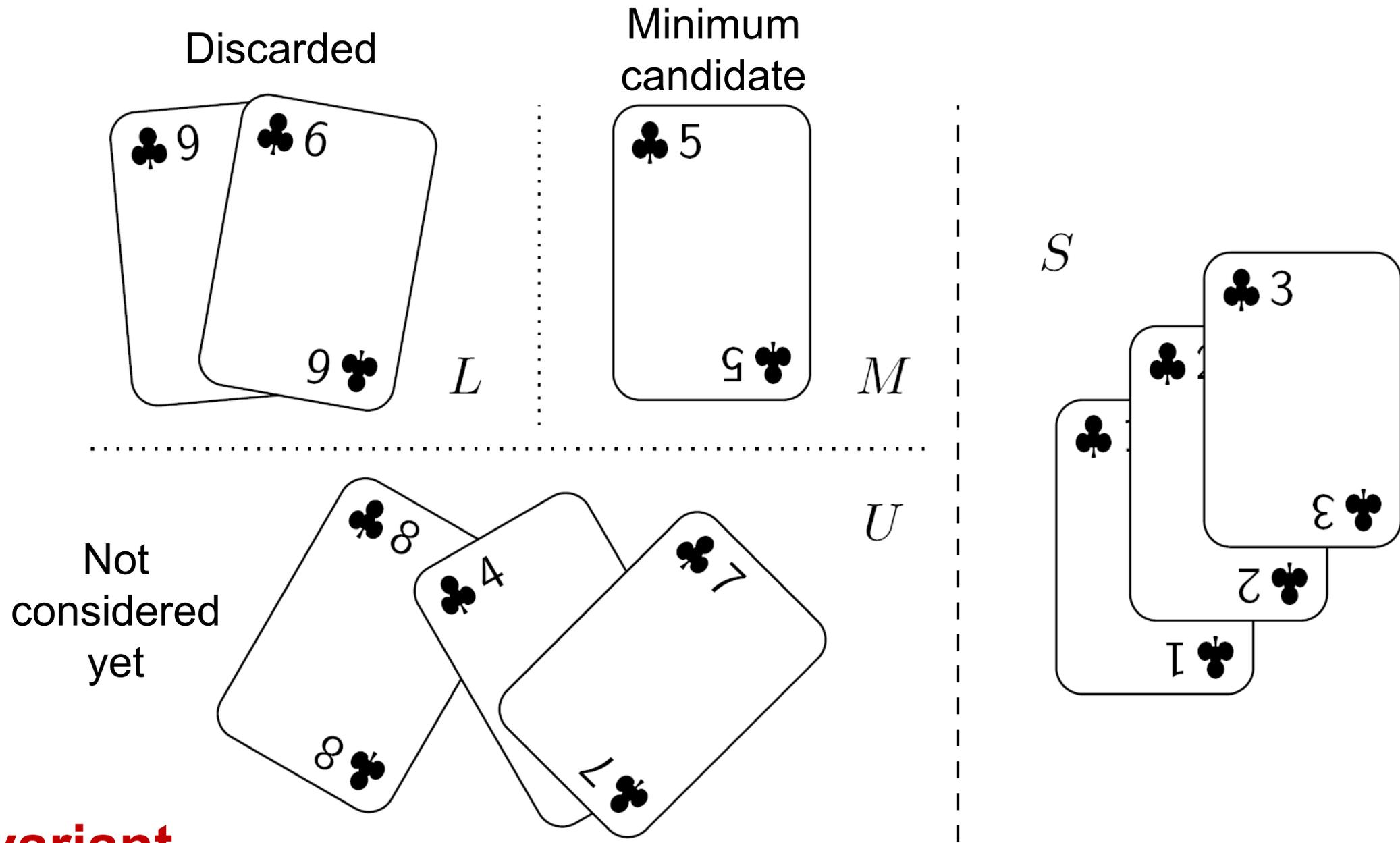
$C$

$S$



Sorted

**Invariant**  $S$  sorted and  $C \geq S$



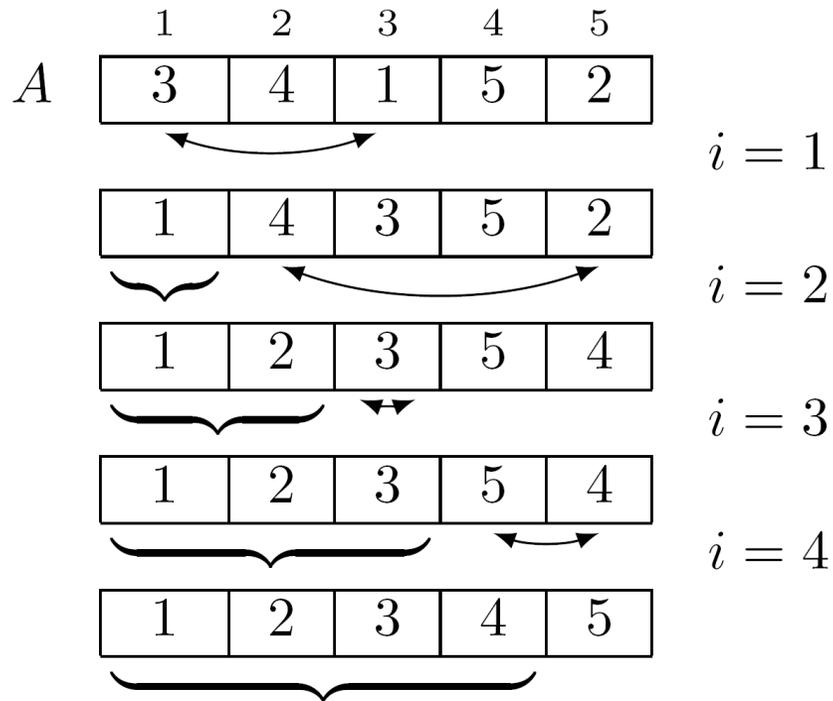
## Invariant

$S$  sorted,  $U \cup L \cup M \geq S$ ,  $L \geq M$ ,  $|M| \leq 1$ , and  $|L| \geq 1 \Rightarrow |M| = 1$

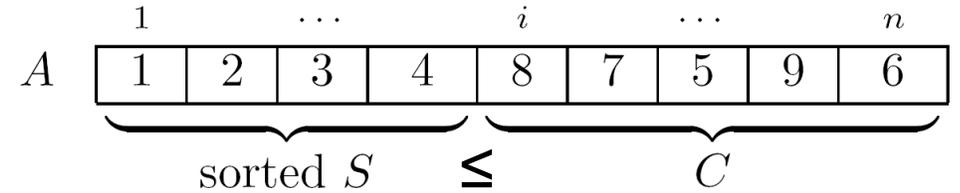
# Implicit SelectionSort

**Algorithm** SELECTIONSORTABSTRACT( $A$ )

- 1 **for**  $i = 1$  **to**  $|A| - 1$  **do**
- 2     swap  $A[i]$  and minimum of  $A[i..|A|]$



## Invariant



**Algorithm** SELECTIONSORT( $A$ )

- 1 **for**  $i = 1$  **to**  $|A| - 1$  **do**
- 2      $k = i$
- 3     **for**  $j = i + 1$  **to**  $|A|$  **do**
- 4         #  $A[k] = \min A[i..j - 1]$
- 5         **if**  $A[j] < A[k]$  **then**
- 6              $k = j$
- 7     #  $A[k] = \min A[i..|A|]$
- 8      $tmp = A[i]$
- 9      $A[i] = A[k]$
- 10     $A[k] = tmp$

# Analysis SelectionSort

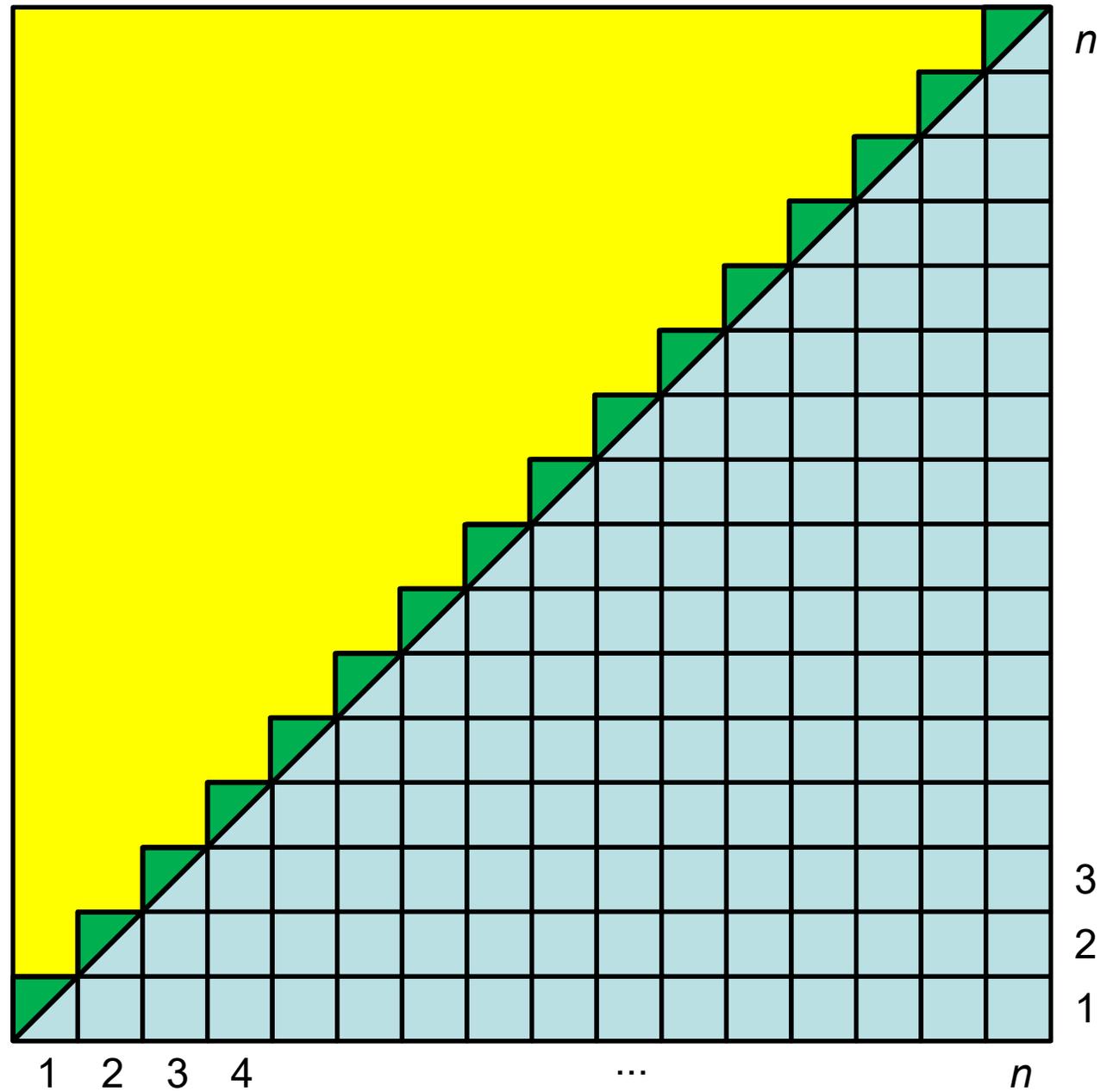
## Lemma

To find the smallest card among  $k$  cards requires  $k - 1$  comparisons

## Lemma

SelectionSort on  $n$  cards makes  $(n - 1) + (n - 2) + \dots + 1 = n \cdot (n - 1) / 2$  comparisons

$$1 + 2 + \dots + n = \frac{n^2}{2} + \frac{n}{2} = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$



# **Algorithms and Data Structures**

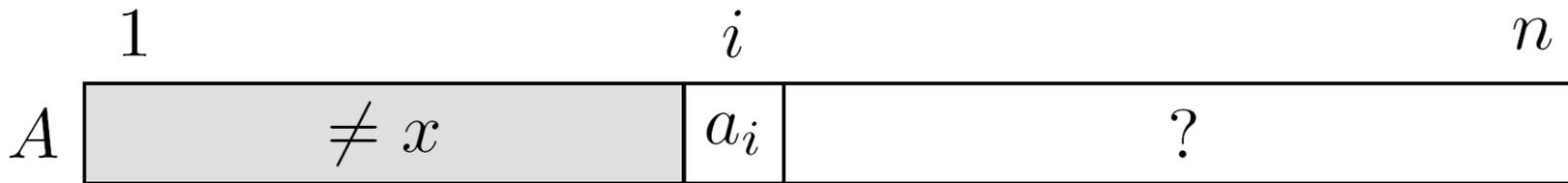
Binary and linear search, logarithms,  
longest increasing subsequence, Erdős Szekeres theorem

# Searching an unsorted list

24 11 3 7 32 47 5 2 89 12

Find  $x$

**Visual  
invariant**



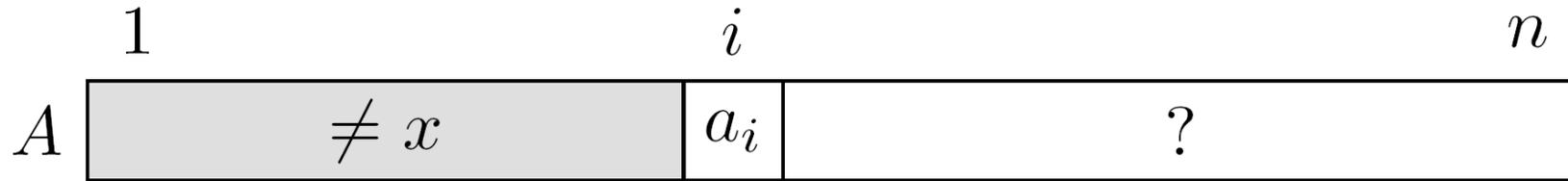
**Formal  
invariant**

$$1 \leq i \leq n + 1 \wedge a_j \neq x \text{ for all } 1 \leq j < i$$

**at most  $n$  comparisons**

# Searching an unsorted list

**Visual  
invariant**



**Algorithm** LINEARSEARCH( $A, x$ )

**Input** Array  $A[1..n]$  and search key  $x$

**Output** Index  $i$  where  $A[i] = x$ ;  $-1$  if  $x \notin A$

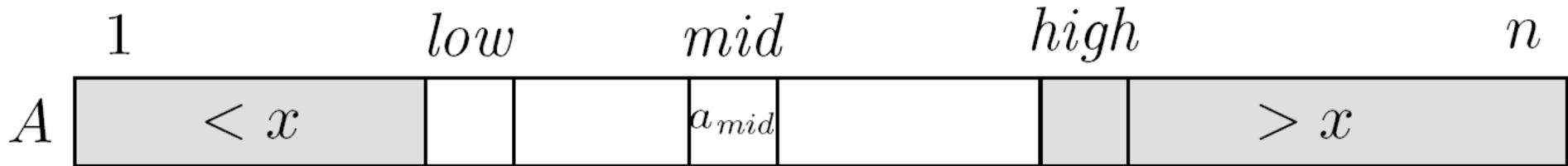
```
1   $i = 1$ 
2  while  $i \leq |A|$  do
3      if  $A[i] = x$  then
4          return  $i$ 
5       $i = i + 1$ 
6  return  $-1$ 
```

# Searching a sorted list

3 7 9 11 13 27 33 37 42 89

Find  $x$

**Visual  
invariant**



**Formal  
invariant**

$$(1 \leq low \leq high \leq n + 1) \wedge$$
$$(a_j < x \text{ for all } 1 \leq j < low) \wedge$$
$$(x < a_j \text{ for all } high \leq j \leq n)$$

**Algorithm** BINARYSEARCH( $A, x$ )

**Input** Sorted array  $A[1..n]$  and search key  $x$

**Output** Index  $i$  where  $A[i] = x$ ;  $-1$  if  $x \notin A$

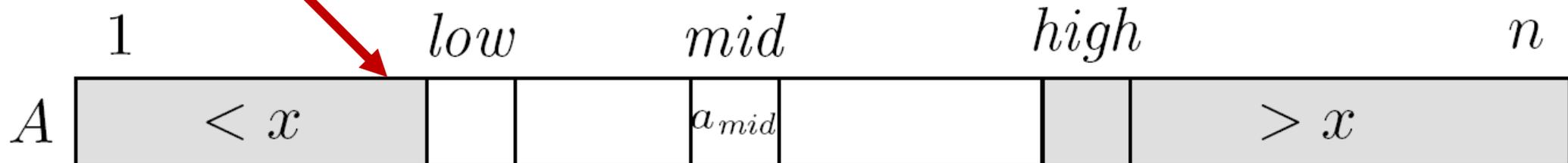
```
1   $low = 1$ 
2   $high = n + 1$ 
3  while  $low < high$  do
4       $mid = \lfloor (low + high) / 2 \rfloor$ 
5      if  $x = A[mid]$  then
6          return  $mid$ 
7      else if  $x < A[mid]$  then
8           $high = mid$ 
9      else if  $x > A[mid]$  then
10          $low = mid + 1$ 
11 return  $-1$ 
```

**Exercise**

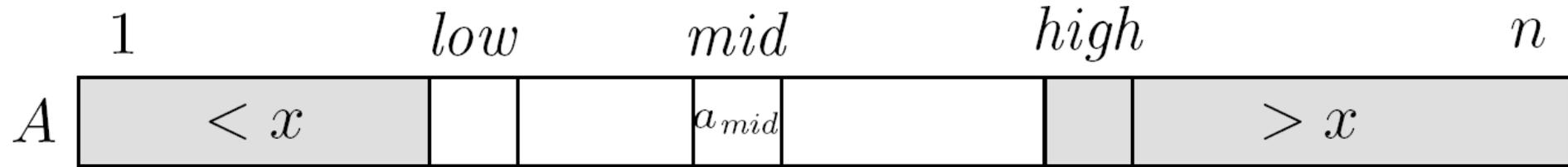
What happens if floor is replaced by ceil?

**Exercise**

Modify algorithm to let  $low$  point here



# Binary search – number of comparisons



Number of candidates after one comparison  $\leq : n \rightarrow \lfloor n/2 \rfloor$

$n \rightarrow \lfloor n/2 \rfloor \rightarrow \lfloor \lfloor n/2 \rfloor / 2 \rfloor \rightarrow \lfloor \lfloor \lfloor n/2 \rfloor / 2 \rfloor / 2 \rfloor \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow 0$

After  $k$  comparisons  $\leq n/2^k$  candidates

done the latest when  $n/2^k < 1 \Leftrightarrow n < 2^k \Leftrightarrow \log_2 n < k \Leftrightarrow 1 + \lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor \leq k$

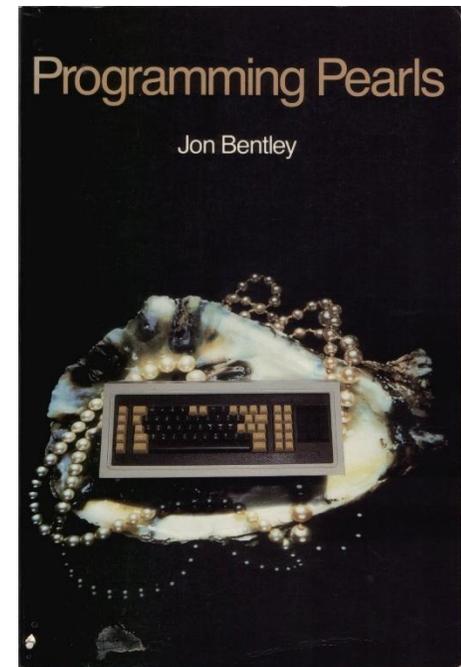
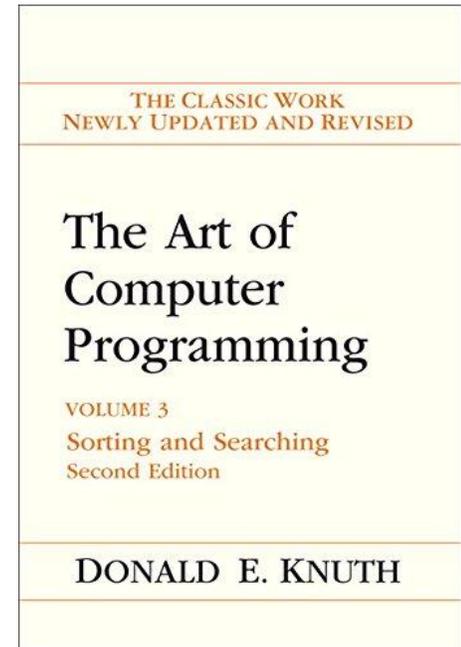
**at most  $1 + \lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor$  comparisons**

# Binary search in the literature

- According to Knuth first discussed in the literature
  - John Mauchly i [*Theory and techniques for the design of electronic digital computers*, ed. G. W. Patterson, 3 (1946), 22.8-22.9] for  $n = 2^k - 1$ .
  - H. Bottenbruch [Structure and Use of ALGOL 60, *Journal of the ACM*, 9 (1962), 214], for all  $n$
- Bentley's experience from Bell Labs and IBM in the beginning of the 80s, where he asked peopler to implement binary search:  
*...given ample time, only about **ten percent** of professional programmers were able to get this small program right...*

Donald E. Knuth, *The Art of Computer Programming: Volume 3, Sorting and Searching*, Chapter 6.2.1, 1973

Jon Bentley, *Programming Pearls*, Chapter 4.1, 1986



## EXAMPLES OF ALGOL PROCEDURES

### 43. *Program for Binary Search*

The following procedure assumes that the elements of an array  $a$  are arranged in descending order, that is,  $a[1] \geq a[2] \geq a[3] \geq \dots$ . Given a number  $b$  and a subscript  $j$  such that  $a[1] \geq b > a[j]$  the program determines in  $1 + \log_2 j$  comparisons a subscript  $p$  for which  $a[p] \geq b > a[p + 1]$ .

```
procedure binary search (a, b, j, p);  
  value j, b; integer j, p; real b; real array a;  
begin integer p1;  
  p := 1;  
test for end: if j - p = 1 then go to M;  
  p1 := (j + p) ÷ 2;  
  if a[p1] ≥ b then p := p1 else j := p1;  
  go to test for end;  
M:
```

# Binary search in standard libraries

- Java `java.util.Collections.binarySearch`
- C++ `std::lower_bound`
- Python `bisect.bisect_left`



# Searching a sorted list – lower bound

3 7 9 11 13 27 33 37 42 89

For any algorithm, an *adversary* can answer the comparison such that number of candidates is at least

$$n \rightarrow \lfloor n/2 \rfloor \rightarrow \lfloor \lfloor n/2 \rfloor / 2 \rfloor \rightarrow \lfloor \lfloor \lfloor n/2 \rfloor / 2 \rfloor / 2 \rfloor \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow 0$$

$n \geq 2^{\lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor} \Rightarrow$  after  $k$  comparisons  $\geq 2^{\lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor - k}$  candidates  
 $\Rightarrow$  after  $\lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor$  comparisons at least 1 candidate remains

**at least  $1 + \lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor$  comparisons (in the worst case)**

# Problem 1.9\*

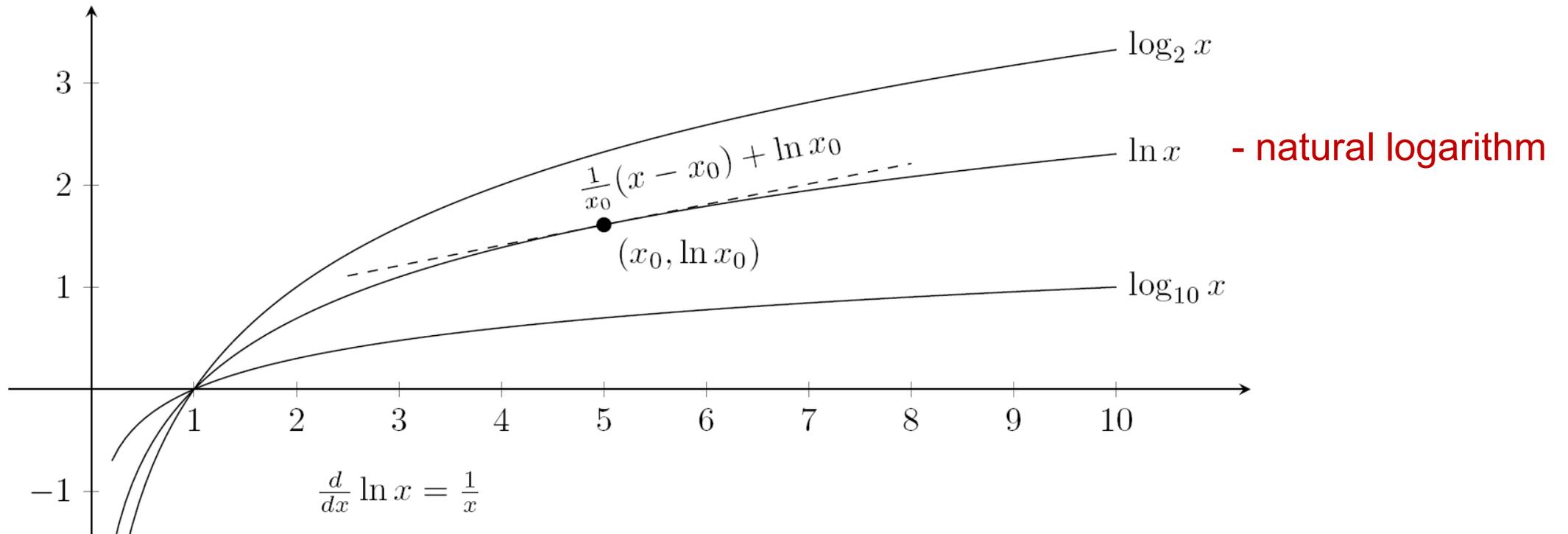
$X$	3	7	9	11	13	15	33	37	42	89
$Y$	4	6	8	18	23	27	51			

Given  $X$  and  $Y$  sorted, find the  $r^{\text{th}}$  smallest in  $X \cup Y$

(the 9<sup>th</sup> smallest element is 15)

# Logarithms

**Definition**  $y = \log_b x \Leftrightarrow b^y = x$



# Logarithms – rules of arithmetic

$$\log_b(x \cdot y) = \log_b x + \log_b y$$

$$\log_b(x/y) = \log_b x - \log_b y$$

$$\log_b(x^p) = p \cdot \log_b x$$

$$\log_b x = \frac{\log_a x}{\log_a b}$$

$$\log_b(b^p) = p$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \ln x = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\ln y = \int_1^y \frac{1}{x} dx$$

$$H_n - \ln n \rightarrow \gamma \quad \text{for } n \rightarrow \infty$$

Harmonic number  $H_n = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i}$

Euler-Mascheroni constant  $\gamma = 0.577215664901\dots$

# **An algorithmic example (using binary search)**

**Patience Diff  
&  
Longest Increasing Subsequences**

# Shell command: diff

A.c	B.c
<pre>#include &lt;stdio.h&gt;  // Frobs foo heartily int frobnitz(int foo) {     int i;     for(i = 0; i &lt; 10; i++)     {         printf("You answered: ");         printf("%d\n", i);     } }  int fact(int n) {     if(n &gt; 1)     {         return fact(n-1);     }     return 1; }  int main(int argc, char *argv) {     frobnitz(fact(10)); }</pre>	<pre>#include &lt;stdio.h&gt;  int fib(int n) {     if(n &lt; 2)         return n;     return fib(n-1) + fib(n-2); }</pre>
<pre>\$ diff A.c B.c 3,4c3 &lt; // Frobs foo heartily &lt; int frobnitz(int foo) --- &gt; int fib(int n) 6,7c5 &lt;     int i; &lt;     for(i = 0; i &lt; 10; i++) --- &gt;     if(n &gt; 2) 9,10c7 &lt;         printf("Your answer is: "); &lt;         printf("%d\n", foo); --- &gt;         return fib(n-1) + fib(n-2); 11a9 &gt;     return 1; 14c12,13 &lt; int fact(int n) --- &gt; // Frobs foo heartily</pre>	

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1. #include &lt;stdio.h&gt;

2.

3. // Frobs foo heartily

4. int frobnitz(int foo)

5. {

6. int i;

7. for(i = 0; i &lt; 10; i++)

8. {

9. printf("Your answer is: ");

10. printf("%d\n", foo);

11. }

12. }

13.

14. int fact(int n)

15. {

16. if(n &gt; 1)

17. {

18. return fact(n-1) \* n;

19. }

20. return 1;

21. }

22.

23. int main(int argc, char \*\*argv)

24. {

25. frobnitz(fact(10));

26. }

1. #include &lt;stdio.h&gt;

2.

3. int fib(int n)

4. {

5. if(n &gt; 2)

6. {

7. return fib(n-1) + fib(n-2);

8. }

9. return 1;

10. }

11.

12. // Frobs foo heartily

13. int frobnitz(int foo)

14. {

15. int i;

16. for(i = 0; i &lt; 10; i++)

17. {

18.

19. printf("%d\n", foo);

20. }

21. }

22.

22. int main(int argc, char \*\*argv)

23. {

24. frobnitz(fib(10));

25. }

# Text Compare!

Email this comparison

```
1 #include <stdio.h>
2
3 // Frobs foo heartily
4 int frobnitz(int foo)
5 {
6     int i;
7     for(i = 0; i < 10; i++)
8     {
9         printf("Your answer is: ");
10        printf("%d\n", foo);
11    }
12 }
13
14 int fact(int n)
15 {
16     if(n > 1)
17     {
18         return fact(n-1) * n;
19     }
20     return 1;
21 }
22
23 int main(int argc, char **argv)
24 {
25     frobnitz(fact(10));
26 }
27
```

```
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17     {
18         printf("%d\n", foo);
19     }
20 }
21
22 int main(int argc, char **argv)
23 {
24     frobnitz(fib(10));
25 }
26
```

Edit texts ...

Switch texts

Compare!

Clear all



```
1 #include <stdio.h>
2
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4 int frobnitz(int foo)
5 {
6     int i;
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```



# Patience Diff

(Bram Cohen, inventor of BitTorrent)

- Tries to create **readable and meaningful output**  
– opposed to minimal output
- Used in the Bazaar version control system

Finding a smallest possible edit sequence is covered later in the course (topic Dynamic Programming)

```
A.c
00 00 #include <stdio.h>
01
11 02 // Frobs foo heartily
12 03 int frobnitz(int foo)
04 {
14 05     int i;
15 06     for(i = 0; i < 10; i++)
07     {
08         printf("Your answer is ");
17 09         printf("%d\n", foo);
10     }
11 }
12
13 int fact(int n)
14 {
15     if(n > 1)
16     {
17         return fact(n-1) * n;
18     }
08 19     return 1;
20 }
21
21 22 int main(int argc, char *
23 {
24     frobnitz(fact(10));
25 }
```

```
B.c
00 #include <stdio.h>
01
02 int fib(int n)
03 {
04     if(n > 2)
05     {
06         return fib(n-1) + fib(n-2);
07     }
08     return 1;
09 }
10
11 // Frobs foo heartily
12 int frobnitz(int foo)
13 {
14     int i;
15     for(i = 0; i < 10; i++)
16     {
17         printf("%d\n", foo);
18     }
19 }
```

## Patience Diff

- 1) Find lines occurring exactly once in both texts
- 2) Find a longest increasing (common) subsequence
- 3) Repeat (recursively) on the blocks created

# Longest increasing subsequence

(Problem 1.2)

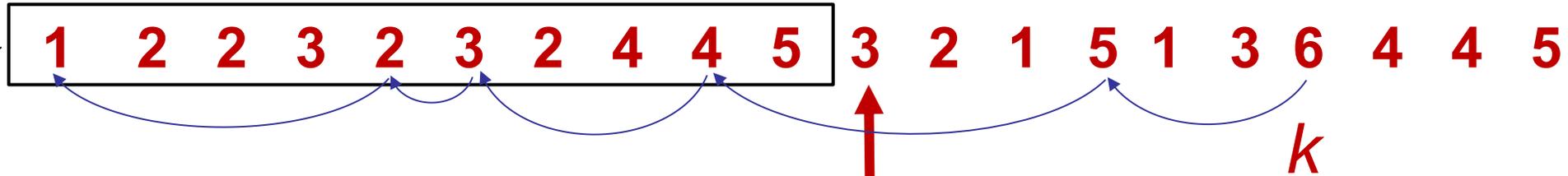
~~30 63 73 80 59 63 41 78 88 82 53 31 22 74 6 38 99 57 43 80~~

## Problem

Erase as few numbers as possible,  
so that the remaining numbers are in increasing order

# Longest increasing subsequence (Problem 1.2)

30 83 73 80 59 63 41 78 68 82 53 31 22 74 6 36 99 57 43 60



Length	Smallest last element
1	30
2	41
3	<del>63</del> 53
4	68
5	82

= binary search

longest increasing subsequence ending with 53

$$\leq n \cdot (1 + \lfloor \log_2 k \rfloor) \text{ comparisons}$$

# Theorem (Erdős and Szekeres, 1935)

Any sequence of  $n$  numbers has an increasing or decreasing subsequence of length at least  $\lceil \sqrt{n} \rceil$ .

3 1 4 17 6 42 10 8 13 11 28 (increasing)

24 3 12 16 7 14 26 8 20 2 1 (decreasing)

# Theorem (Erdős and Szekeres, 1935)

30 83 73 80 59 63 41 78 68 82 53 31 22 74 6 36 99 57 43 60

1 2 2 3 2 3 2 4 4 5 3 2 1 5 1 3 6 4 4 5



Length	Smallest last element
1	30 22 6
2	83 73 59 41 31
3	80 63 53 36
4	78 68 57 43
5	82 74 60
6	99

Either many ( $\geq \sqrt{n}$ ) rows (long increasing subsequence) or at least one long ( $\geq \sqrt{n}$ ) row (long decreasing subsequence)

# **Algorithms and Data Structures**

Integer arithmetic: Binary and decimal numbers,  
addition, subtraction, multiplication, division

# Digits

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
			\	\		\	\	\	\

For every small integer we have a special symbol

# Base-10 system ( $10 = 9 + 1$ )

Value of  $d_{n-1}d_{n-2} \cdots d_1d_0$  where  $d_i \in \{0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9\}$

$$\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} d_i \cdot 10^i = d_{n-1} \cdot 10^{n-1} + d_{n-2} \cdot 10^{n-2} + \cdots + d_1 \cdot 10^1 + d_0 \cdot 10^0$$

**Example:**  $1849_{10} = 1 \cdot 10^3 + 8 \cdot 10^2 + 4 \cdot 10^1 + 9 \cdot 10^0$

# Representation base $b$

Value of  $d_{n-1}d_{n-2} \cdots d_1d_0$

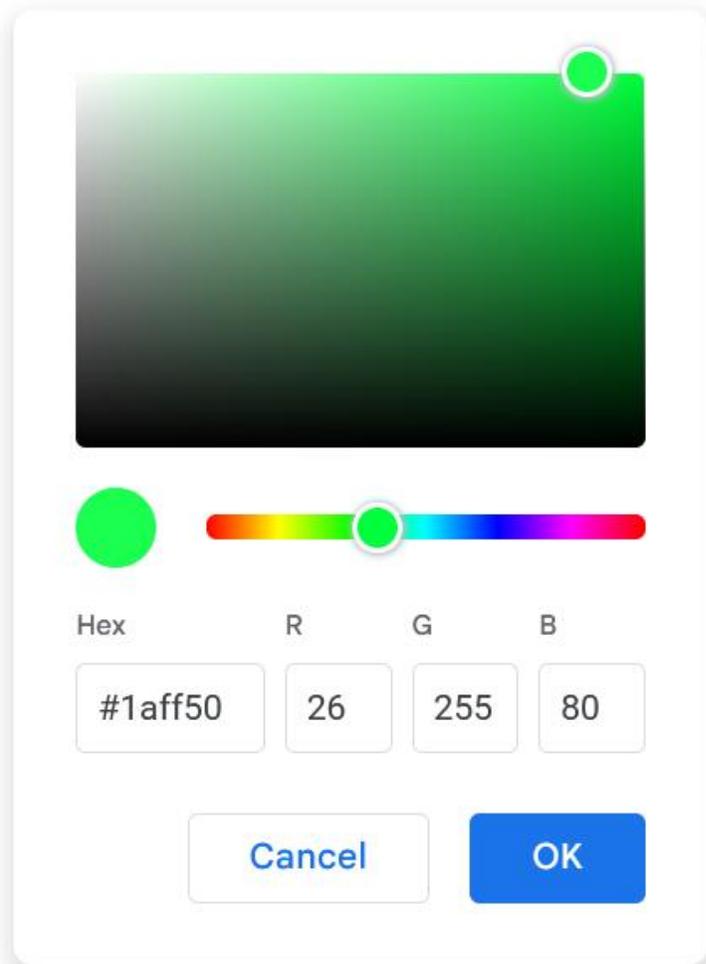
$$\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} d_i \cdot b^i$$

Example:  $1849_{10} = \overset{\overset{a}{\downarrow}}{\overset{\overset{b}{\downarrow}}{\overset{\overset{c}{\downarrow}}{\overset{\overset{d}{\downarrow}}{11100111001}}}_2 = \overset{\overset{x}{\downarrow}}{\overset{\overset{y}{\downarrow}}{\overset{\overset{z}{\downarrow}}{3471}}}_8 = 739_{16}$

$1 \cdot 10^3 + 8 \cdot 10^2 + 4 \cdot 10^1 + 9 \cdot 10^0$        $2^{10} + 2^9 + 2^8 + 2^5 + 2^4 + 2^3 + 2^0$        $3 \cdot 8^3 + 4 \cdot 8^2 + 7 \cdot 8^1 + 1 \cdot 8^0$        $7 \cdot 16^2 + 3 \cdot 16^1 + 9 \cdot 16^0$

Decimal value	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Binary symbol	0	1														
Octal symbol	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7								
Hexadecimal symbol	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	A	B	C	D	E	F

# Color picker



[docs.google.com](https://docs.google.com)

- RGB = **R**ed-**G**reen-**B**lue system
- A typical value consists of three values R, G and B, each value consisting of 8 bits, i.e., a value in the decimal range 0..255 and hexadecimal 00..FF
- R:  $1A_{16} = 26_{10}$
- G:  $FF_{16} = 255_{10}$
- B:  $50_{16} = 80_{10}$

5 4 3 2 1 0  
**101010<sub>2</sub> in base 10 ?**

a) 14<sub>10</sub>

b) 26<sub>10</sub>

c) 37<sub>10</sub>



d) 42<sub>10</sub> =  $2^5 + 2^3 + 2^1 = 32 + 8 + 2$

e) 84<sub>10</sub>

f) Don't know

**$42_{10}$  in base 5 ?**

a)  $42_5$

b)  $82_5$



c)  $132_5 = 1 \cdot 5^2 + 3 \cdot 5^1 + 2 \cdot 5^0$   
 $= 25 + 15 + 2$

d)  $134_5$

e)  $210_5$

f) Don't know

# Addition

+	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
0	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
3	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
4	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
5	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
6	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
7	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
8	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
9	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18

# Addition – school method

$$\begin{array}{r} 1 \ 1 \\ 8 \ 4 \ 3 \\ + 5 \ 7 \ 2 \\ \hline 1 \ 4 \ 1 \ 5 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 843 + 572 &= (8 \cdot 10^2 + 4 \cdot 10^1 + 3 \cdot 10^0) + (5 \cdot 10^2 + 7 \cdot 10^1 + 2 \cdot 10^0) \\ &= (8 + 5) \cdot 10^2 + (4 + 7) \cdot 10^1 + (3 + 2) \cdot 10^0 \\ &= (8 + 5) \cdot 10^2 + (4 + 7) \cdot 10^1 + 5 \cdot 10^0 \\ &= (8 + 5) \cdot 10^2 + 11 \cdot 10^1 + 5 \cdot 10^0 \\ &= (8 + 5) \cdot 10^2 + (1 \cdot 10 + 1) \cdot 10^1 + 5 \cdot 10^0 \\ &= (8 + 5) \cdot 10^2 + (1 \cdot 10^2 + 1 \cdot 10^1) + 5 \cdot 10^0 \\ &= ((8 + 5) + 1) \cdot 10^2 + 1 \cdot 10^1 + 5 \cdot 10^0 \\ &= (13 + 1) \cdot 10^2 + 1 \cdot 10^1 + 5 \cdot 10^0 \\ &= 14 \cdot 10^2 + 1 \cdot 10^1 + 5 \cdot 10^0 \\ &= (1 \cdot 10 + 4) \cdot 10^2 + 1 \cdot 10^1 + 5 \cdot 10^0 \\ &= 1 \cdot 10^3 + 4 \cdot 10^2 + 1 \cdot 10^1 + 5 \cdot 10^0 \\ &= 1415 \end{aligned}$$

Must (recursively) add  
numbers with multiple digits

# Binary addition

$$\begin{array}{r|l} + & 0 \quad 1 \\ \hline 0 & 0 \quad 1 \\ 1 & 1 \quad 10 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \phantom{+} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \\ \phantom{+} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \\ \phantom{+} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \\ + \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \\ \hline 1 \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \phantom{0} \end{array}$$

School method





# Multiplication

.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2	0	2	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18
3	0	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27
4	0	4	8	12	16	20	24	28	32	36
5	0	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45
6	0	6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54
7	0	7	14	21	28	35	42	49	56	63
8	0	8	16	24	32	40	48	56	64	72
9	0	9	18	27	36	45	54	63	72	81

# Multiplication

$$\begin{array}{r} 214 \\ 6 \cdot 427 \\ \hline 2562 \end{array}$$

Multiplication with  
single digit

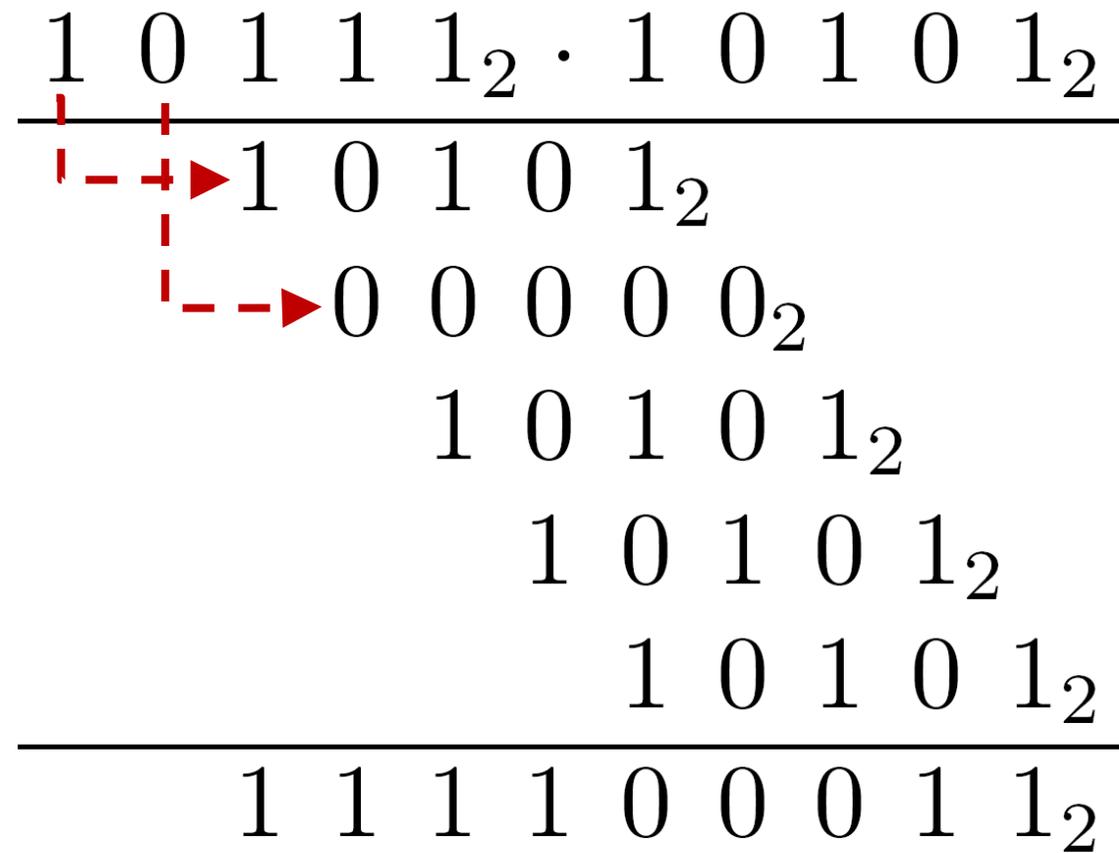
$$\begin{array}{r} 365 \cdot 427 \\ \hline 1281 \\ 2562 \\ 2135 \\ \hline 155855 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 365 \cdot 427 &= (3 \cdot 10^2 + 6 \cdot 10^1 + 5 \cdot 10^0) \cdot 427 \\ &= 3 \cdot 427 \cdot 10^2 + 6 \cdot 427 \cdot 10^1 + 5 \cdot 427 \cdot 10^0 \\ &= 1281 \cdot 10^2 + 2562 \cdot 10^1 + 2135 \cdot 10^0 \\ &= 128100 + 25620 + 2135 \\ &= 155855 \end{aligned}$$

# Binary multiplication

$\cdot$	0	1
0	0	0
1	0	1

# Binary multiplication

$$\begin{array}{r} 1011_2 \cdot 1010_2 \\ \hline 1010_2 \\ \phantom{10}0000_2 \\ \phantom{10}1010_2 \\ \phantom{10}1010_2 \\ \phantom{10}1010_2 \\ \hline 1111001_2 \end{array}$$


# Binary multiplication of blocks with 1s

$$\overbrace{11111}^j \overbrace{00000}^i {}_2 = 1 \overbrace{0000000000}^{i+j} {}_2 - 1 \overbrace{00000}^i {}_2$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 1 \ 0 \ \overbrace{1 \ 1 \ 1}_2 \cdot 1 \ 0 \ 1 \ 0 \ 1_2 \\
 \hline
 \phantom{1 \ 0} 1 \ 0 \ 1 \ 0 \ 1_2 \\
 \left\{ \begin{array}{l} + \\ - \end{array} \right. \phantom{1 \ 0} 1 \ 0 \ 1 \ 0 \ 1_2 \\
 \phantom{1 \ 0} \phantom{1 \ 0} 1 \ 0 \ 1 \ 0 \ 1_2 \\
 \hline
 \phantom{1 \ 0} 1 \ 1 \ 1 \ 1 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 1 \ 1_2
 \end{array}$$

# Division

$$\begin{array}{r}
 \overbrace{1\ 1\ 1\ 1\ 1\ 0\ 1\ 0\ 0}_x \ / \ \overbrace{1\ 0\ 1\ 0\ 1}_y = \overbrace{1\ 0\ 1\ 1\ 1}_i \\
 \hline
 1\ 1\ 1\ 1\ 1\ 0\ 1\ 0\ 0 \\
 -\ 1\ 0\ 1\ 0\ 1\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}} \\
 \hline
 1\ 0\ 1\ 0\ 0\ 1\ 0\ 0\ \color{red}{p} \\
 -\ 0\ 0\ 0\ 0\ 0\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}} \\
 \hline
 1\ 0\ 1\ 0\ 0\ 1\ 0\ 0 \\
 -\ 1\ 0\ 1\ 0\ 1\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}} \\
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 \hline
 1\ 0\ 0\ 1\ 1\ 0\ 0\ 0 \\
 -\ 1\ 0\ 1\ 0\ 1\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}}\ \underline{\hspace{2em}} \\
 \hline
 1\ 0\ 0\ 0\ 1\ \color{red}{r}
 \end{array}$$

**Algorithm** INTEGERDIVISION( $x, y$ )

**Input** Integers  $x \geq 0$  and  $y \geq 1$

**Output** Integer  $i = \lfloor x/y \rfloor$ , i.e.  $0 \leq x - i \cdot y < y$

```

1   $p = 0$ 
2  while  $y \cdot 2^{p+1} \leq x$ 
3       $p = p + 1$ 
4   $i = 0$ 
5   $r = x$ 
6  # Invariant:  $x = i \cdot y + r$  and  $r < y \cdot 2^{p+1}$ 
7  while  $y \leq r$ 
8      if  $y \cdot 2^p \leq r$ 
9           $i = i + 2^p$  # set position  $p$  in  $i = 1$ 
10          $r = r - y \cdot 2^p$ 
11      $p = p - 1$ 
12 return  $i$ 

```

# Conversion to base $b$

**Algorithm** BASEREPRESENTATION( $x, b$ )

**Input** Integers  $x \geq 0$  and base  $b \geq 2$

**Output** Digits  $d_0, d_1, \dots$  of the  $b$ -ary representation of  $x$

```
1   $p = 0$ 
2  while  $x > 0$  do
3       $i = \lfloor x/b \rfloor$  ← INTEGERDIVISION( $x, b$ )
4       $d_p = x - i \cdot b$  ← remainder
5       $x = i$ 
6       $p = p + 1$ 
```

$x = 42$   $b = 2$

$p$	$x$	$i$	$i \cdot b$	$p_d$	base $b$
0	42	21	42	0	0
1	21	10	20	1	10
2	10	5	10	0	010
3	5	2	4	1	1010
4	2	1	2	0	01010
5	1	0	0	1	101010
6	0				

# Redundant number systems

$$\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} d_i \cdot b^i$$

- Normally one assumes  $0 \leq d_i < b \Rightarrow$  unique representation
- Redundant number systems also allow other digits, e.g.  $\dots, -2, -1, b, b+1, \dots$

$$42_{10} = 101010_2 = 21002_2 = 22-1-10_2 \Rightarrow \text{not unique}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & \parallel & \parallel \\ & 2^*2^4+1^*2^3+2^*2^0 & 2^*2^4+2^*2^3+-1^*2^2+-1^*2^1 \end{array}$$

- Advantage can avoid cascaded carries under addition
- Idea used in hardware and many algorithms and data structures

# **Algorithms and Data Structures**

Induction and invariants

# Proof by induction

- We wish to prove an infinite sequence of statements

$$U_1, U_2, U_3, U_4, U_5, \dots, U_n, U_{n+1}, \dots$$

- E.g.,  $U_n$  could be the statement  $\sum_{i=1}^n i^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$

The statements can be **proved by using the induction principle**, by proving the following two statements:

**1. Base case:**

Prove that  $U_1$  is true

**2. Induction step:**

Assume for an  $n \geq 1$  that  $U_n$  is true (**induction hypothesis**)

and prove that then  $U_{n+1}$  is true, i.e., prove that  $U_n \Rightarrow U_{n+1}$

# Example: Prove $\sum_{i=1}^n i = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$

[CLRS A.1] (A.1)

- Base case  $n = 1$ :  $\sum_{i=1}^1 i = 1 = \frac{1(1+1)}{2}$

- Induction step:

Induction hypothesis:  $\sum_{i=1}^n i = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$

We must prove:  $\sum_{i=1}^{n+1} i = \frac{(n+1)((n+1)+1)}{2}$

Proof:  $\sum_{i=1}^{n+1} i = (n+1) + \sum_{i=1}^n i \stackrel{\text{i.h.}}{=} n+1 + \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$

$$= \frac{2(n+1) + n(n+1)}{2} = \frac{(2+n)(n+1)}{2}$$

$$= \frac{(n+1)((n+1)+1)}{2}$$

$ac + bc = (a+b)c$

□

Example: Prove  $\sum_{i=0}^n 2^i = 2^{n+1} - 1$

[CLRS A.1] (A.6)

- Base case  $n = 0$ :  $\sum_{i=0}^0 2^i = 2^0 = 1 = 2^{0+1} - 1$

- Induction step:

Induction hypothesis:  $\sum_{i=0}^n 2^i = 2^{n+1} - 1$

We must prove:  $\sum_{i=0}^{n+1} 2^i = 2^{(n+1)+1} - 1$

Proof:

$$\sum_{i=0}^{n+1} 2^i = 2^{n+1} + \sum_{i=0}^n 2^i \stackrel{\text{i.h.}}{=} 2^{n+1} + 2^{n+1} - 1$$

$$= 2 \cdot 2^{n+1} - 1 = 2^{n+2} - 1 = 2^{(n+1)+1} - 1 \quad \square$$

Example: Prove  $\sum_{i=0}^n x^i = \frac{x^{n+1}-1}{x-1}$  for  $x \neq 1$

[CLRS A.1] (A.6)

- Base case  $n = 0$ :

$$\sum_{i=0}^0 x^i = x^0 = 1 = \frac{x^{0+1}-1}{x-1} \quad x \neq 1$$

- Induction step:

Induction hypothesis:  $\sum_{i=0}^n x^i = \frac{x^{n+1}-1}{x-1}$

We must prove:  $\sum_{i=0}^{n+1} x^i = \frac{x^{(n+1)+1}-1}{x-1}$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=0}^{n+1} x^i &= x^{n+1} + \sum_{i=0}^n x^i \stackrel{\text{i.h.}}{=} x^{n+1} + \frac{x^{n+1}-1}{x-1} \\ &= \frac{(x-1)x^{n+1} + x^{n+1} - 1}{x-1} = \frac{x^{n+2} - 1}{x-1} = \frac{x^{(n+1)+1} - 1}{x-1} \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

Example: Prove  $\sum_{i=1}^n i^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$

[CLRS A.1] (A.4)

- Base case  $n = 1$ :  $\sum_{i=1}^1 i^2 = 1 = \frac{1(1+1)(2 \cdot 1+1)}{6}$

- Induction step:

Induction hypothesis:  $\sum_{i=1}^n i^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$

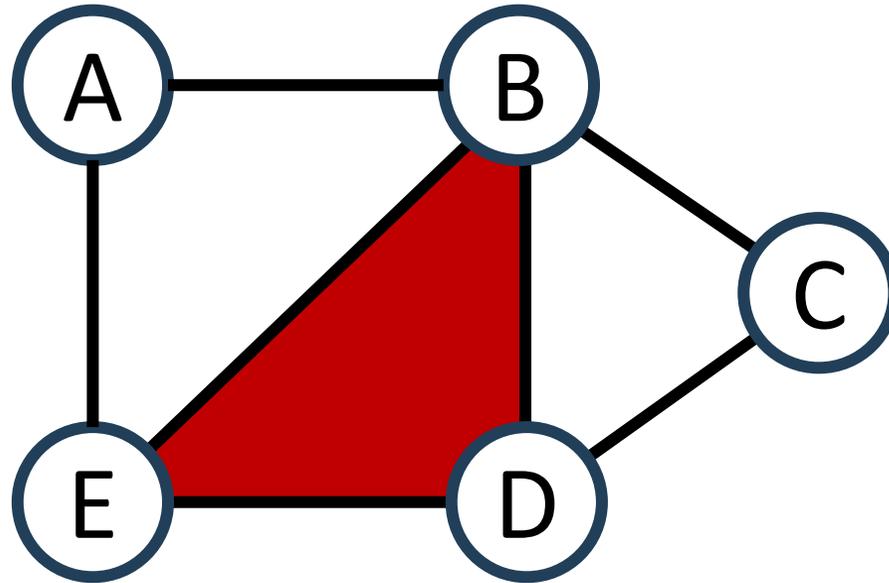
We must prove:  $\sum_{i=1}^{n+1} i^2 = \frac{(n+1)((n+1)+1)(2(n+1)+1)}{6}$

Proof  $\sum_{i=1}^{n+1} i^2 = (n+1)^2 + \sum_{i=1}^n i^2$

$$\begin{aligned} &\stackrel{\text{i.h.}}{=} (n+1)^2 + \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} = \frac{6(n+1)^2 + n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} \\ &= \frac{(n+1)(2n^2 + 7n + 6)}{6} = \frac{(n+1)(n+2)(2n+3)}{6} \\ &= \frac{(n+1)((n+1)+1)(2(n+1)+1)}{6} \end{aligned}$$

□

# Planar graphs – Euler's formula



$|V| = 5$  nodes  
 $|E| = 7$  edges  
# faces = 4

A connected planar graph satisfies

Euler's formula:

$$|V| - |E| + \# \text{ faces} = 2$$

Corollary:

$$|E| \leq 3|V| - 6$$

(for  $|V| \geq 3$ ,  
no self-loops,  
no parallel edges)



Dictionary

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invariant



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# Dictionary

## Definition

Synonyms

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# invariant adjective

in·vari·ant (, )in-'ver-ē-ənt

Synonyms of *invariant* >

: **CONSTANT, UNCHANGING**

*specifically*: unchanged by specified mathematical or physical operations or transformations

| *invariant* factor

**invariant** noun

$i \leftarrow 0$

$x \leftarrow 100$

**while**  $i \leq 10$  **do**

$x \leftarrow x + 7$

$i \leftarrow i + 1$

What is the value of  $x$  when the program terminates ?

```
i ← 0
x ← 100
while i ≤ 10 do
    x ← x + 7
    i ← i + 1
```

- a) 100    b) 107    c) 110    d) 111    e) 170    f) 177    g) Don't know



# Loop invariant = statement

Examples for **I**

- $i \geq 0$
- $x \geq 100$
- $i \leq x$

**{ I }**

$x = 100 + 7 * i \wedge i \leq 11$   
 $\wedge x$  and  $i$  are integers

$i \leftarrow 0$

$x \leftarrow 100$

$x'$  and  $i'$  are the new values

$i=0 \wedge x=100 \rightarrow x = 100+7*i \wedge i \leq 11$

**while**  $i \leq 10$  **do**

$x \leftarrow x + 7$

$i \leftarrow i + 1$

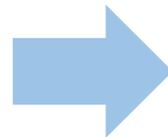
$x=100+7*i \wedge i \leq 11 \wedge i \leq 10$   
 $\wedge x'=x+7 \wedge i'=i+1$

$\rightarrow x'=(100+7*i)+7 = 100+7*i' \wedge i' \leq 11$

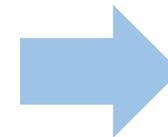
$\neg(i \leq 10) \wedge (x = 100+7*i \wedge i \leq 11) \rightarrow i = 11 \wedge x = 177$

## An invariant **I** should satisfy

- 1) When the loop is reached the first time, **I** is satisfied
- 2) If **I** is satisfied before the loop, then **I** is satisfied after an iteration of the loop

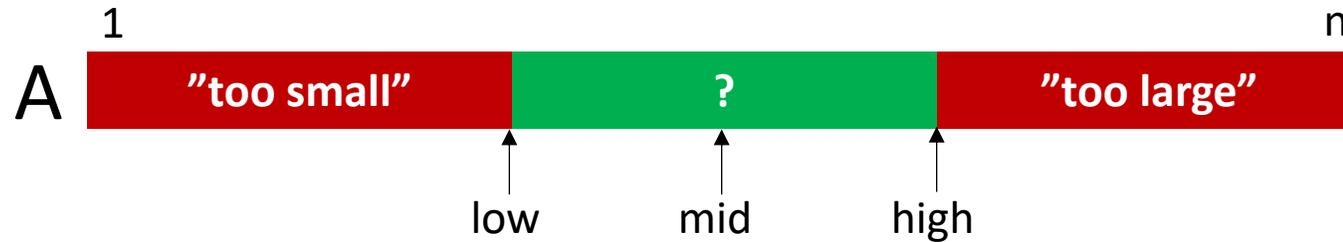


**I** is automatically satisfied when we get out of the loop



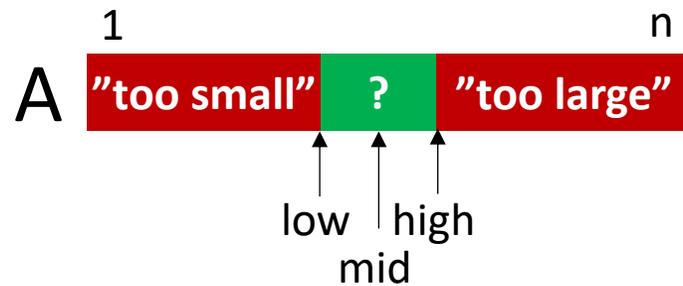
Use **I** and that the loop condition is false when the loop terminations to draw a conclusion

# Binary search (in a sorted array)



```
<< initialize >>  
{ I } while << loop condition >> do  
    mid  $\leftarrow$  << f(low, high) >>  
    << update >>
```

# Binary search (in a sorted array)



```
<< initialize >>  
{ I } while << loop condition >> do  
    mid ← << f(low,high) >>  
    << update >>
```

$I_1$ :  $(A[i] < x \text{ for } 1 \leq i \leq low) \wedge (x < A[i] \text{ for } high \leq i \leq n)$

$I_2$ :  $(A[i] < x \text{ for } 1 \leq i \leq low) \wedge (x \leq A[i] \text{ for } high \leq i \leq n)$

$I_3$ :  $(A[i] < x \text{ for } 1 \leq i < low) \wedge (x \leq A[i] \text{ for } high < i \leq n)$

$I_4$ :  $(A[i] < x \text{ for } 1 \leq i < low) \wedge (x \leq A[i] \text{ for } high \leq i \leq n)$

...

<< initialize >>



a)  $low \leftarrow 0; high \leftarrow n+1$

b)  $low \leftarrow 1; high \leftarrow n$

c)  $low \leftarrow 0; high \leftarrow n$

d)  $low \leftarrow 1; high \leftarrow n+1$

e) Don't know

**I:**  $(A[i] < x \text{ for } 1 \leq i < low) \wedge (x \leq A[i] \text{ for } high < i \leq n)$

<< loop condition >>

a)  $low = high$

b)  $low \neq high$

c)  $low < high$



d)  $low \leq high$

e)  $low > high$

f) Don't know

**I:**  $(A[i] < x \text{ for } 1 \leq i < low) \wedge (x \leq A[i] \text{ for } high < i \leq n)$

<< update >>

a) if  $A[\text{mid}] < x$  then  $\text{low} \leftarrow \text{mid}$  else  $\text{high} \leftarrow \text{mid}$

b) if  $A[\text{mid}] < x$  then  $\text{low} \leftarrow \text{mid}+1$  else  $\text{high} \leftarrow \text{mid}$

c) if  $A[\text{mid}] < x$  then  $\text{low} \leftarrow \text{mid}$  else  $\text{high} \leftarrow \text{mid}+1$

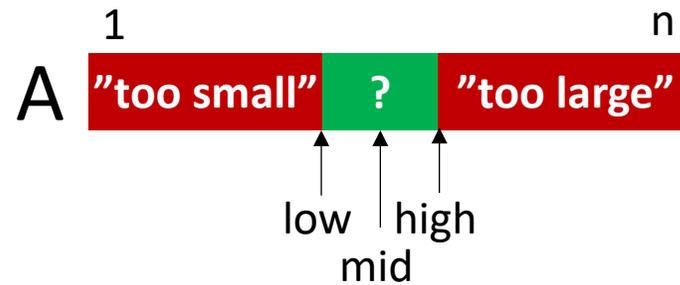


d) if  $A[\text{mid}] < x$  then  $\text{low} \leftarrow \text{mid}+1$  else  $\text{high} \leftarrow \text{mid}-1$

e) Don't know

**I:**  $(A[i] < x \text{ for } 1 \leq i < \text{low}) \wedge (x \leq A[i] \text{ for } \text{high} < i \leq n)$

# Binary search (in a sorted array)



```
low ← 1; high ← n
{ I } while low ≤ high do
    mid ← ⌊low + (high - low) / 2⌋
    if A[mid] < x then
        low ← mid + 1
    else
        high ← mid - 1
```

**I:**  $(A[i] < x \text{ for } 1 \leq i < \text{low}) \wedge (x \leq A[i] \text{ for } \text{high} < i \leq n)$

Where is the answer located ?

- a) low - 1
-  b) low
- c) low + 1
- d) high - 1
- e) high
-  f) high + 1
- g) Don't know

**I:**  $(A[i] < x \text{ for } 1 \leq i < \text{low}) \wedge (x \leq A[i] \text{ for } \text{high} < i \leq n)$

**Algorithm** POWER( $x, p$ )

Input : Integer  $x \geq 0$  and  $p \geq 0$

Output :  $r = x^p$

Method :  $r \leftarrow 1$ ;  
          {I} while  $p \geq 1$  do  
              if  $p$  even then  
                   $x \leftarrow x * x; p \leftarrow p/2$   
              else  
                   $r \leftarrow r * x; p \leftarrow p - 1$

$p_0 =$  initial value of  $p$



	Yes	No
$p \leq p_0$	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
$x^p = r$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
$x \leq x_0$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
$r \cdot x_0^{p_0} = x^p$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
$x_0^{p_0} = r \cdot x^p$	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

### Algorithm LOG2( $n$ )

Input : Integer  $n \geq 2$

Output :  $r = \text{intlog}(n) = \lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor$

Method :  $i \leftarrow 1;$

$r \leftarrow 1;$

$p \leftarrow 2;$

$\{I\}$  while  $2p \leq n$  do

    if  $p * p \leq n$  then

$p \leftarrow p * p;$

$r \leftarrow 2 * r$

    else

$p \leftarrow 2 * p;$

$r \leftarrow r + 1$

	Yes	No
$1 \leq r < p$	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
$2p \leq n$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
$p = 2^r$	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
$p = 2r$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
$p = 2^{\text{intlog}(p)}$	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

# Invariants

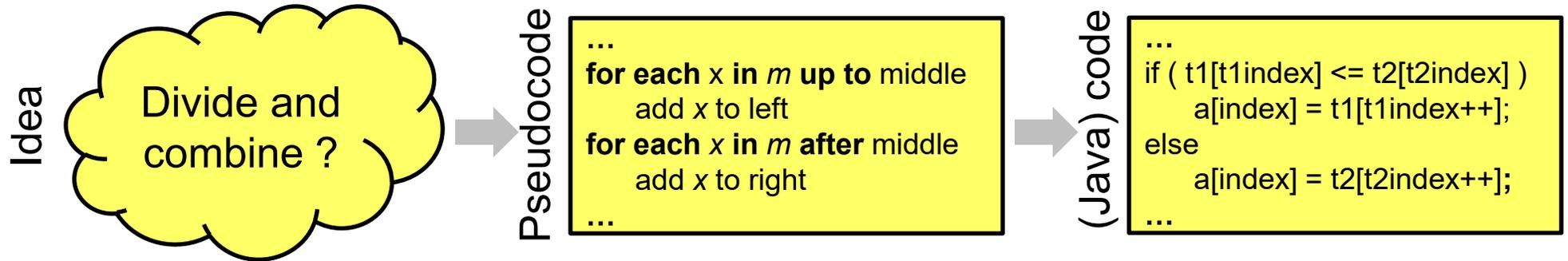
- A tool to analyze the states of a loop in an algorithm
- Design tool "Invariant  $\rightarrow$  Code"
- Can be used to identify central properties of the state of a data structure

# Algorithms and Data Structures

Analysis tools, RAM model,  
Insertion-Sort, O-notation  
[CLRS, Chapter 1-3.2]

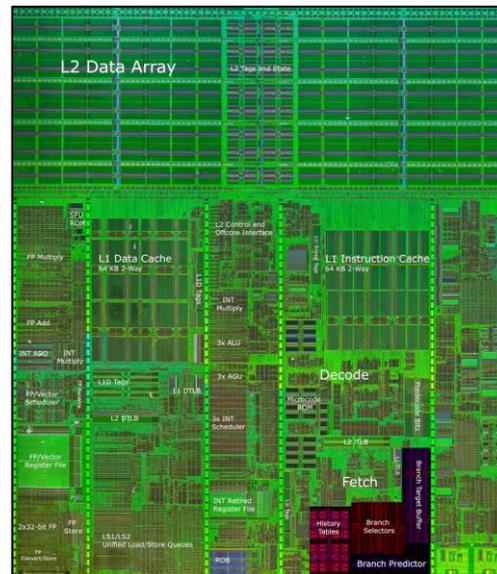
**What is the running time of an algorithm?**

# From idea to program execution

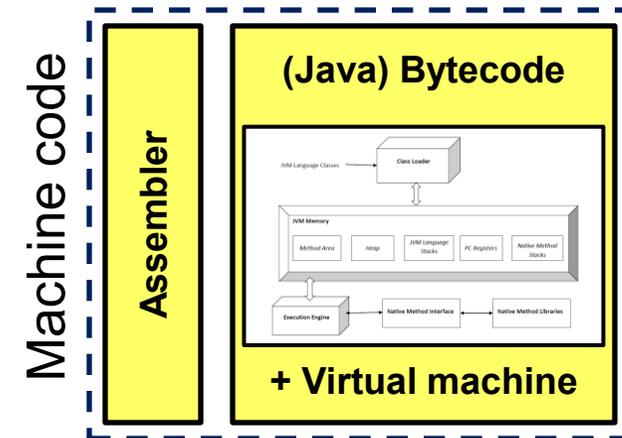


↓ Compiler

- Microcode
- Virtual memory
- TLB
- L1, L2,... cache
- Branch Prediction
- Pipelining
- ...



← Program execution



[wikipedia.org/wiki/Java\\_virtual\\_machine](http://wikipedia.org/wiki/Java_virtual_machine)

# What is the running time of an ALGORITHM?

- a) Time (min/sec) to run a program
- b) # instructions executed
- c) # memory cells read/written
- d) # procedure calls
- e) Other

# Machines computation time vary...

Machine	Time (sec)
camel19	8.9
molotov	10.2
harald	26.2
gorm	7.8

Time to sort 65 MB of web log activity around year 2000 on various machines at the Department of Computer Science

**Idea:**

**Argue about algorithms independently of machines used**

# Design of Algorithms

## Correct algorithm

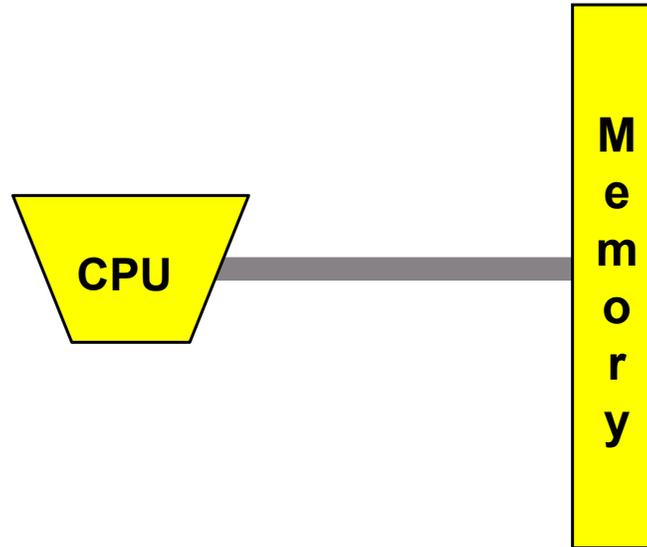
- the algorithm **terminates** on all inputs
- output **correct** on all inputs

## Efficiency

- Optimize algorithms to use **minimal** time
- space, additions,... or **maximal** parallelism...
- $\sim n^2$  is better than  $\sim n^3$  : **asymptotic time**
- Less important : **constants**
- Resource usage: **Worst-case** or **average**?

# RAM Model

## (Random Access Machine)



- Data is stored in the memory
- Computations happen in the CPU (Central Processing Unit)
- Basic operations take **1 time unit**:
  - + , - , \* , AND , OR , XOR , **get(i)** , **set(i,v)** , ...
- A machine word contains  **$c \cdot \log n$**  bits

# Example

INSERTION-SORT( $A, n$ )

```
1  for  $i = 2$  to  $n$ 
2       $key = A[i]$ 
3      // Insert  $A[i]$  into the sorted subarray  $A[1 : i - 1]$ 
4       $j = i - 1$ 
5      while  $j > 0$  and  $A[j] > key$ 
6           $A[j + 1] = A[j]$ 
7           $j = j - 1$ 
8       $A[j + 1] = key$ 
```

# How many times is line 6 executed ?

- a)  $\sim n$
- b)  $\sim n \log n$
-  c)  $\sim n^2$
- d)  $\sim n^3$
- e) Don't know

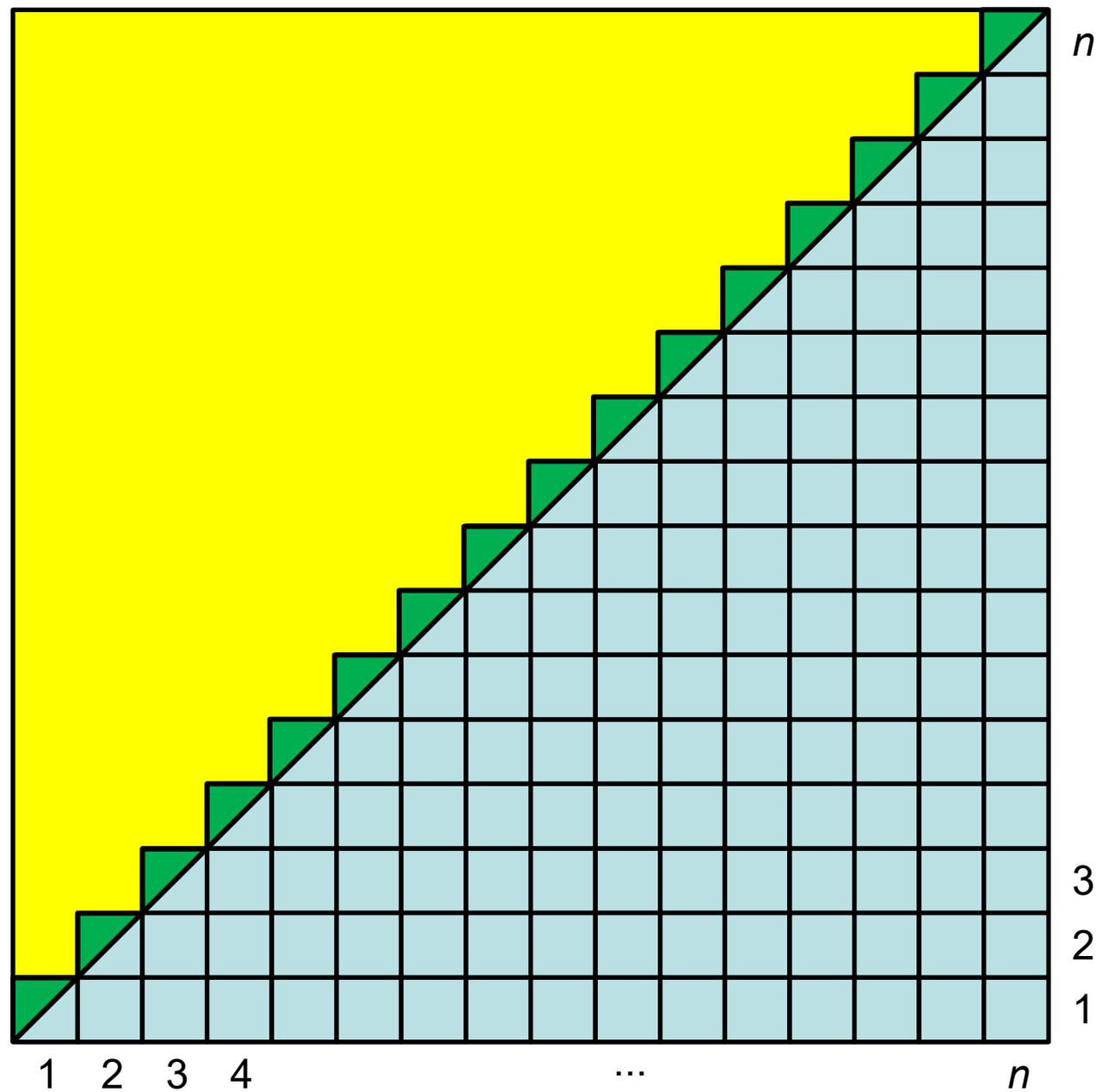
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INSERTION-SORT(A, n)
1  for i = 2 to n
2      key = A[i]
3      // Insert A[i] into the sorted subarray A[1 : i - 1]
4      j = i - 1
5      while j > 0 and A[j] > key
6          A[j + 1] = A[j]
7          j = j - 1
8      A[j + 1] = key
```

Input 

$n$	$n-1$	$n-2$	...	4	3	2	1
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$$1 + 2 + \dots + n = \frac{n^2}{2} + \frac{n}{2} = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$



# Insertion-Sort (C)

```
insertion(int a[], int N)
{ int i, j, key;

  for(j=1; j < N; j++)
  { key = a[j];
    i = j-1;
    while( i>=0 && a[i] > key )
      { a[i+1] = a[i];
        i--;
      }
    a[i+1] = key;
  }
}
```

```
insertion:
pushl   %ebp
movl   %esp, %ebp
pushl   %edi
pushl   %esi
pushl   %ebx
subl   $12, %esp
cmpl   $1, 12(%ebp)
jle    .L3
movl   8(%ebp), %edx
xorl   %ebx, %ebx
movl   8(%ebp), %eax
movl   $1, -16(%ebp)
movl   4(%edx), %edx
addl   $4, %eax
movl   %eax, -20(%ebp)
movl   %edx, -24(%ebp)
.p2align 4,,7
.L6:
movl   8(%ebp), %ecx
leal   0(%ebx,4), %esi
movl   (%ecx,%ebx,4), %eax
cmpl   -24(%ebp), %eax
jle    .L8
movl   %ecx, %edi
leal   -4(%esi), %ecx
leal   (%ecx,%edi), %edx
jmp    .L9
.p2align 4,,7
.L16:
movl   (%edx), %eax
movl   %ecx, %esi
subl   $4, %edx
subl   $4, %ecx
cmpl   -24(%ebp), %eax
jle    .L8
.L9:
movl   -20(%ebp), %edi
subl   $1, %ebx
movl   %eax, (%edi,%esi)
jns    .L16
.L8:
movl   -16(%ebp), %edi
movl   8(%ebp), %edx
leal   (%edx,%edi,4), %eax
.L5:
movl   -24(%ebp), %ecx
movl   -20(%ebp), %edx
addl   $1, -16(%ebp)
movl   -16(%ebp), %edi
movl   %ecx, (%edx,%ebx,4)
cmpl   %edi, 12(%ebp)
jle    .L3
movl   4(%eax), %edx
movl   %edi, %ebx
addl   $4, %eax
subl   $1, %ebx
movl   %edx, -24(%ebp)
jns    .L6
jmp    .L5
.L3:
addl   $12, %esp
popl   %ebx
popl   %esi
popl   %edi
popl   %ebp
ret
```

# Example: Insertion-Sort

- Example of **pseudocode**
- Detailed analysis – cumbersome work
- Time: **worst-case** ( $\sim n^2$ ) and **best-case** ( $\sim n$ ) very different
- Time: **average** ( $\sim n^2$ )
- Faster on  $\sim$  sorted input: **adaptive**

# Asymptotic notation

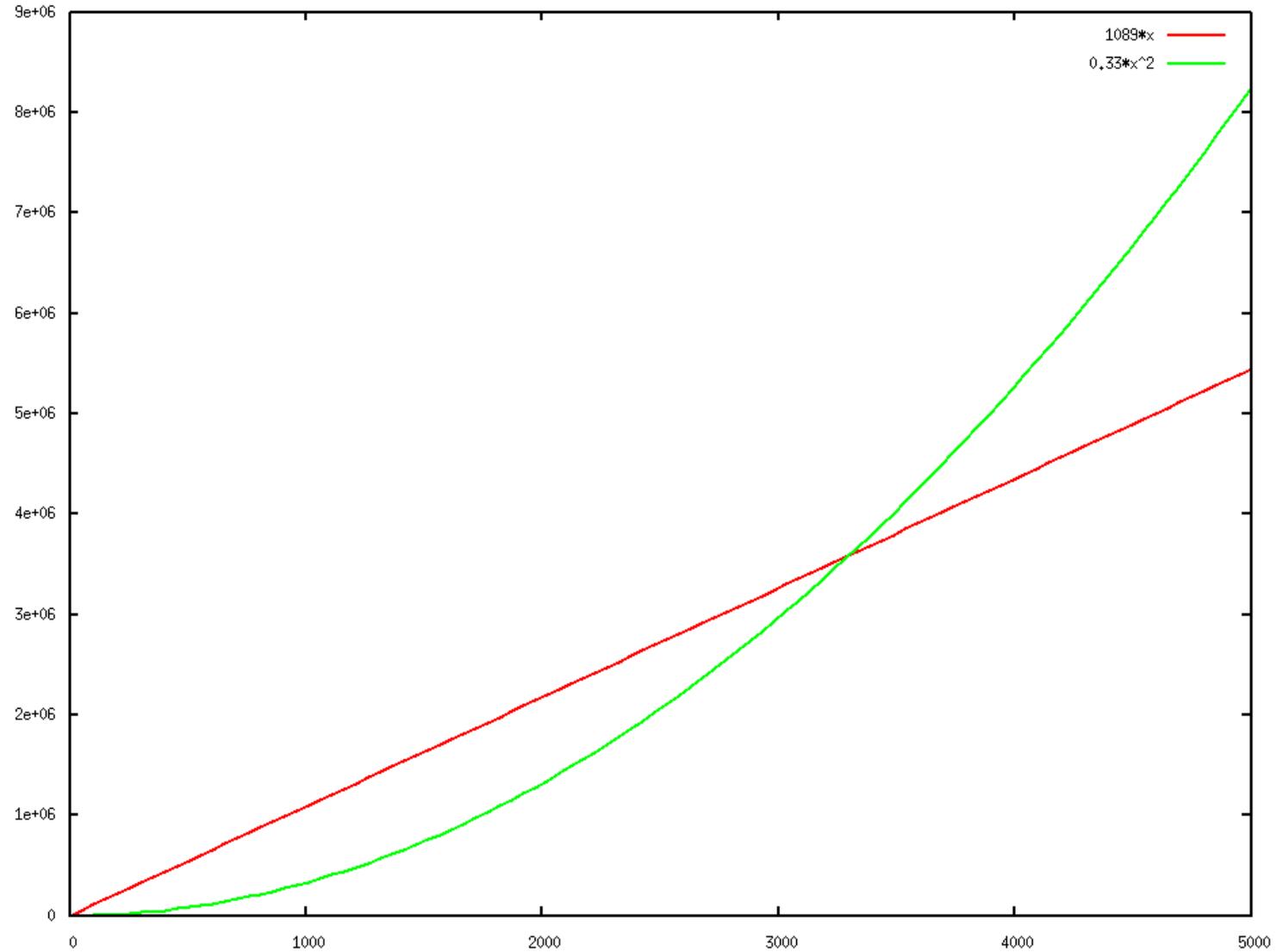
- Basic assumptions:
  - $\sim n^2$  is better than  $\sim n^3$
  - constants are not essential
- **Mathematical precise** way to work with " $\sim$ "
- Examples:

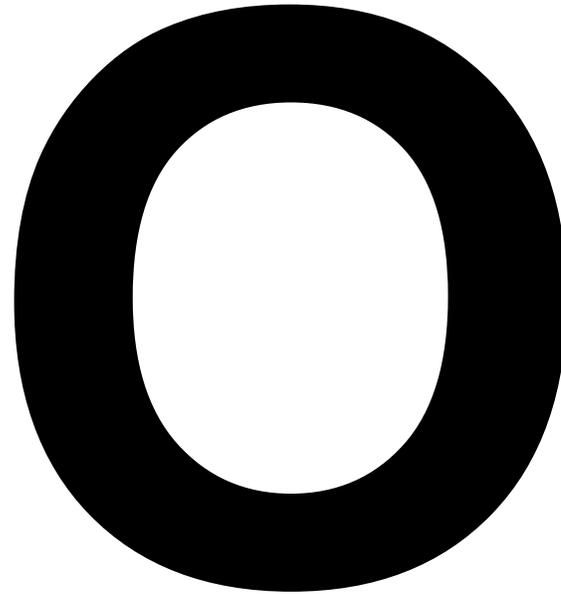
$$87 \cdot n^2 \quad " \leq " \quad 12 \cdot n^3$$

$$1089 \cdot n \quad " \leq " \quad 0.33 \cdot n^2$$

$$7 \cdot n^2 + 25 \cdot n \quad " \leq " \quad n^2$$

$1089 \cdot x$  VS  $0.33 \cdot x^2$





**- notation**

**... and friends**

**$\Omega$  (big omega)**

**$\Theta$  (theta)**

**$\omega$  (small omega)**

**o (small o)**

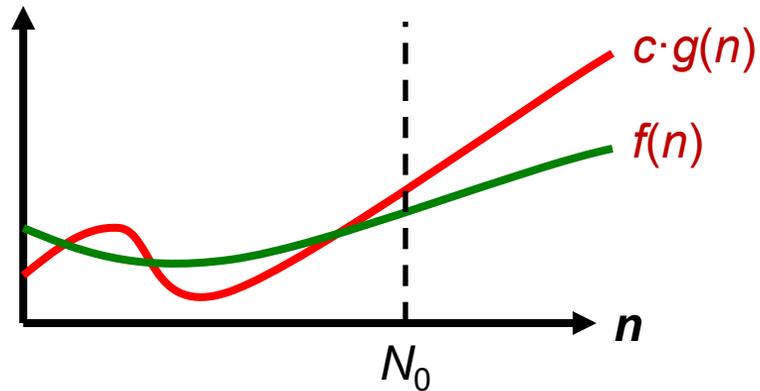
# O-notation

**Definition:**  $f(n) = O(g(n))$

if  $f(n)$  and  $g(n)$  are functions  $N \rightarrow R$  and

there exist constants  $c > 0$  and  $N_0$  such that for all  $n \geq N_0$  :

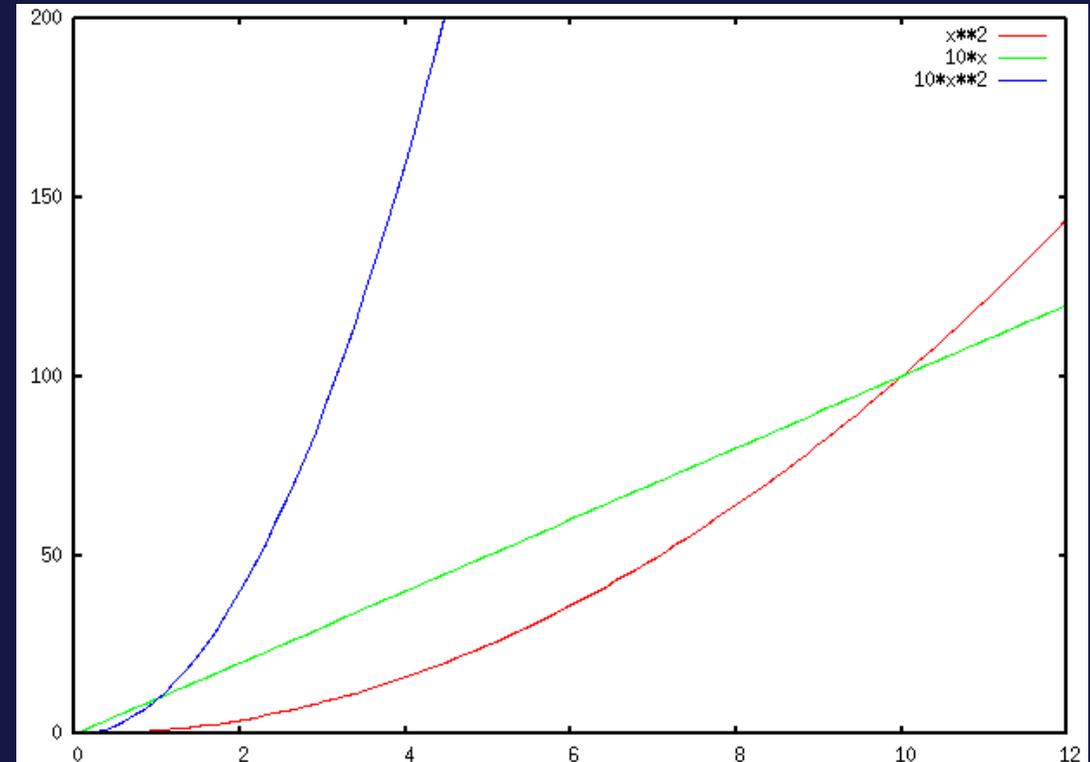
$$f(n) \leq c \cdot g(n)$$



Intuitively:  $f(n)$  is "smaller or equal to"  $g(n)$ , or  $g(n)$  "dominates"  $f(n)$

$$10 \cdot n = O(n^2) ?$$

- a) No
- b) Yes –  $c=1$  and  $N_0=1$
- c) Yes –  $c=10$  and  $N_0=1$
- d) Yes –  $c=1$  and  $N_0=10$
-  e) Both c) and d)
- f) Don't know



# O-notation

$O(g(n))$  is really the **set of functions** which are asymptotically bounded by  $g(n)$

Computer science notation	Mathematical notation
$f(n) = O(g(n))$	$f(n) \in O(g(n))$
$O(f(n)) = O(g(n))$	$O(f(n)) \subseteq O(g(n))$
Examples: $n^2 = O(n^3)$ <del><math>O(n^3) = n^2</math></del> $O(n^2) = O(n^3)$ <del><math>O(n^3) = O(n^2)</math></del>	

# Example: Insertion-Sort

INSERTION-SORT( $A, n$ )

```
1  for  $i = 2$  to  $n$ 
2       $key = A[i]$ 
3      // Insert  $A[i]$  into the sorted subarray  $A[1 : i - 1]$ 
4       $j = i - 1$ 
5      while  $j > 0$  and  $A[j] > key$ 
6           $A[j + 1] = A[j]$ 
7           $j = j - 1$ 
8       $A[j + 1] = key$ 
```

Time  $O(n^2)$

# Example : O – rules

$$f(n) = O(g(n)) \quad \rightarrow \quad c \cdot f(n) = O(g(n)) \text{ for } c \geq 0$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} f_1(n) = O(g_1(n)) \\ f_2(n) = O(g_2(n)) \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} f_1(n) + f_2(n) = O(\max(g_1(n), g_2(n))) \\ f_1(n) \cdot f_2(n) = O(g_1(n) \cdot g_2(n)) \end{array} \right.$$

$$c_k \cdot n^k + c_{k-1} \cdot n^{k-1} + \dots + c_2 \cdot n^2 + c_1 \cdot n + c_0 = O(n^k)$$

( for positive monotone functions )

$$f_1(x) = O(g_1(x)) \text{ and } f_2(x) = O(g_2(x))$$

implies

$$f_1(x) - f_2(x) = O(g_1(x) - g_2(x)) ?$$

a) Yes



b) No

c) Don't know

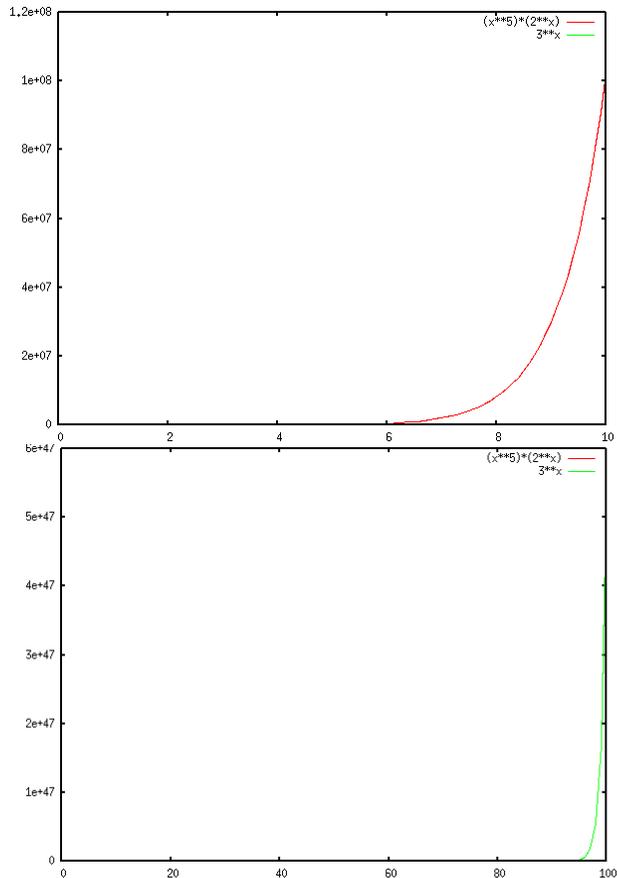
# Examples : O

- $3 \cdot n^2 + 7 \cdot n = O(n^2)$
- $n^2 = O(n^3)$
- $\log_2 n = O(n^{0.5})$
- $(\log_2 n)^3 = O(n^{0.1})$
- $n^2 \cdot \log_2 n + 7 \cdot n^{2.5} = O(n^{2.5})$
- $2^n = O(3^n)$
- $n^5 \cdot 2^n = O(3^n)$

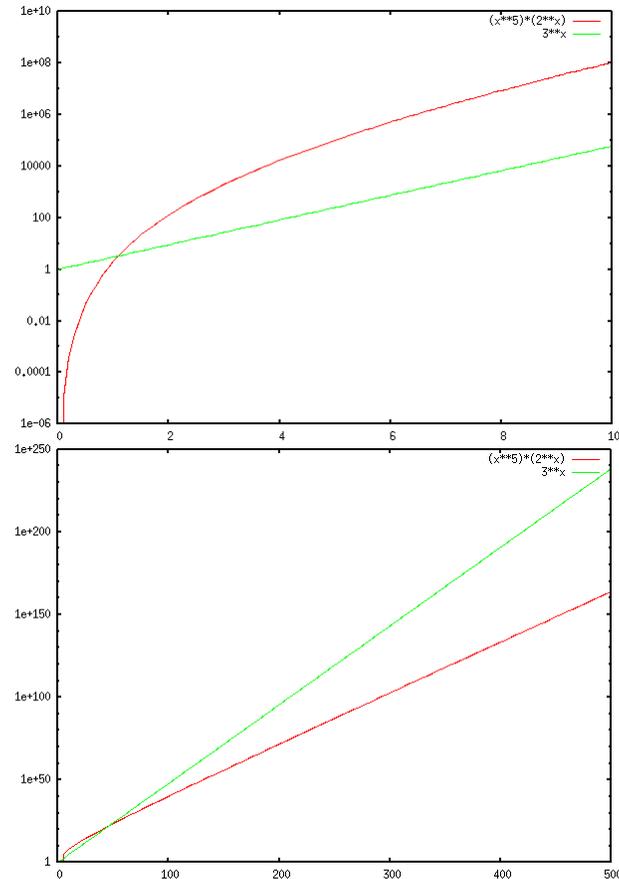
# Visual test of $n^5 \cdot 2^n = O(3^n)$ ?



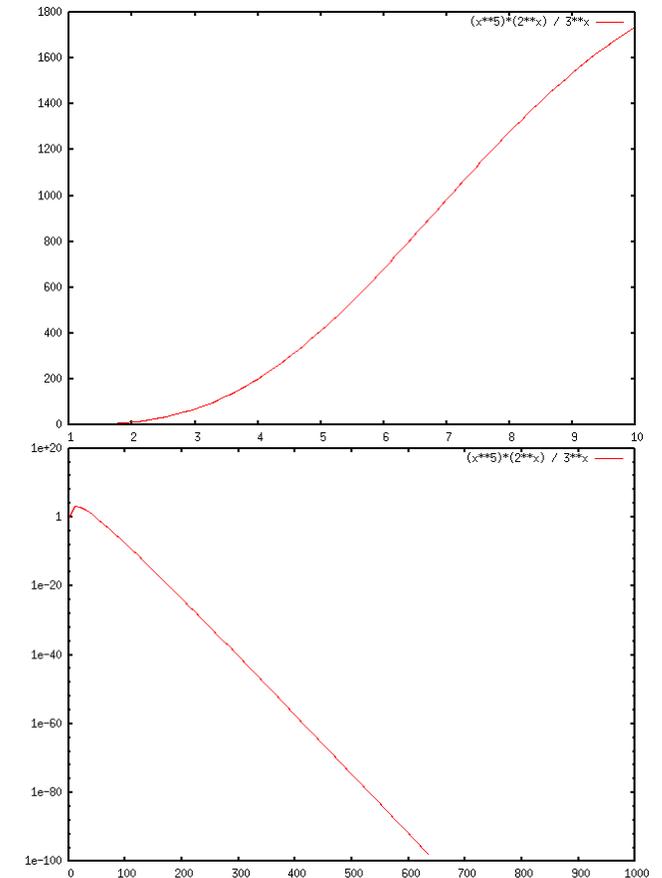
Plot of two functions  
– not very informative



Plot of two functions  
with logarithmic y-axis  
– first plot misleading



Plot of fraction  
between two functions  
– first plot misleading



# Proof of $n^5 \cdot 2^n = O(3^n)$

Prove  $n^5 \cdot 2^n \leq c \cdot 3^n$  for all  $n \geq N_0$ , for appropriate choices of  $c$  and  $N_0$

Proof:

$$\left(5/\log_2(3/2)\right)^2 \leq n \quad \text{for } n \geq 73$$

$$\Downarrow$$
$$5/\log_2(3/2) \leq \sqrt{n} = n/\sqrt{n} \leq n/\log_2 n$$

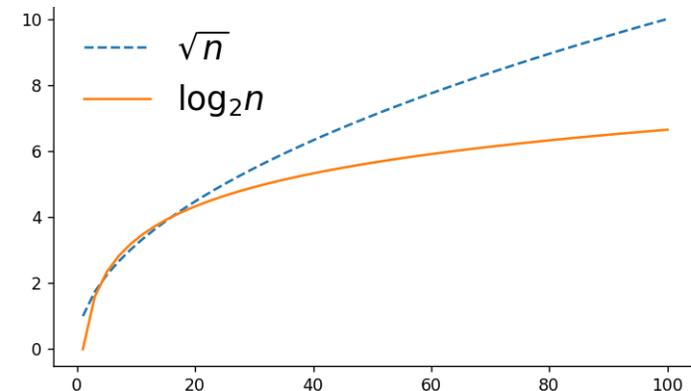
$$\Downarrow$$
$$5 \cdot \log_2 n \leq n \cdot \log_2(3/2)$$

$$\Downarrow$$
$$\log_2(n^5) \leq \log_2(3/2)^n$$

$$\Downarrow$$
$$n^5 \leq (3/2)^n = 3^n / 2^n$$

$$\Downarrow$$
$$n^5 \cdot 2^n \leq 3^n$$

since  $\sqrt{n} \geq \log_2 n$  for  $n \geq 17$



i.e., the desired statement holds for  $c = 1$  and  $N_0 = 73$ . □

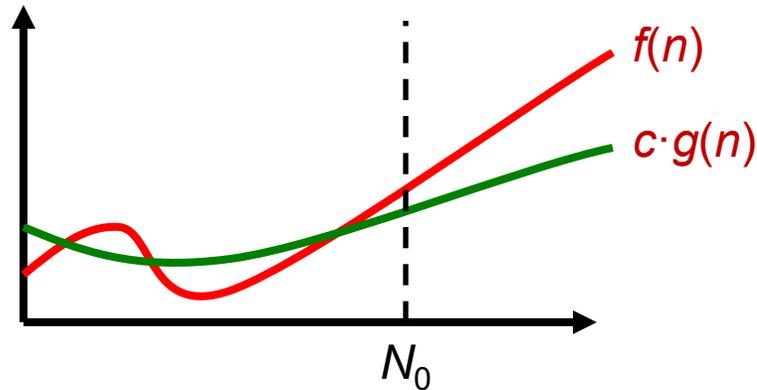
**Theorem**  $\text{poly}(n) \cdot a^n = O(b^n)$  for all  $1 \leq a < b$

# $\Omega$ –notation (capital Omega)

**Definition:**  $f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$

if  $f(n)$  and  $g(n)$  are functions  $N \rightarrow R$  and  
there exist constants  $c > 0$  and  $N_0$  such that for all  $n \geq N_0$  :

$$f(n) \geq c \cdot g(n)$$

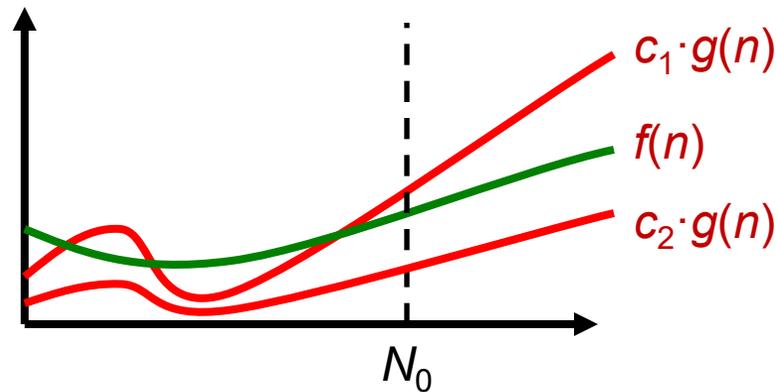


Intuitively:  $f(n)$  is "larger than or equal to"  $g(n)$ , or  $g(n)$  is "dominated by"  $f(n)$

# $\Theta$ -notation (Theta)

**Definition:**  $f(n) = \Theta(g(n))$

if  $f(n) = O(g(n))$  and  $f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$



Intuitively:  $f(n)$  and  $g(n)$  are "asymptotical identical"

# o-notation (small o/omicron)

**Definition:**  $f(n) = o(g(n))$

if  $f(n)$  and  $g(n)$  are functions  $N \rightarrow R$  and

**for all**  $c > 0$ , there exists and  $N_0$  such that *for all*  $n \geq N_0$  :

$$f(n) \leq c \cdot g(n)$$

Intuitively:  $f(n)$  is "strictly smaller than"  $g(n)$

# $\omega$ -notation (small omega)

**Definition:**  $f(n) = \omega(g(n))$

if  $f(n)$  and  $g(n)$  are functions  $N \rightarrow R$  and

**for all**  $c > 0$ , there exists an  $N_0$  such that *for all*  $n \geq N_0$  :

$$f(n) \geq c \cdot g(n)$$

Intuitively:  $f(n)$  is "strictly larger than"  $g(n)$

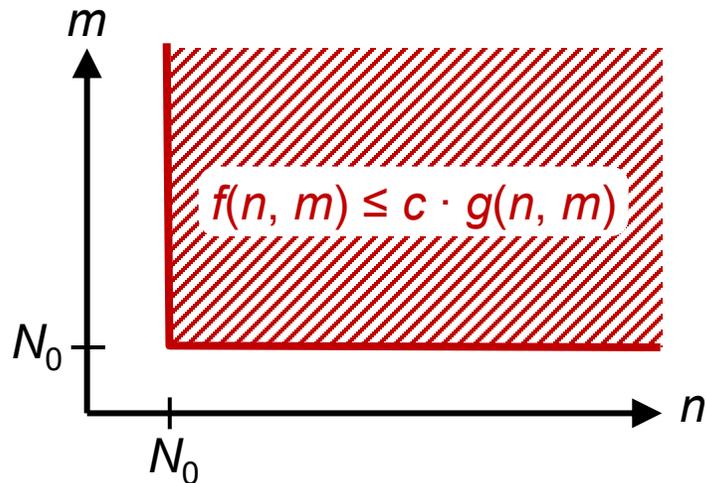
# Multi-variable O-notation

We would like to be able to write

$$3n^2 \cdot m + 7n \cdot m = O(n^2 \cdot m)$$

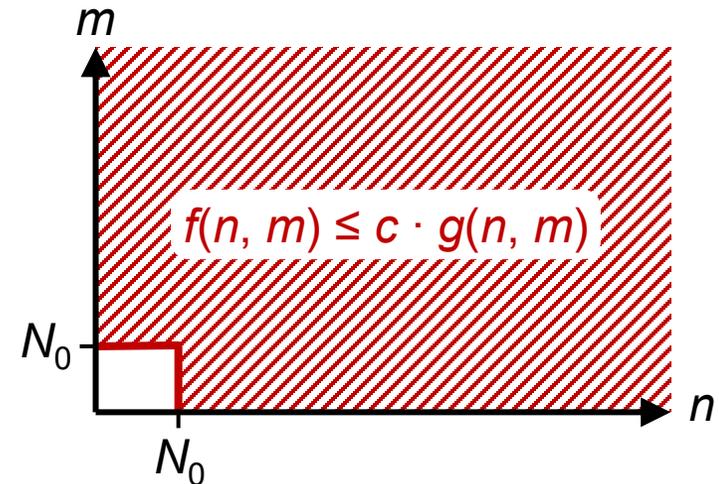
The literature is not precise/consistent...

$$f(n, m) = O(g(n, m)) \text{ ?}$$



$$\exists c \exists N_0 \forall n \forall m: n \geq N_0 \wedge m \geq N_0 \Rightarrow f(n, m) \leq c \cdot g(n, m)$$

or  
?



$$\exists c \exists N_0 \forall n \forall m: n \geq N_0 \vee m \geq N_0 \Rightarrow f(n, m) \leq c \cdot g(n, m)$$

# Algorithm Analysis

- RAM model
- O-notation

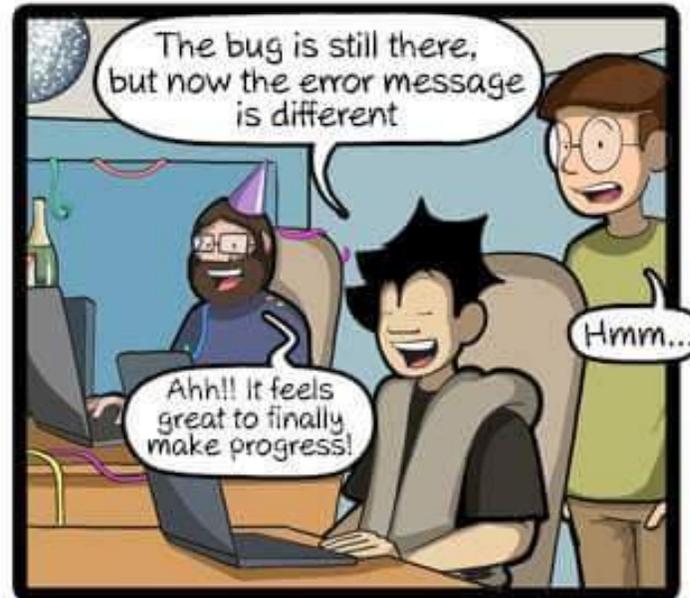
... do not need to describe and analyze algorithms in full detail !

# **Algorithms and Data Structures**

Programming exercises

# Programming exercises

- See Brightspace for links to the exercises
- Approximately 14 days to solve the exercises
- Don't copy from others or let an AI assistant solve your exercises
- Usernames and passwords will be available at Brightspace > Grades
- Status of submitted solutions: [domjudge.cs.au.dk](http://domjudge.cs.au.dk)
- Submitting a wrong solution after having submitted a correct solution does not remove the points
- For each round of programming exercises is stated "Full points  $X / Y$ ", and a round is passed when you achieve at least  $X$  points



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# **Algorithms and Data Structures**

Merge-Sort [CLRS, Chapter 2.3]

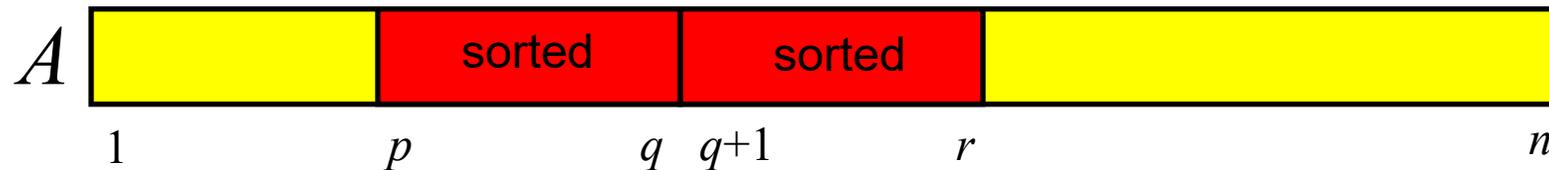
Heaps [CLRS, Chapter 6]

# Merge-Sort

(example of the divide-and-conquer technique)

MERGE-SORT( $A, p, r$ )

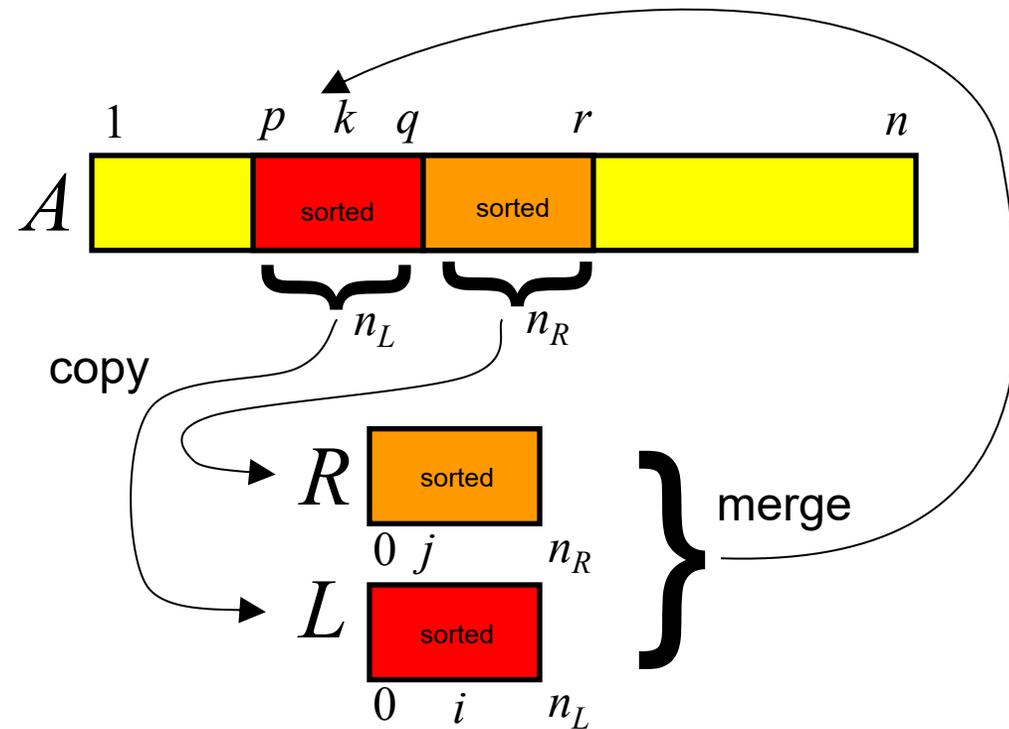
```
1  if  $p \geq r$                                 // zero or one element?
2      return
3   $q = \lfloor (p + r) / 2 \rfloor$                     // midpoint of  $A[p : r]$ 
4  MERGE-SORT( $A, p, q$ )                          // recursively sort  $A[p : q]$ 
5  MERGE-SORT( $A, q + 1, r$ )                      // recursively sort  $A[q + 1 : r]$ 
6  // Merge  $A[p : q]$  and  $A[q + 1 : r]$  into  $A[p : r]$ .
7  MERGE( $A, p, q, r$ )
```



Initial call is MERGE-SORT( $A, 1, n$ )

MERGE( $A, p, q, r$ )

```
1   $n_L = q - p + 1$       // length of  $A[p : q]$ 
2   $n_R = r - q$          // length of  $A[q + 1 : r]$ 
3  let  $L[0 : n_L - 1]$  and  $R[0 : n_R - 1]$  be new arrays
4  for  $i = 0$  to  $n_L - 1$  // copy  $A[p : q]$  into  $L[0 : n_L - 1]$ 
5       $L[i] = A[p + i]$ 
6  for  $j = 0$  to  $n_R - 1$  // copy  $A[q + 1 : r]$  into  $R[0 : n_R - 1]$ 
7       $R[j] = A[q + j + 1]$ 
8   $i = 0$                 //  $i$  indexes the smallest remaining element in  $L$ 
9   $j = 0$                 //  $j$  indexes the smallest remaining element in  $R$ 
10  $k = p$                 //  $k$  indexes the location in  $A$  to fill
11 // As long as each of the arrays  $L$  and  $R$  contains an unmerged element,
12 //   copy the smallest unmerged element back into  $A[p : r]$ .
13 while  $i < n_L$  and  $j < n_R$ 
14     if  $L[i] \leq R[j]$ 
15          $A[k] = L[i]$ 
16          $i = i + 1$ 
17     else  $A[k] = R[j]$ 
18          $j = j + 1$ 
19      $k = k + 1$ 
19 // Having gone through one of  $L$  and  $R$  entirely, copy the
20 //   remainder of the other to the end of  $A[p : r]$ .
21 while  $i < n_L$ 
22      $A[k] = L[i]$ 
23      $i = i + 1$ 
24      $k = k + 1$ 
24 while  $j < n_R$ 
25      $A[k] = R[j]$ 
26      $j = j + 1$ 
27      $k = k + 1$ 
```

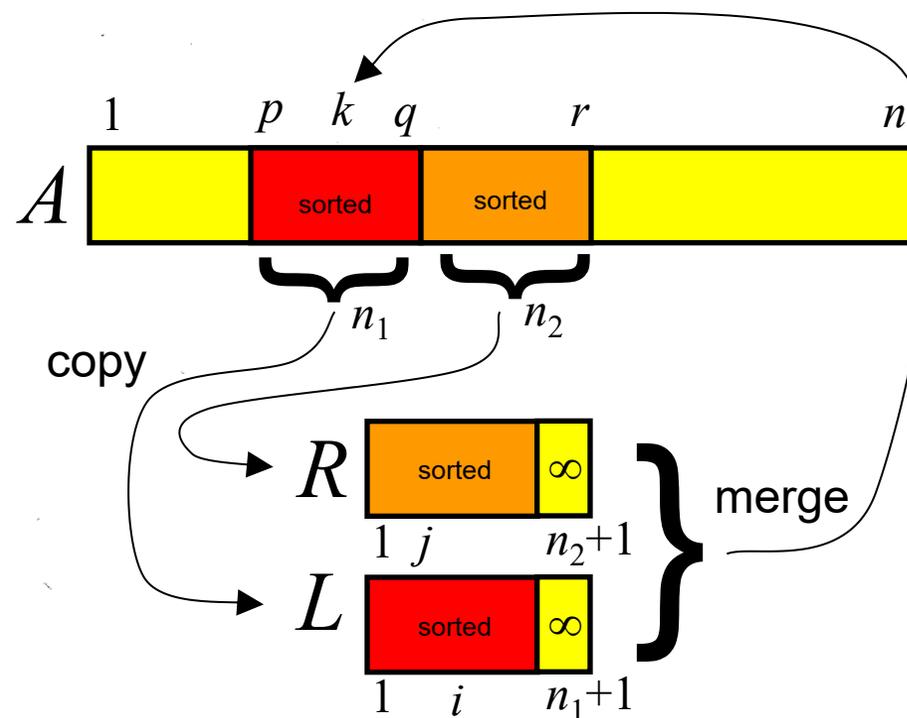


MERGE( $A, p, q, r$ )

```

1   $n_1 = q - p + 1$ 
2   $n_2 = r - q$ 
3  let  $L[1..n_1 + 1]$  and  $R[1..n_2 + 1]$  be new arrays
4  for  $i = 1$  to  $n_1$ 
5       $L[i] = A[p + i - 1]$ 
6  for  $j = 1$  to  $n_2$ 
7       $R[j] = A[q + j]$ 
8   $L[n_1 + 1] = \infty$ 
9   $R[n_2 + 1] = \infty$ 
10  $i = 1$ 
11  $j = 1$ 
12 for  $k = p$  to  $r$ 
13     if  $L[i] \leq R[j]$ 
14          $A[k] = L[i]$ 
15          $i = i + 1$ 
16     else  $A[k] = R[j]$ 
17          $j = j + 1$ 

```



# How many times can an element $y$ be compared ? (worst-case)

a)  $O(\log n)$



b)  $O(n)$

c)  $O(n \log n)$

d)  $O(n^2)$

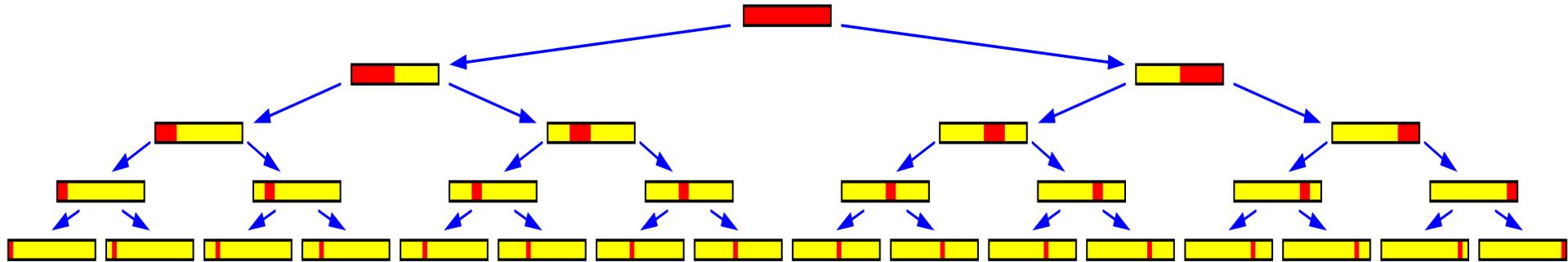
e) Don't know

```
MERGE-SORT( $A, p, r$ )
1  if  $p \geq r$  // zero or one element?
2      return
3   $q = \lfloor (p + r)/2 \rfloor$  // midpoint of  $A[p:r]$ 
4  MERGE-SORT( $A, p, q$ ) // recursively sort  $A[p:q]$ 
5  MERGE-SORT( $A, q + 1, r$ ) // recursively sort  $A[q + 1:r]$ 
6  // Merge  $A[p:q]$  and  $A[q + 1:r]$  into  $A[p:r]$ .
7  MERGE( $A, p, q, r$ )
```



# Merge-Sort : Analysis

## Recursion tree



**Observation** : Total work per level in the tree is  $O(n)$

**Total work** :  $O(n \cdot \# \text{ levels}) = O(n \cdot \log_2 n)$

MERGE-SORT( $A, p, r$ )

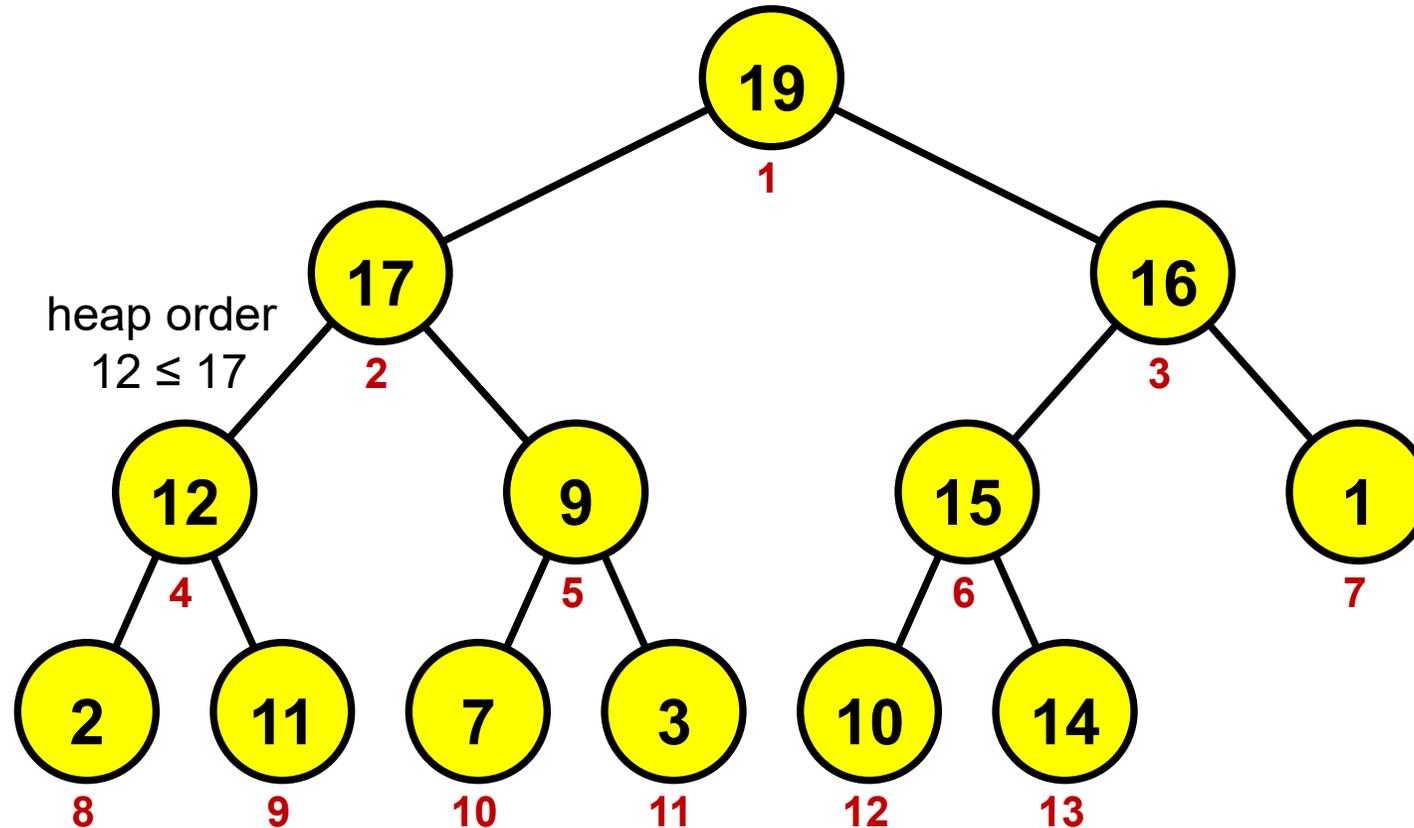
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```



	# procedure calls	# element movements	# comparisons
a)	$O(\log n)$	$O(n)$	$O(n \log n)$
b)	$O(\log n)$	$O(n \log n)$	$O(n \log n)$
c)	$O(n)$	$O(n)$	$O(n \log n)$
d)	$O(n)$	$O(n \log n)$	$O(n \log n)$
e)	$O(n \log n)$	$O(n \log n)$	$O(n \log n)$
f)		Don't know	

# Heap-Sort

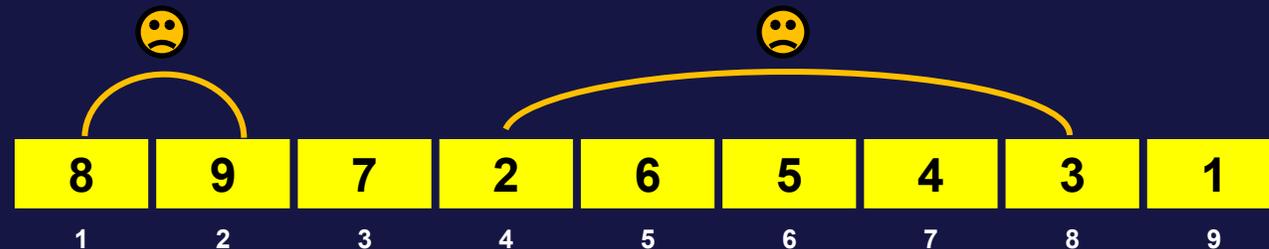
# Binary (Max-)Heap



19	17	16	12	9	15	1	2	11	7	3	10	14
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13

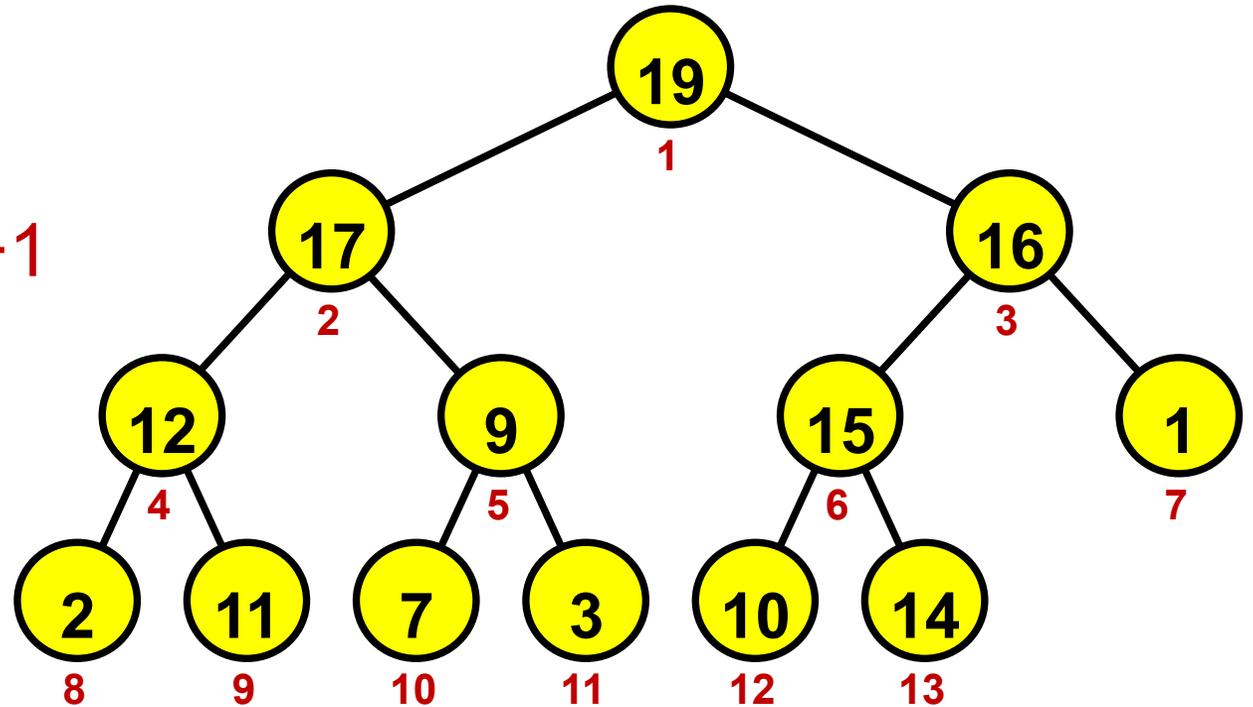
# Valid Max-Heap ?

- a) Yes
- b) No – 1 element does not satisfy heap order
-  c) No – 2 elements do not satisfy heap order
- d) No – 3 elements do not satisfy heap order
- e) No – 4 elements do not satisfy heap order
- f) Don't know



# Max-heap : Properties

- Root : node 1
- Children of node  $i$  :  $2i$  and  $2i+1$
- Parent of node  $i$  :  $\lfloor i/2 \rfloor$
- Depth :  $1 + \lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor$   
(  $n = \#$  elements)

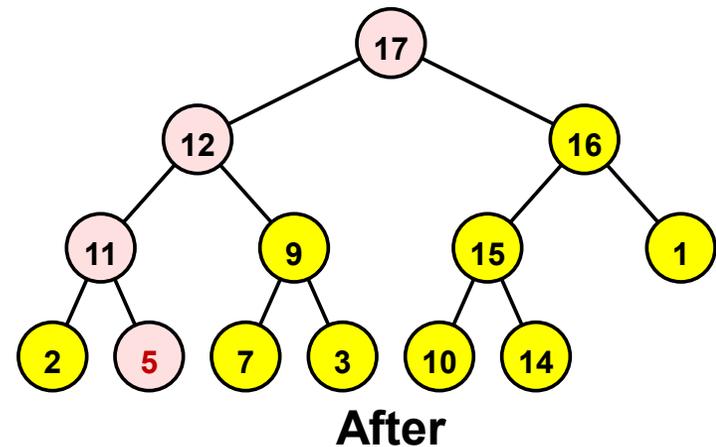
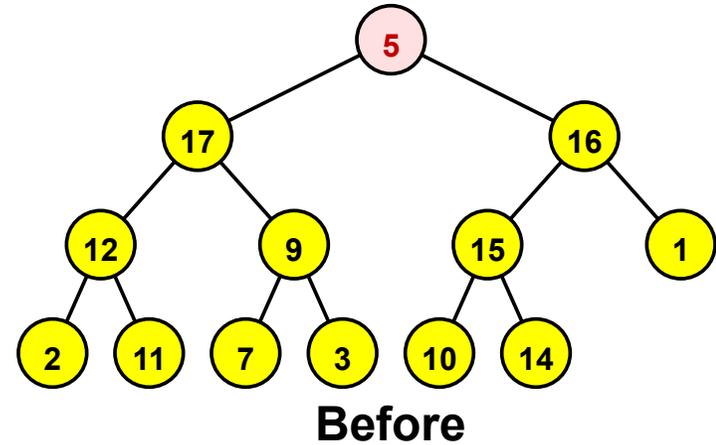


( **Exercise** How to compute parent/children when nodes are numbered 0,1,2,...? )

# Max-Heapify

MAX-HEAPIFY( $A, i$ )

```
1   $l = \text{LEFT}(i)$ 
2   $r = \text{RIGHT}(i)$ 
3  if  $l \leq A.\text{heap-size}$  and  $A[l] > A[i]$ 
4       $largest = l$ 
5  else  $largest = i$ 
6  if  $r \leq A.\text{heap-size}$  and  $A[r] > A[largest]$ 
7       $largest = r$ 
8  if  $largest \neq i$ 
9      exchange  $A[i]$  with  $A[largest]$ 
10     MAX-HEAPIFY( $A, largest$ )
```

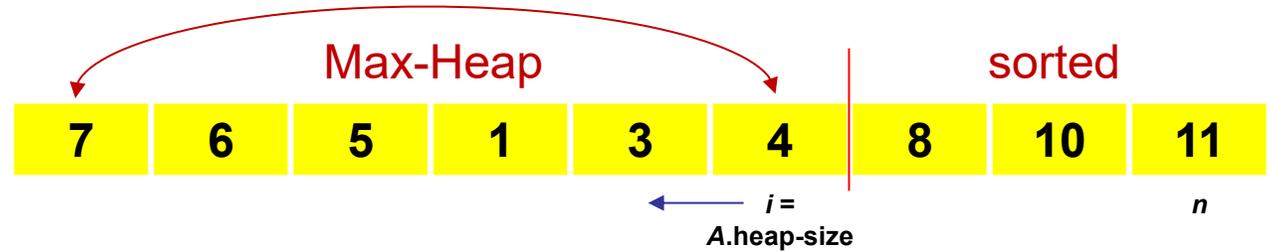


**Time  $O(\log n)$**

# Heap-Sort

BUILD-MAX-HEAP( $A, n$ ) **Floyd, 1964**

```
1  $A.heap-size = n$ 
2 for  $i = \lfloor n/2 \rfloor$  downto 1
3   MAX-HEAPIFY( $A, i$ )
```



HEAPSORT( $A, n$ ) **Williams, 1964**

```
1 BUILD-MAX-HEAP( $A, n$ )
2 for  $i = n$  downto 2
3   exchange  $A[1]$  with  $A[i]$ 
4    $A.heap-size = A.heap-size - 1$ 
5   MAX-HEAPIFY( $A, 1$ )
```

**Time**  
 $O(n \cdot \log n)$

# Result of applying Build-Max-Heap ?

Input

1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6

a) 

6	5	4	3	2	1
1	2	3	4	5	6



b) 

6	5	3	4	2	1
1	2	3	4	5	6

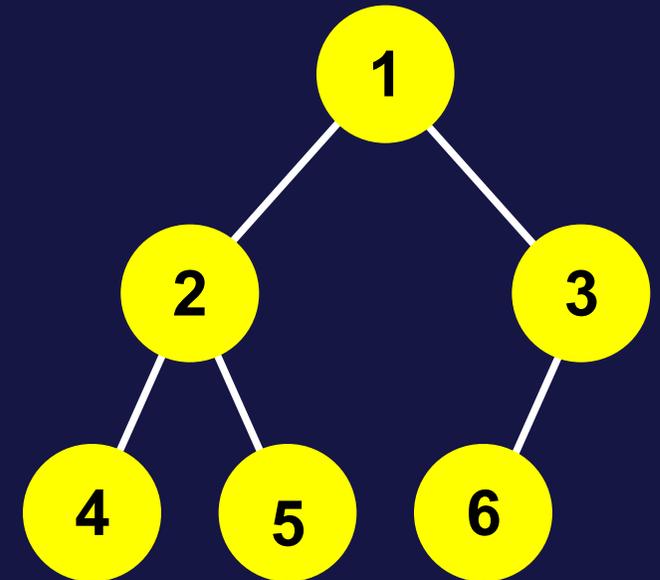
c) 

6	5	4	1	2	3
1	2	3	4	5	6

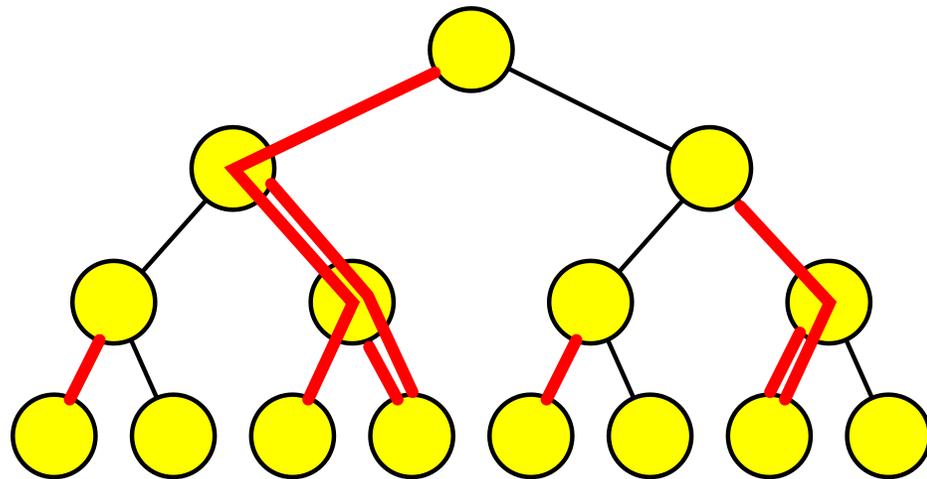
d) 

6	5	1	4	2	3
1	2	3	4	5	6

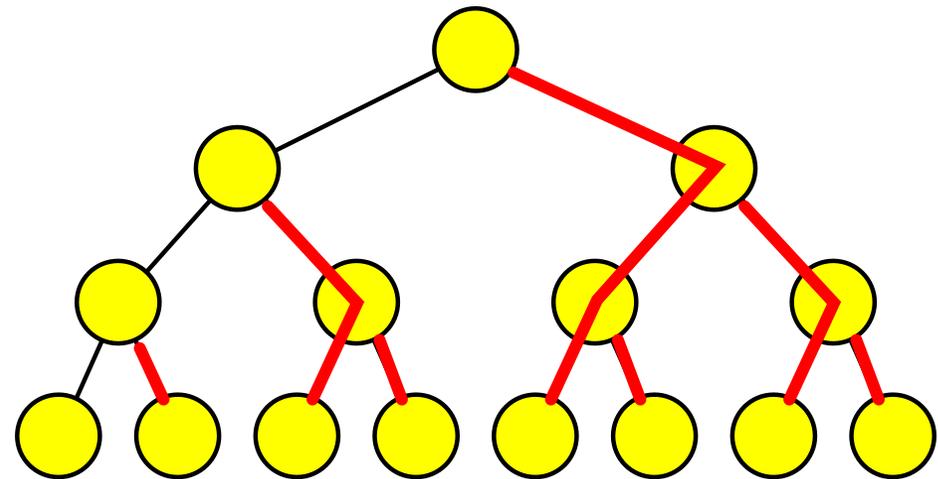
e) Don't know



# Build-Max-Heap



Max-Heapify paths (example)



Non-overlapping paths with same # edges (right, left, left, left, ....)

Time for Build-Max-Heap  
 =  $\sum$  time for Max-Heapify  
 = **# red edges**

$\leq$  **# red edges**  
 =  $n - \text{depth}$   
 =  $O(n)$

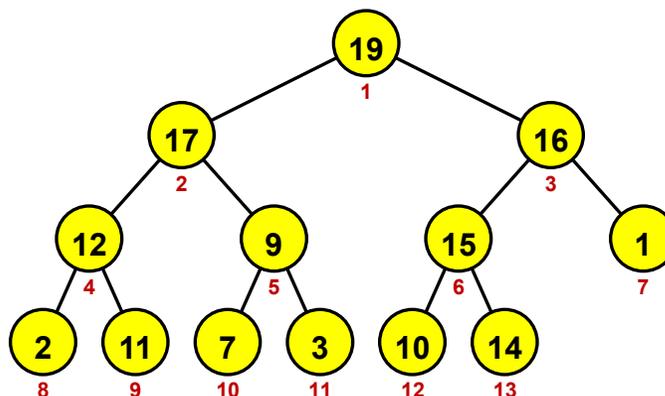
**Time  $O(n)$**

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\log n} i \frac{n}{2^i} \leq 2n$$

# Sorting algorithms

Algorithm	Worst-Case Time
Heap-Sort Merge-Sort	$O(n \cdot \log n)$
Selection-Sort Insertion-Sort	$O(n^2)$

# Max-Heap operations



HEAP-MAXIMUM( $A$ )

1 **return**  $A[1]$

HEAP-EXTRACT-MAX( $A$ )

```

1 if  $A.heap-size < 1$ 
2     error "heap underflow"
3  $max = A[1]$ 
4  $A[1] = A[A.heap-size]$ 
5  $A.heap-size = A.heap-size - 1$ 
6 MAX-HEAPIFY( $A, 1$ )
7 return  $max$ 

```

MAX-HEAP-INSERT( $A, key$ )

```

1  $A.heap-size = A.heap-size + 1$ 
2  $A[A.heap-size] = -\infty$ 
3 HEAP-INCREASE-KEY( $A, A.heap-size, key$ )

```

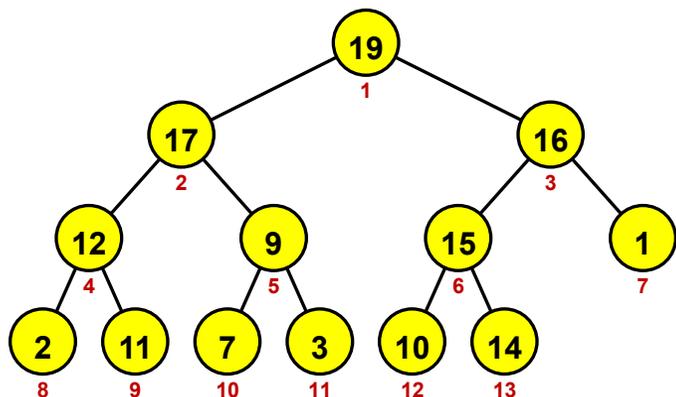
HEAP-INCREASE-KEY( $A, i, key$ )

```

1 if  $key < A[i]$ 
2     error "new key is smaller than current key"
3  $A[i] = key$ 
4 while  $i > 1$  and  $A[PARENT(i)] < A[i]$ 
5     exchange  $A[i]$  with  $A[PARENT(i)]$ 
6      $i = PARENT(i)$ 

```

# Max-Heap operations



MAX-HEAP-MAXIMUM( $A$ )

```

1  if  $A.heap-size < 1$ 
2      error "heap underflow"
3  return  $A[1]$ 

```

MAX-HEAP-EXTRACT-MAX( $A$ )

```

1   $max = \text{MAX-HEAP-MAXIMUM}(A)$ 
2   $A[1] = A[A.heap-size]$ 
3   $A.heap-size = A.heap-size - 1$ 
4   $\text{MAX-HEAPIFY}(A, 1)$ 
5  return  $max$ 

```

MAX-HEAP-INSERT( $A, x, n$ )

```

1  if  $A.heap-size == n$ 
2      error "heap overflow"
3   $A.heap-size = A.heap-size + 1$ 
4   $k = x.key$ 
5   $x.key = -\infty$ 
6   $A[A.heap-size] = x$ 
7  map  $x$  to index  $heap-size$  in the array
8   $\text{MAX-HEAP-INCREASE-KEY}(A, x, k)$ 

```

MAX-HEAP-INCREASE-KEY( $A, x, k$ )

```

1  if  $k < x.key$ 
2      error "new key is smaller than current key"
3   $x.key = k$ 
4  find the index  $i$  in array  $A$  where object  $x$  occurs
5  while  $i > 1$  and  $A[\text{PARENT}(i)].key < A[i].key$ 
6      exchange  $A[i]$  with  $A[\text{PARENT}(i)]$ , updating the information that maps
7      priority queue objects to array indices
8       $i = \text{PARENT}(i)$ 

```

New interface to INCREASE-KEY :  
An "object" instead of an index –  
needs a secondary structure  
(map) to keep track of where  
elements are in the heap

# Max-Heap operations

Operation	Worst-Case Time
Max-Heap-Insert	$O(\log n)$
Max-Heap-Extract-Max	
Max-Heap-Increase-Key	
Max-Heap-Maximum	$O(1)$

$n$  = current number of elements in the heap

# Priority queue

A **priority queue** is an **abstract data structure** to store a set of **values** with associated **keys** and supporting the following operations:

- **Insert**( $S, x$ )
- **Maximum**( $S$ )
- **Extract-Max**( $S$ )

Maximum is with respect to the associated keys.

A **possible implementation** of a priority queue is a **heap**.

# **Algorithms and Data Structures**

Quicksort  
[CLRS, Chapter 7]

# Probability theory background?

- a) None
- b) High school
- c) High school + University
- d) University
- e) Somewhere else
- f) Don't know



head (en)  
plat (dk)



tail (en)  
krone (dk)

Probability for tail when flipping a coin  
 $\frac{1}{2}$

# *Experiment*

## Throw a coin

- a) Head
- b) Tail
- c) Edgeways
- d) No coin



# Experiment

## Number of throws before getting tail ?



- a) 1
- b) 2
- c) 3
- d) 4
- e) 5
- f) 6
- g) 7
- h) 8
- i) 9 or more

### Theorem

Expected number of throws to get tail = 2

### Proof

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} i \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{i-1} \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} i \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^i = 2$$

# throws  
probability  $i - 1$  first throws show head  
probability  $i^{\text{th}}$  throw shows tail

□

Generalization to tail probability  $p$ :

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} i \cdot (1-p)^{i-1} \cdot p = \frac{1}{p}$$



# Quicksort

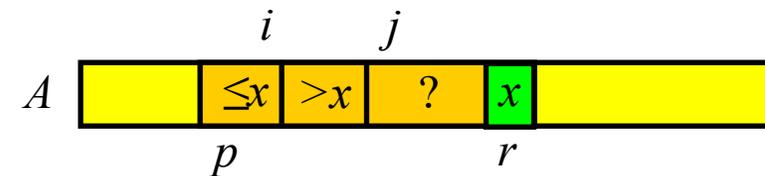
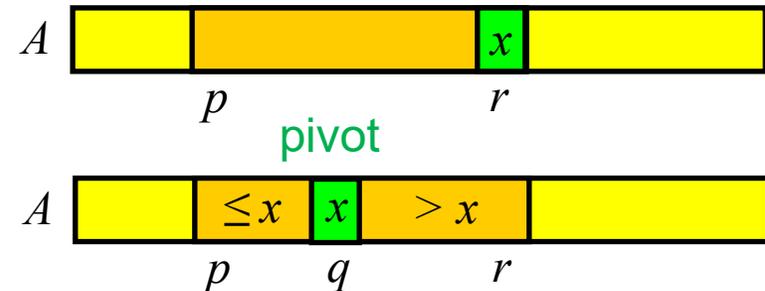
Sort  $A[p..r]$

QUICKSORT( $A, p, r$ )

```
1  if  $p < r$ 
2      // Partition the subarray around the pivot, which ends up in  $A[q]$ 
3       $q = \text{PARTITION}(A, p, r)$ 
4      QUICKSORT( $A, p, q - 1$ ) // recursively sort the low side
5      QUICKSORT( $A, q + 1, r$ ) // recursively sort the high side
```

PARTITION( $A, p, r$ )

```
1   $x = A[r]$  // the pivot
2   $i = p - 1$  // highest index into the low side
3  for  $j = p$  to  $r - 1$  // process each element other than the pivot
4      if  $A[j] \leq x$  // does this element belong on the low side?
5           $i = i + 1$  // index of a new slot in the low side
6          exchange  $A[i]$  with  $A[j]$  // put this element there
7  exchange  $A[i + 1]$  with  $A[r]$  // pivot goes just to the right of the low side
8  return  $i + 1$  // new index of the pivot
```



Worst-case time  $O(n^2)$

# Quicksort on 23 elements

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
18	10	5	4	20	11	22	15	3	17	14	16	19	8	6	21	7	13	9	12	23	2	1

1	10	5	4	20	11	22	15	3	17	14	16	19	8	6	21	7	13	9	12	23	2	18
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10	5	4	11	15	3	17	14	16	8	6	7	13	9	12	2	18	20	21	23	19	22
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2	5	4	11	15	3	17	14	16	8	6	7	13	9	12	10	20	21	19	22	23
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5	4	3	8	6	7	9	10	15	11	17	13	14	12	16	19	21	20	23
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5	4	3	8	6	7	9	15	11	13	14	12	16	17	20	21
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5	4	3	6	7	8	11	12	13	14	15	17	21
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5	4	3	6	8	11	13	14	15
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3	4	5	13	14
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4	5	13
---	---	----

4
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# Number of calls to Partition ?

```
QUICKSORT( $A, p, r$ )
```

```
1  if  $p < r$ 
```

```
2      // Partition the subarray around the pivot, which ends up in  $A[q]$ 
```

```
3       $q = \text{PARTITION}(A, p, r)$ 
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4      QUICKSORT( $A, p, q - 1$ ) // recursively sort the low side
```

```
5      QUICKSORT( $A, q + 1, r$ ) // recursively sort the high side
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a)  $O(\log n)$



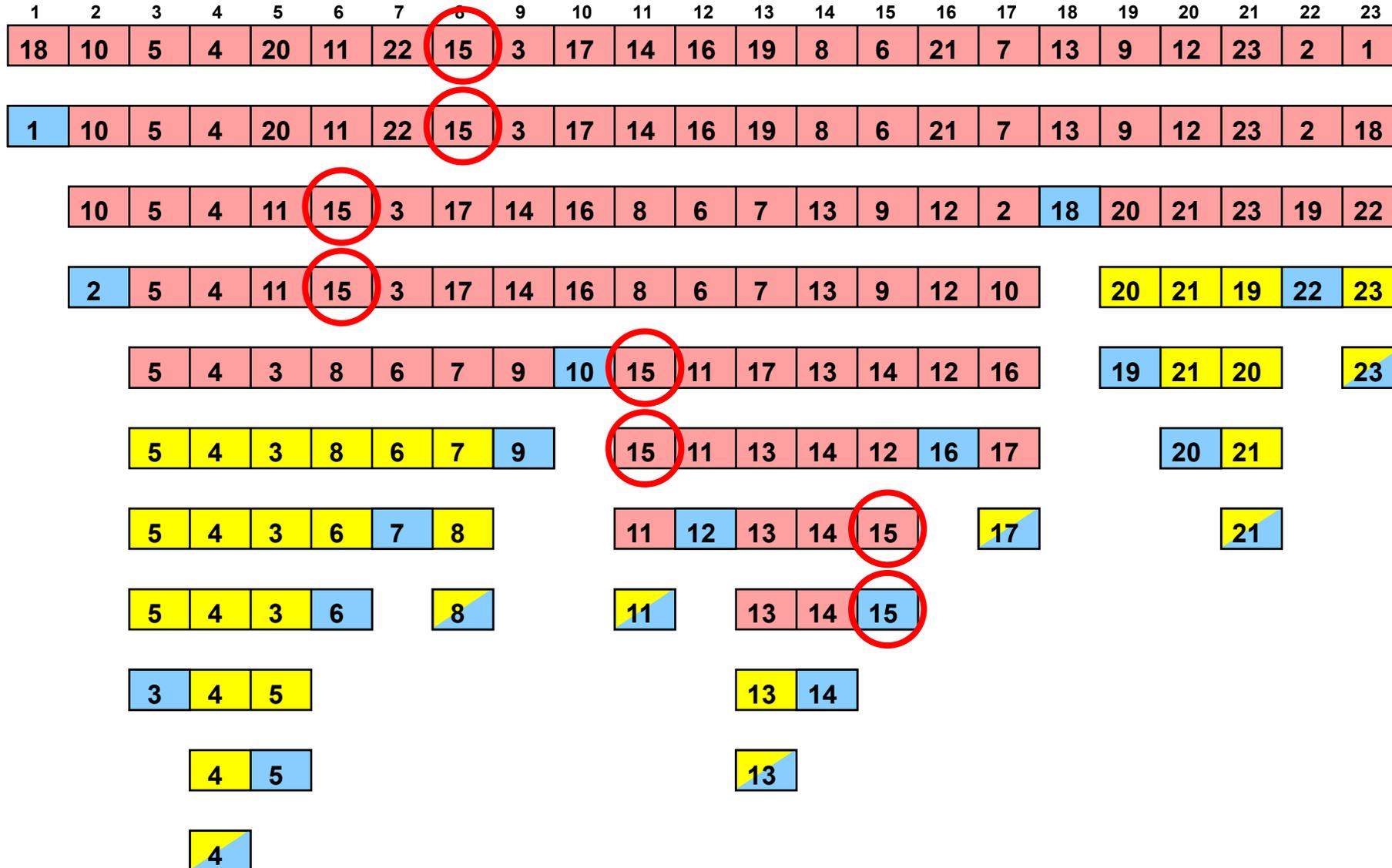
b)  $O(n)$

c)  $O(n \log n)$

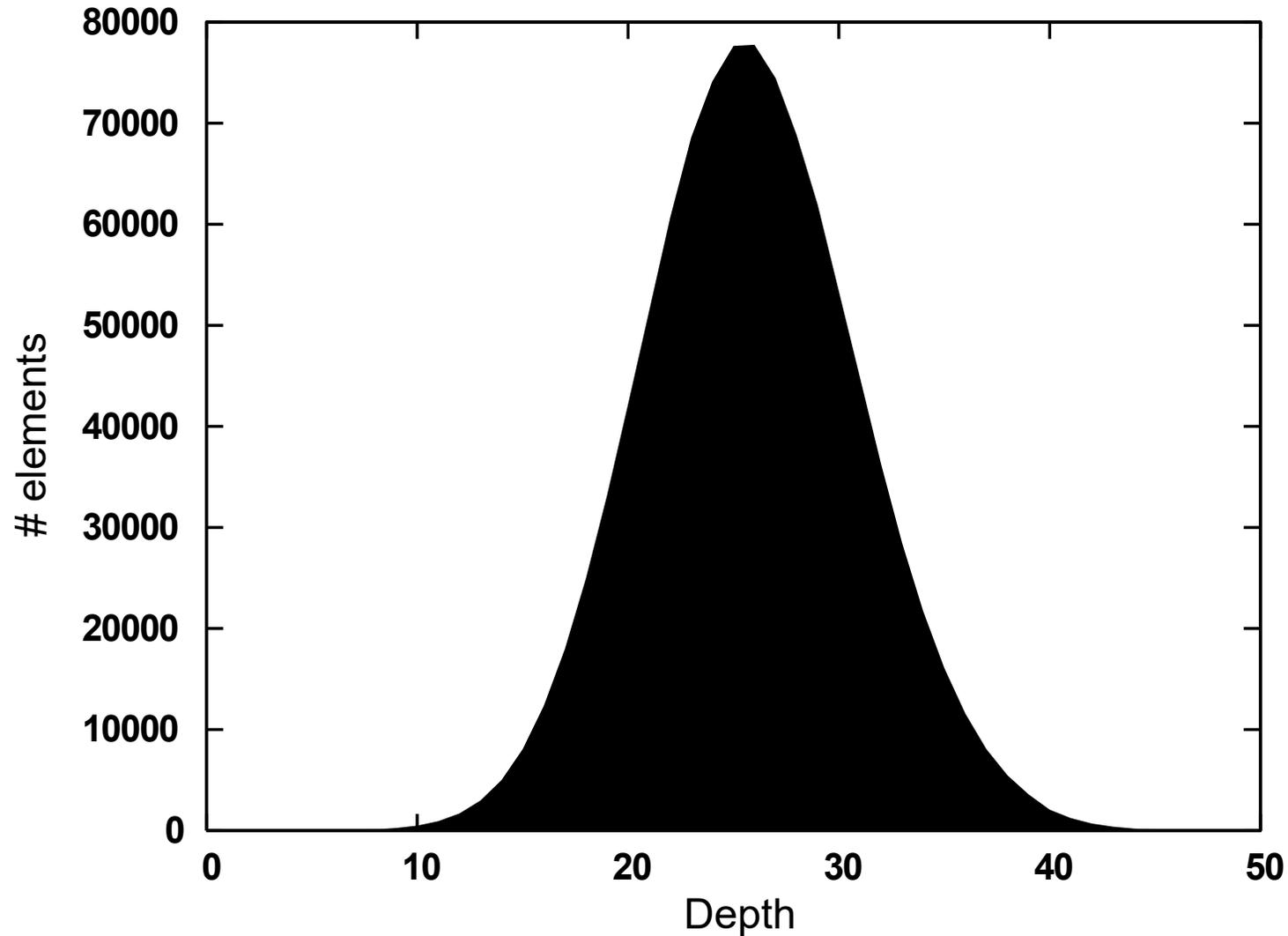
d)  $O(n^2)$

e) Don't know

# Quicksort – recursion for element 15



# Quicksort – depths for an input of size $n \approx 2^{20}$



# Randomized-Quicksort

RANDOMIZED-PARTITION( $A, p, r$ )

- 1  $i = \text{RANDOM}(p, r)$
- 2 exchange  $A[r]$  with  $A[i]$
- 3 **return** PARTITION( $A, p, r$ )

RANDOMIZED-QUICKSORT( $A, p, r$ )

- 1 **if**  $p < r$
- 2      $q = \text{RANDOMIZED-PARTITION}(A, p, r)$
- 3     RANDOMIZED-QUICKSORT( $A, p, q - 1$ )
- 4     RANDOMIZED-QUICKSORT( $A, q + 1, r$ )

Expected time  $O(n \cdot \log n)$

# Expected number of coin-flips before you have seen 3 tails?

- a) None of the below
- b) Don't know
- c) 3
- d) 4
- e) 5
- f) 6
- g) 7
- h) 8
- i) 9



## Theorem

*Expected* number of coin flips  
to get  $k$  tails is  $2k$

# Randomized-Quicksort – analysis



- An array is in level  $j$  if and only if it has  $n(3/4)^{j+1} < \text{length} \leq n(3/4)^j$
- A partition is **good** if both subproblems  $\leq 3/4$  of the elements (i.e., both advance by at least one level) – **probability  $\geq 0.5$**
- $x_i$  expected  $\leq 2$  times in each level (can also skip levels)
- **Expected depth of  $x_i \leq 2 \cdot \log_{4/3} n$**

# Randomized-Quicksort – analysis

Expected time for randomized quicksort

$$= O(\sum_{i=1..n} \text{expected depth of input } x_i)$$

$$= O(\sum_{i=1..n} \log n)$$

$$= O(n \cdot \log n)$$

□

# Sorting algorithms

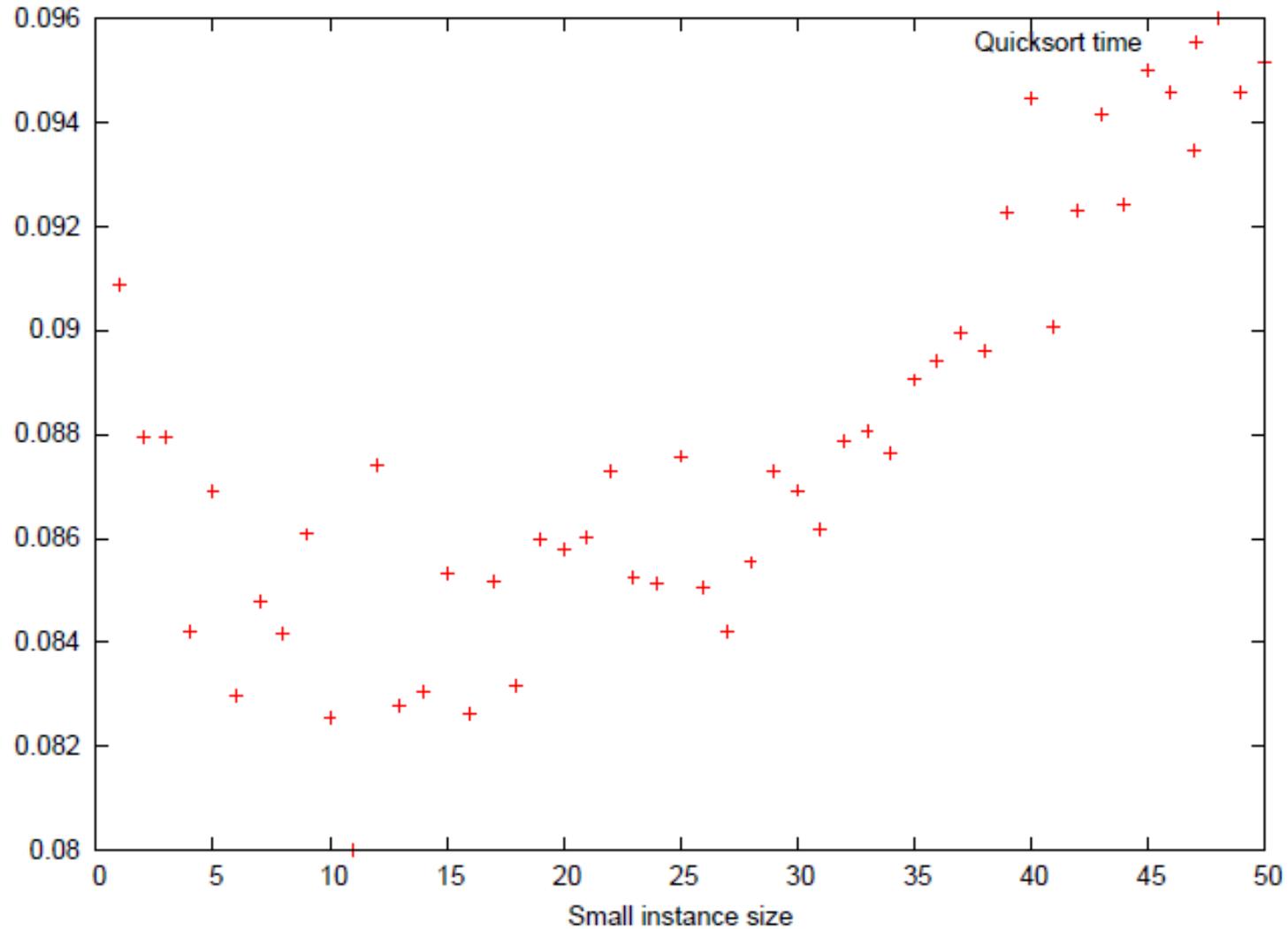
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Algorithm	Expected time
Randomized-Quicksort	$O(n \cdot \log n)$

# **Sorting**

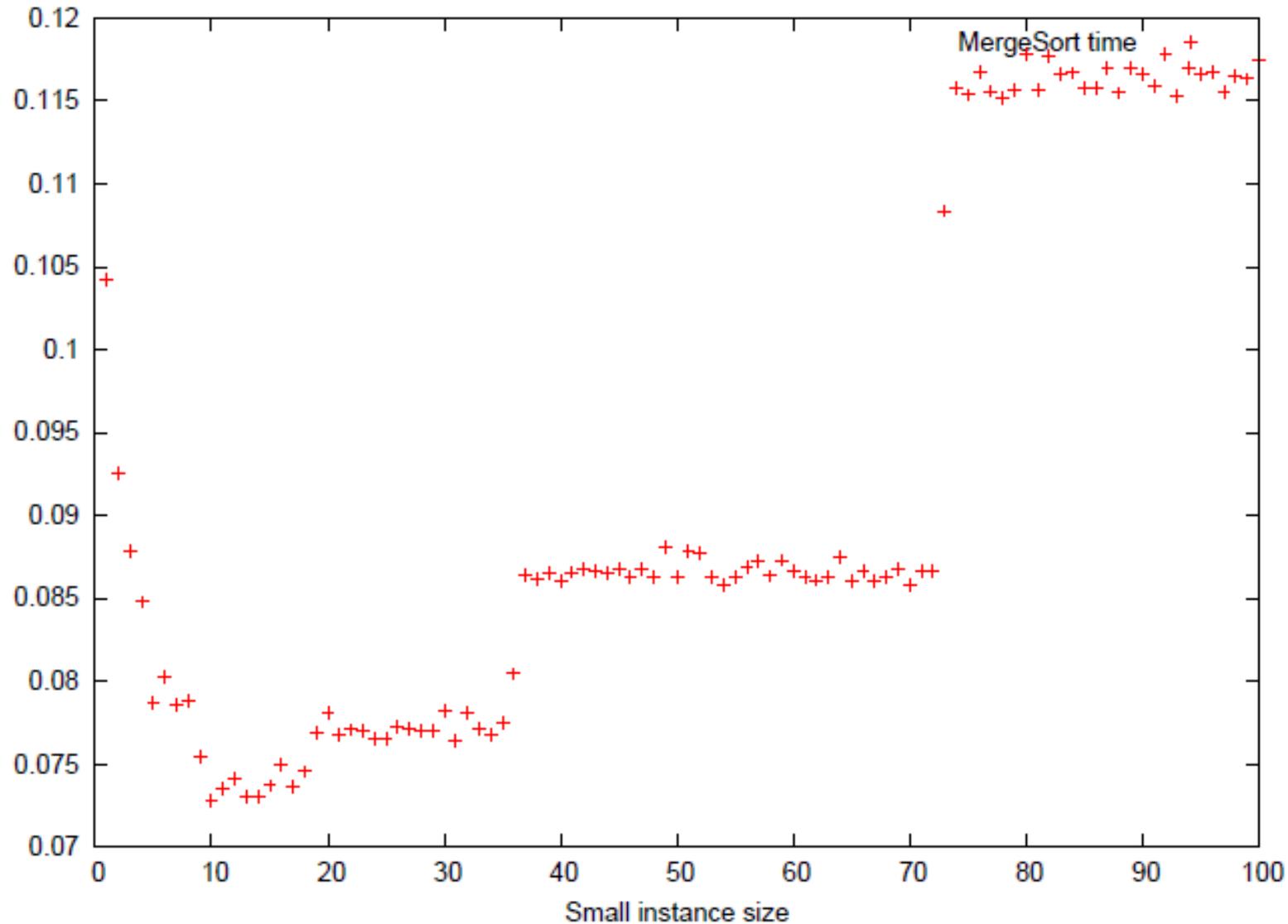
**– some experimental results**

# Quicksort + Insertion-sort



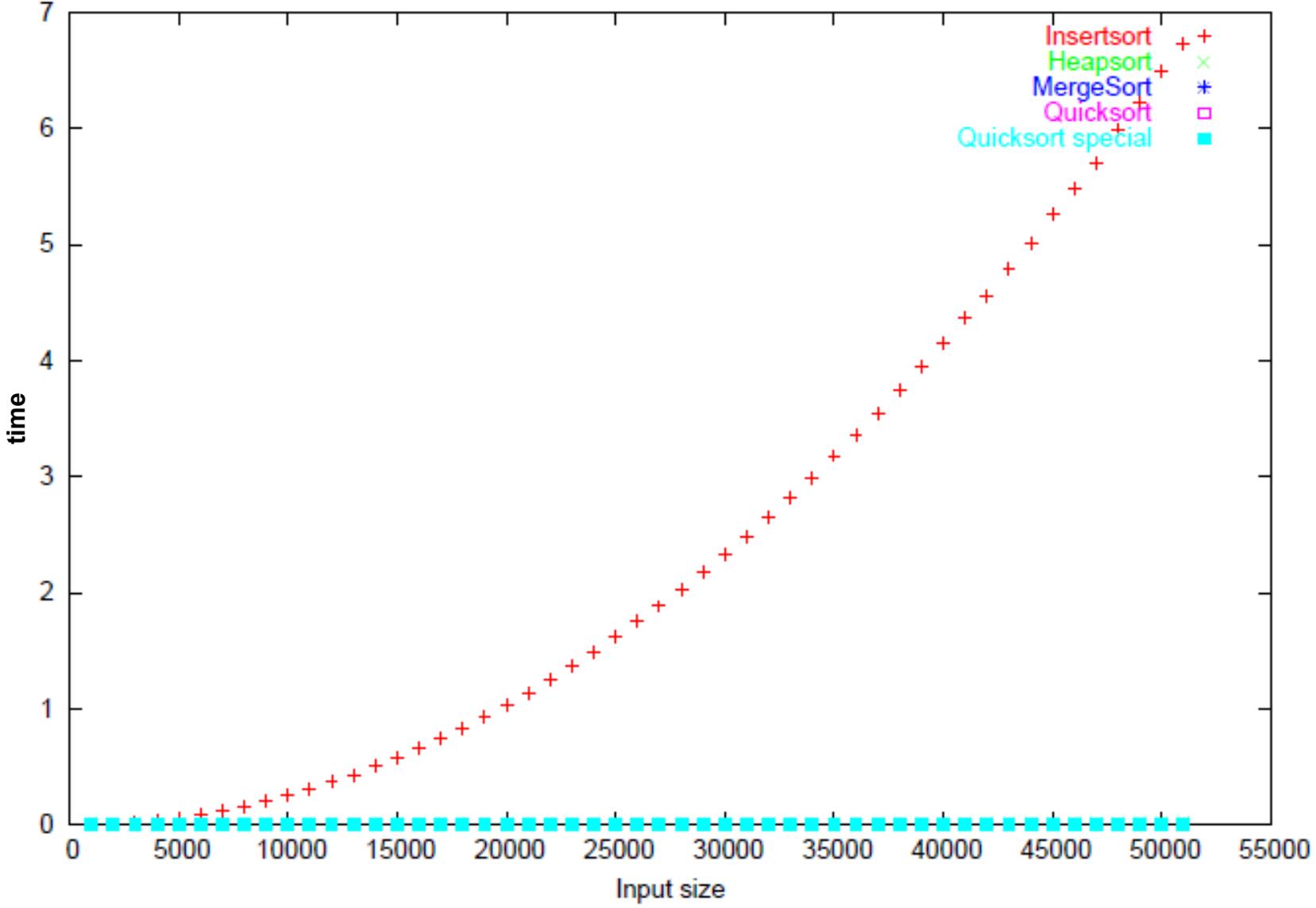
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# Merge-sort + Insertion-sort

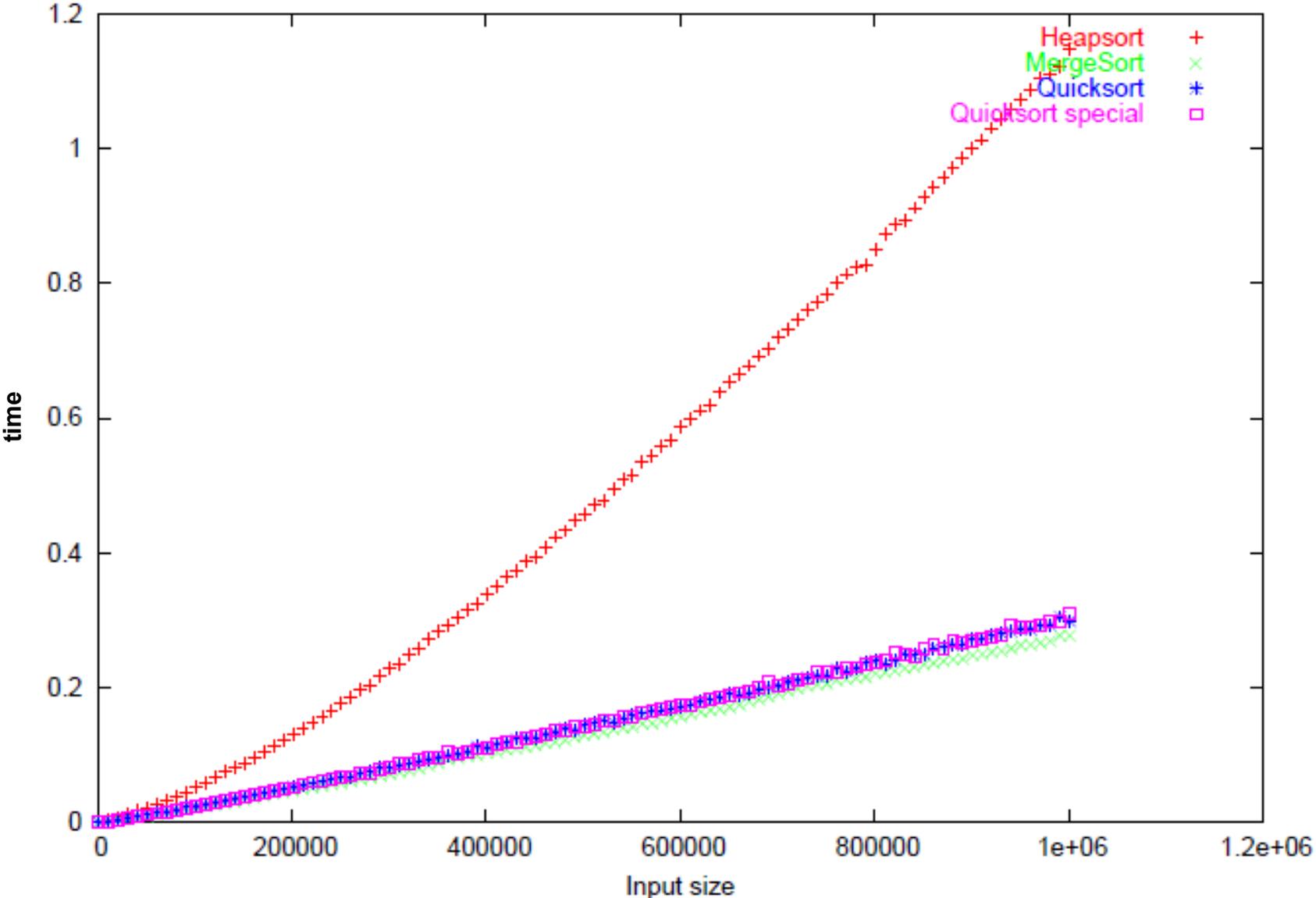


Use **insertion-sort** for small subproblems  $n = 300.000$  random elements

# Sorting algorithms



# Sorting algorithms



# Sorting in practice

Often **QuickSort** is the standard (C, C++, Java)

- Inplace (requires no additional arrays)
- Fast

...with some twists

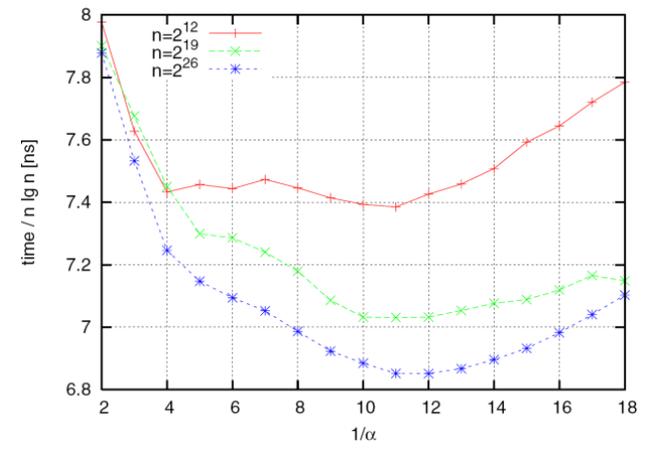
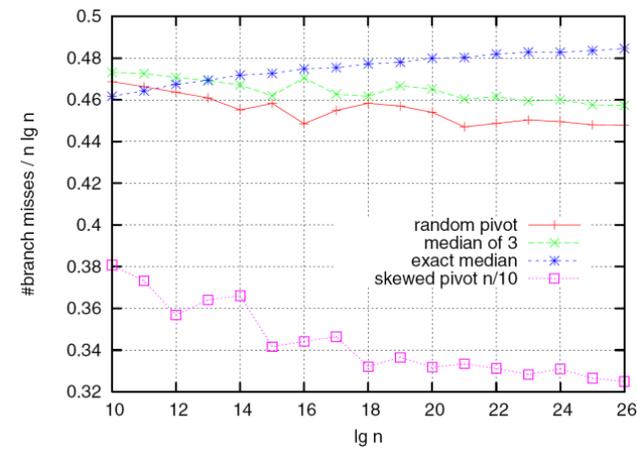
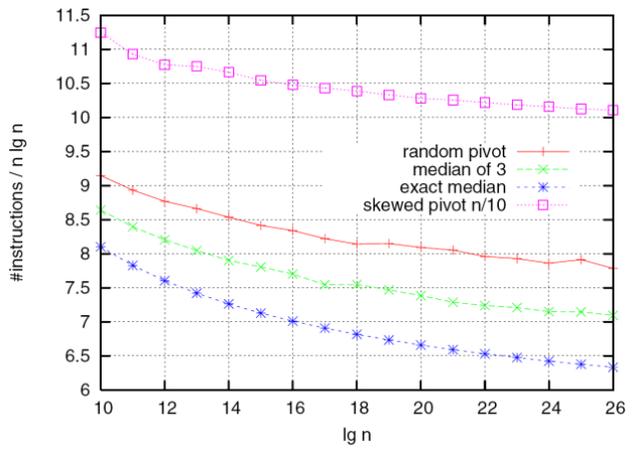
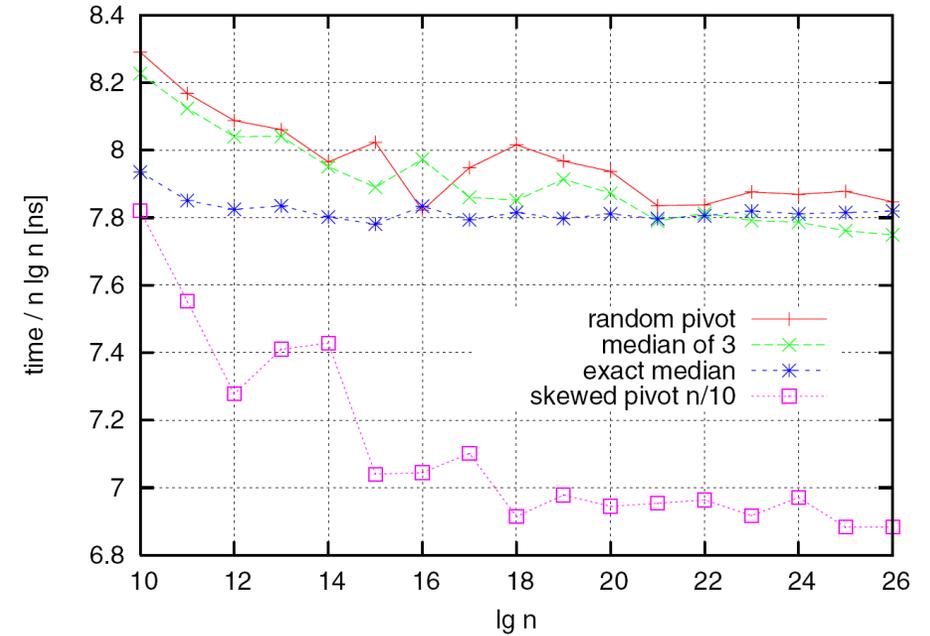
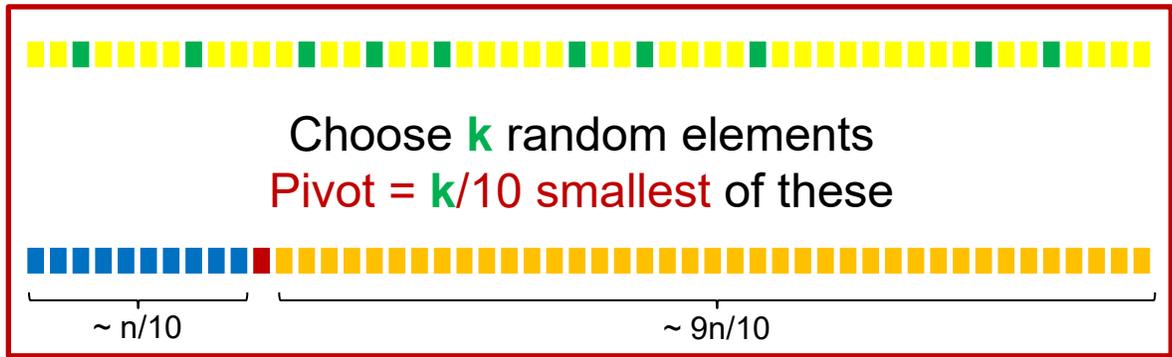
- use **Insertion-Sort** for small subproblems
- use **Merge-Sort** if QuickSort takes too long time
- Select pivot as the median of  $O(1)$  (random) elements

# How Branch Mispredictions Affect Quicksort

Kanela Kaligosi and Peter Sanders

14th Annual European Symposium on Algorithms (ESA 2006)

doi: [10.1007/11841036\\_69](https://doi.org/10.1007/11841036_69)

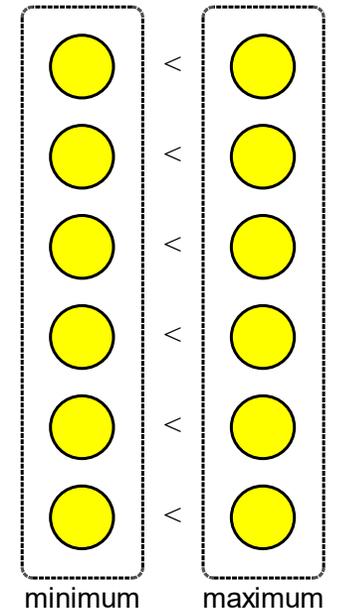


# **Algorithms and Data Structures**

Randomized-select  
[CLRS, Chapter 9.1-9.2]

# Computation of minimum and maximum

- To find the *minimum* (or maximum) of  $n$  elements requires  $n - 1$  comparisons
- To find both *the minimum and the maximum* of  $n$  elements requires  $3/2 \cdot n - 2$  comparisons

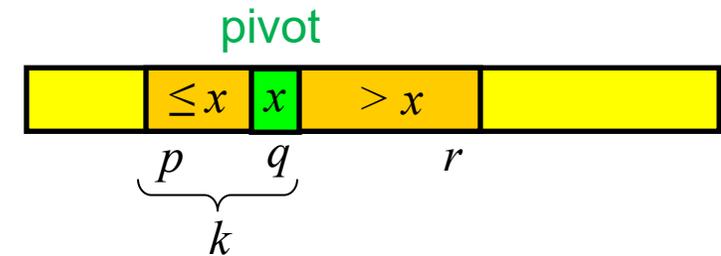


# Randomized-Select

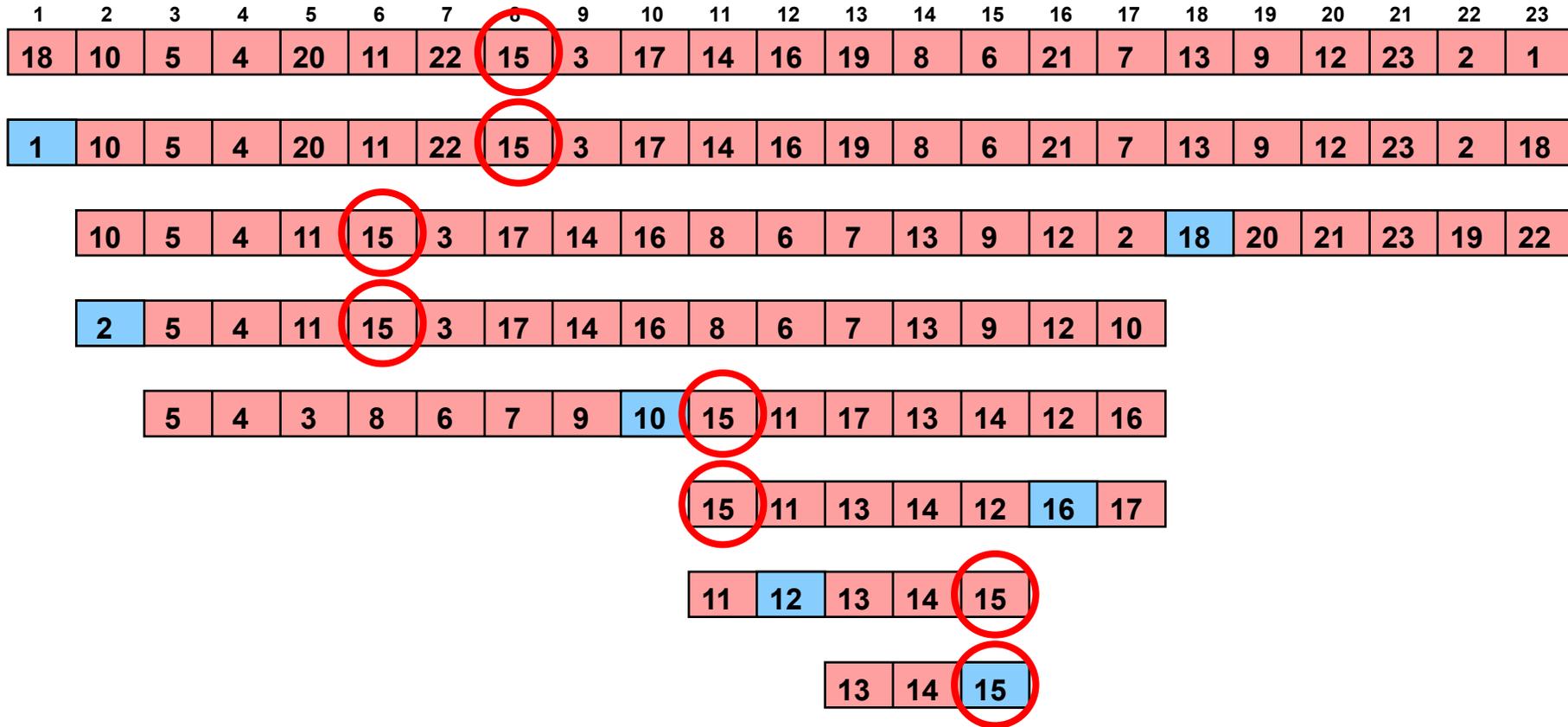
Find the  $i^{\text{th}}$  smallest element in  $A[p..r]$  ( $1 \leq i \leq r-p+1$ )

RANDOMIZED-SELECT( $A, p, r, i$ )

```
1  if  $p == r$ 
2      return  $A[p]$       //  $1 \leq i \leq r - p + 1$  when  $p == r$  means that  $i = 1$ 
3   $q = \text{RANDOMIZED-PARTITION}(A, p, r)$ 
4   $k = q - p + 1$ 
5  if  $i == k$ 
6      return  $A[q]$       // the pivot value is the answer
7  elseif  $i < k$ 
8      return RANDOMIZED-SELECT( $A, p, q - 1, i$ )
9  else return RANDOMIZED-SELECT( $A, q + 1, r, i - k$ )
```



# Randomized-Select 15



# Worst-case time for Randomized-Select ?

```
RANDOMIZED-SELECT( $A, p, r, i$ )
1  if  $p == r$ 
2      return  $A[p]$       //  $1 \leq i \leq r - p + 1$  when  $p == r$  means that  $i = 1$ 
3   $q =$  RANDOMIZED-PARTITION( $A, p, r$ )
4   $k = q - p + 1$ 
5  if  $i == k$ 
6      return  $A[q]$       // the pivot value is the answer
7  elseif  $i < k$ 
8      return RANDOMIZED-SELECT( $A, p, q - 1, i$ )
9  else return RANDOMIZED-SELECT( $A, q + 1, r, i - k$ )
```

- a)  $O(\log n)$
- b)  $O(n)$
- c)  $O(n \log n)$
- d)  $O(n^2)$
- e) Don't know



# Randomized-Select – analysis



**Expected time** for randomized select

$$= O(\sum_j \text{expected time for level } j)$$

$$= O(\sum_j n \cdot (3/4)^j \cdot \text{expected \# arrays in level } j)$$

$$= O(\sum_j n \cdot (3/4)^j \cdot 2) \leftarrow \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} c^i = \frac{1}{1-c} \text{ for } 0 < c < 1$$

$$= \mathbf{O(n)}$$



# Selection

Algorithm	Time
Randomized-Select [CLRS, Chapter 9.2]	$O(n)$ expected $O(n^2)$ worst-case
Deterministic-Select [CLRS, Chapter 9.3]	$O(n)$ worst-case

# **Algorithms and Data Structures**

Lower bound for comparison-based sorting,  
Counting-Sort, Radix-Sort, Bucket-Sort  
[CLRS, Chapter 8]

# Sorting algorithms

(comparison based)

Algorithm	Worst-Case Time
Heap-Sort Merge-Sort	$O(n \cdot \log n)$
Insertion-Sort Quicksort (Deterministic and randomized)	$O(n^2)$

Algorithm	Expected time
Randomized Quicksort	$O(n \cdot \log n)$

# What is a sorting algorithm?

## Deterministic algorithm

- On a given input the algorithm always does the same

## Randomized algorithm

- Algorithm can make random choices
- Execution depends on both input *and* random choices

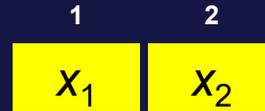
## Output

- a **permutation** of the input

## Comparison based algorithm

- output depends only on the outcome of comparing input

# # comparisons to correctly sort 2 elements ?



- a) No comparisons
-  b) At least 1 comparison
- c) At least 2 comparisons
- d) Don't know

# # comparisons to correctly sort 3 elements ?



- a) No comparisons
- b) At least 1 comparison
- c) At least 2 comparisons
- d) At least 3 comparisons
- e) At least 4 comparisons
- f) At least 5 comparisons
- g) Don't know

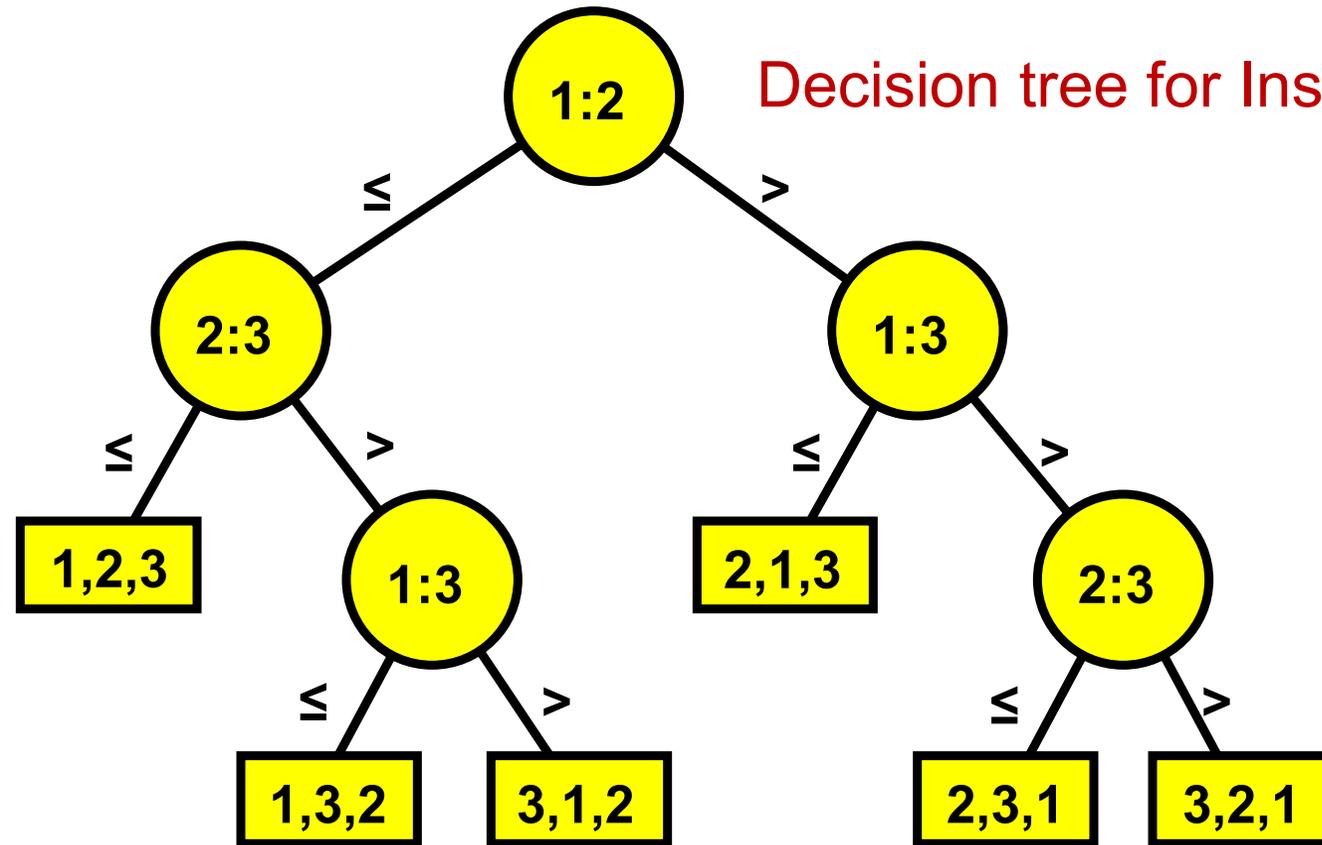
# Comparisons for Insertion-Sort

1	2	3
$x_1$	$x_2$	$x_3$

INSERTION-SORT( $A, n$ )

```
1  for  $i = 2$  to  $n$ 
2       $key = A[i]$ 
3      // Insert  $A[i]$  into the sorted subarray  $A[1 : i - 1]$ 
4       $j = i - 1$ 
5      while  $j > 0$  and  $A[j] > key$ 
6           $A[j + 1] = A[j]$ 
7           $j = j - 1$ 
8       $A[j + 1] = key$ 
```

# Comparison-based sorting: Lower bound



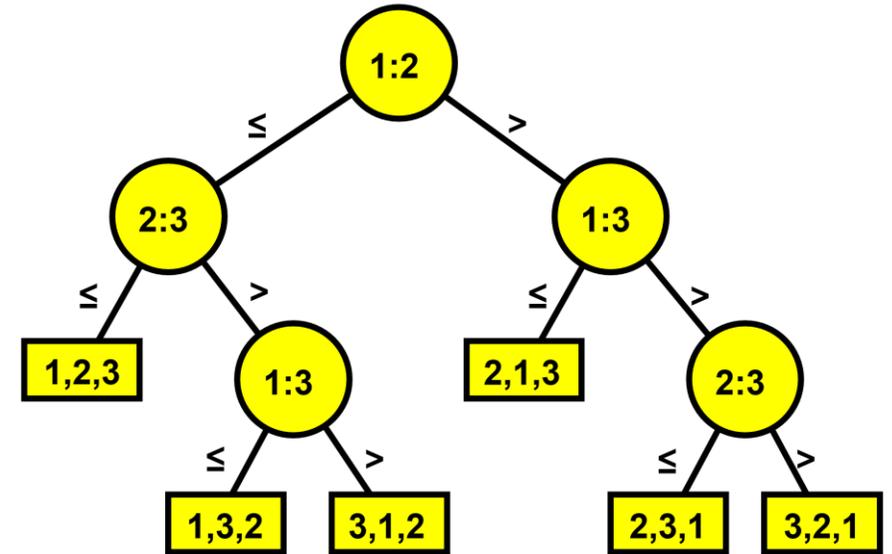
Internal node  $i : j$  comparison of  $x_i$  and  $x_j$   
Leaves describe output permutation

# Comparison-based sorting: Lower bound

$n!$  different outputs  $\leq$  leaves

tree of height  $h$  has  $\leq 2^h$  leaves

$$n! \leq 2^h$$



$$h \geq \log(n!) \geq \log \left( \binom{n}{\frac{n}{2}}^{n/2} \right) = \frac{n}{2} \log \frac{n}{2} = \frac{n}{2} (\log n - 1) \geq \frac{n}{4} \log n$$

Worst-case  $\Omega(n \cdot \log n)$  comparisons

for  $n \geq 4$

# # comparisons to sort 10 elements ?

- a) At least 9 comparisons
- b) At least 10 comparisons
- c) At least 21 comparisons
-  d) At least 22 comparisons
- e) At least 23 comparisons
- f) Don't know

$n$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12									
$n!$	1	2	6	24	120	720	5.040	40.320	362.880	3.628.800	39.916.800	479.001.600									
$d$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
$2^d$	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1.024	2.048	4.096	8.192	16.384	32.768	65.536	131.072	262.144	524.288	1.048.576
$d$		21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29											
$2^d$		2.097.152	4.194.304	8.388.608	16.777.216	33.554.432	67.108.864	134.217.728	268.435.456	536.870.912											

# # comparisons to sort 1-12 elements ?

$n$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
$\geq$ comparisons	0	1	3	5	7	10	13	16	19	22	26	29

$n$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12									
$n!$	1	2	6	24	120	720	5.040	40.320	362.880	3.628.800	39.916.800	479.001.600									
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# Sorting – Fewest # comparisons

	$n$	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	...	28	...	191				
Upper bounds	MergeSort / Binary search	1	3	5	8	11	14	17	21	25	29	33	37	41	45	49	54	59	64	69	74	79	84	89	94	...	109	...	1273				
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# Sorting integers

...exploit that integers are binary numbers

# Counting-Sort:

**Input:**  $A$ , **output:**  $B$ , integers from  $\{0, 1, \dots, k\}$

COUNTING-SORT( $A, n, k$ )

```
1  let  $B[1 : n]$  and  $C[0 : k]$  be new arrays
2  for  $i = 0$  to  $k$ 
3       $C[i] = 0$ 
4  for  $j = 1$  to  $n$ 
5       $C[A[j]] = C[A[j]] + 1$ 
6  //  $C[i]$  now contains the number of elements equal to  $i$ .
7  for  $i = 1$  to  $k$ 
8       $C[i] = C[i] + C[i - 1]$ 
9  //  $C[i]$  now contains the number of elements less than or equal to  $i$ .
10 // Copy  $A$  to  $B$ , starting from the end of  $A$ .
11 for  $j = n$  downto 1
12      $B[C[A[j]]] = A[j]$ 
13      $C[A[j]] = C[A[j]] - 1$  // to handle duplicate values
14 return  $B$ 
```

**Worst-case time  $O(n + k)$**

# Which algorithms are not stable ?

a) Insertion-Sort

b) Heap-Sort

c) Quicksort

d) Merge-Sort



e) Heap-Sort and Quicksort

f) Insertion-Sort and Heap-Sort

g) Merge-Sort and Quicksort

h) Insertion-Sort and Quicksort

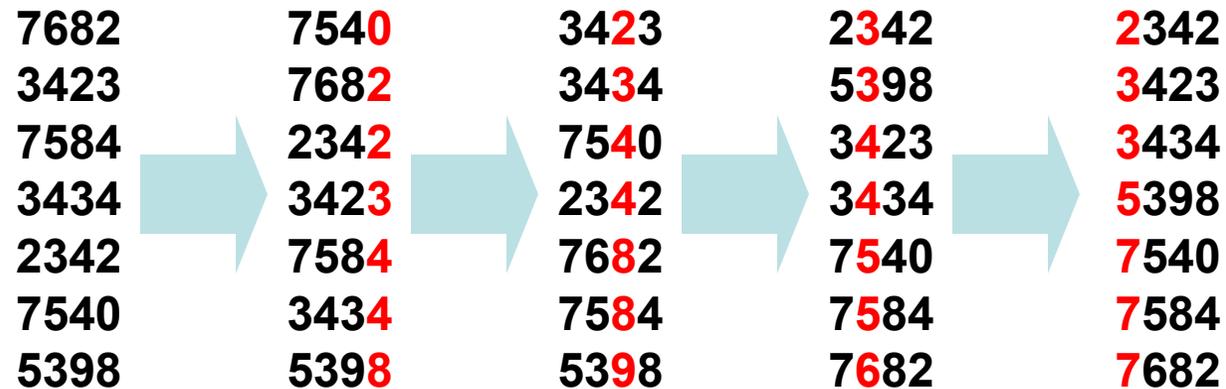
i) Don't know

# Radix-Sort:

Input: array  $A$ , integers with  $d$  digits from  $\{0, 1, \dots, k\}$

RADIX-SORT( $A, n, d$ )

- 1 **for**  $i = 1$  **to**  $d$
- 2 use a **stable** sort to sort array  $A[1 : n]$  on digit  $i$



Worst-case time  $O(d \cdot (n + k))$

# Sorting A5 window envelopes

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# Radix-Sort at work at



Step 1: Sort by number



Step 2: Sort by route

# Radix-Sort:

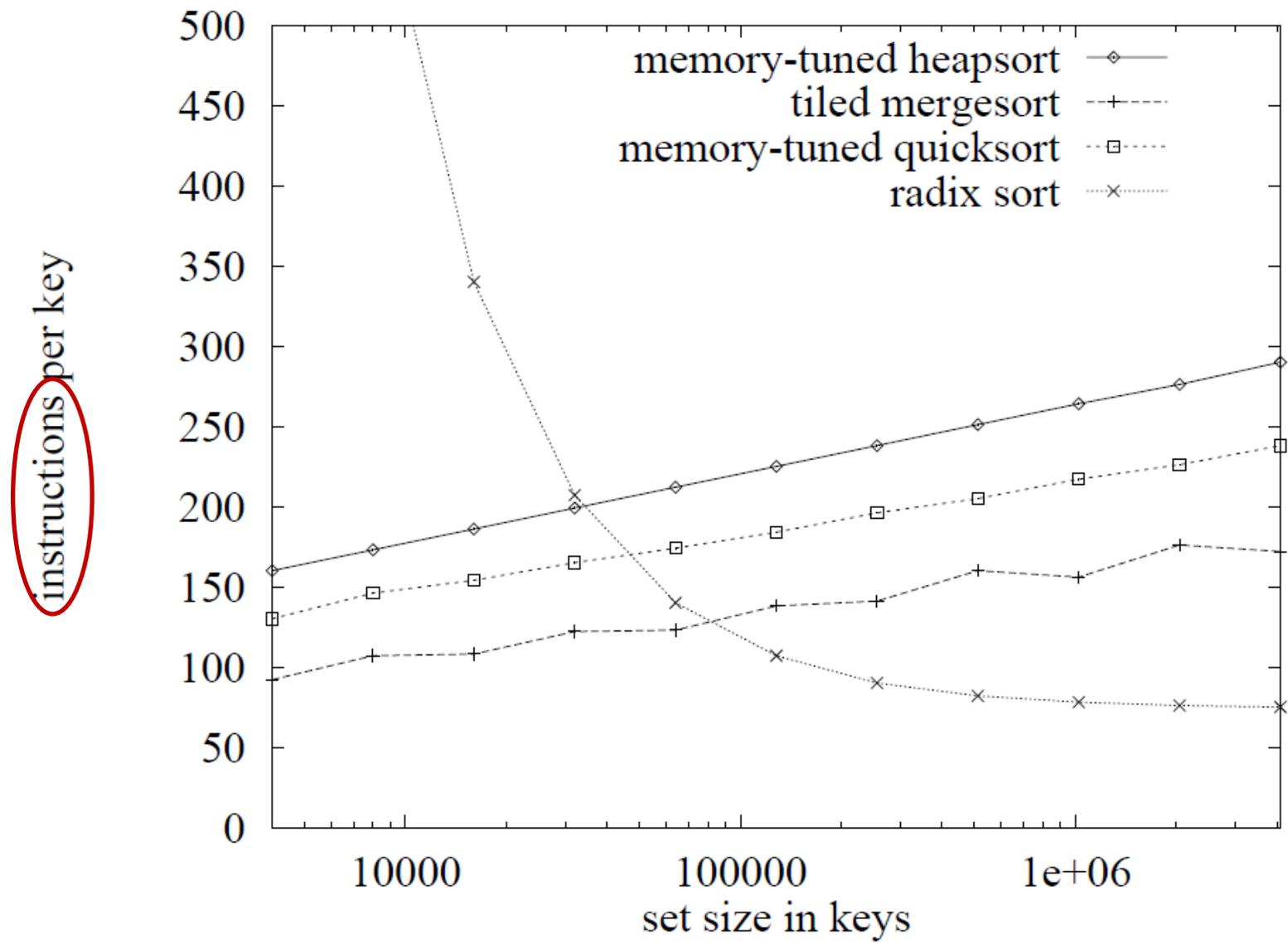
Input: array  $A$ ,  $n$  integers with  $b$  bits



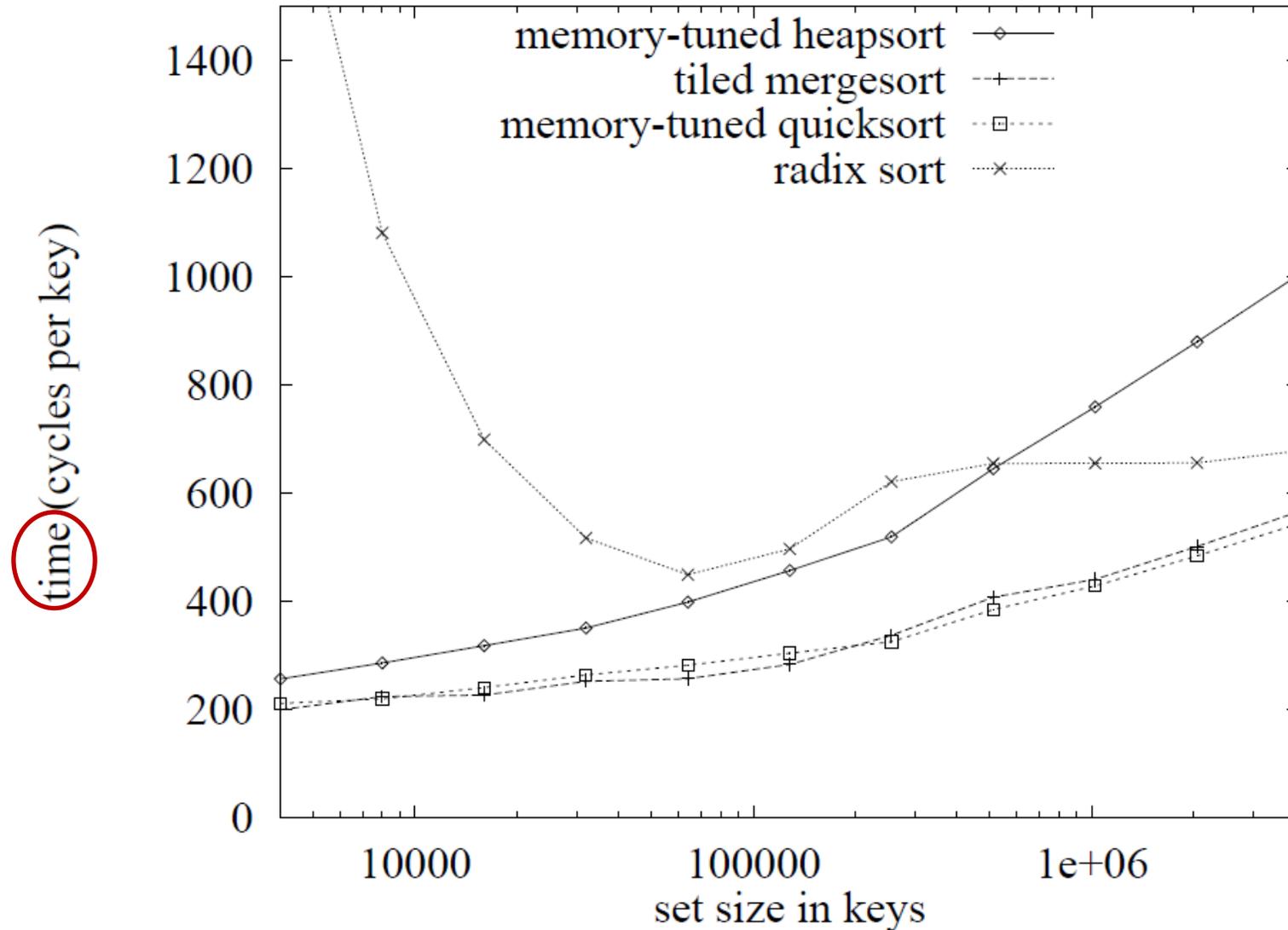
$n = 8$ ,  $k = 7$  (3 bits =  $\log n$  bits),  $d = 3$  (3 x 3 bits)

Input  $n$  integers with  $b$  bits: Worst-case time  $O(n \cdot b / \log n)$

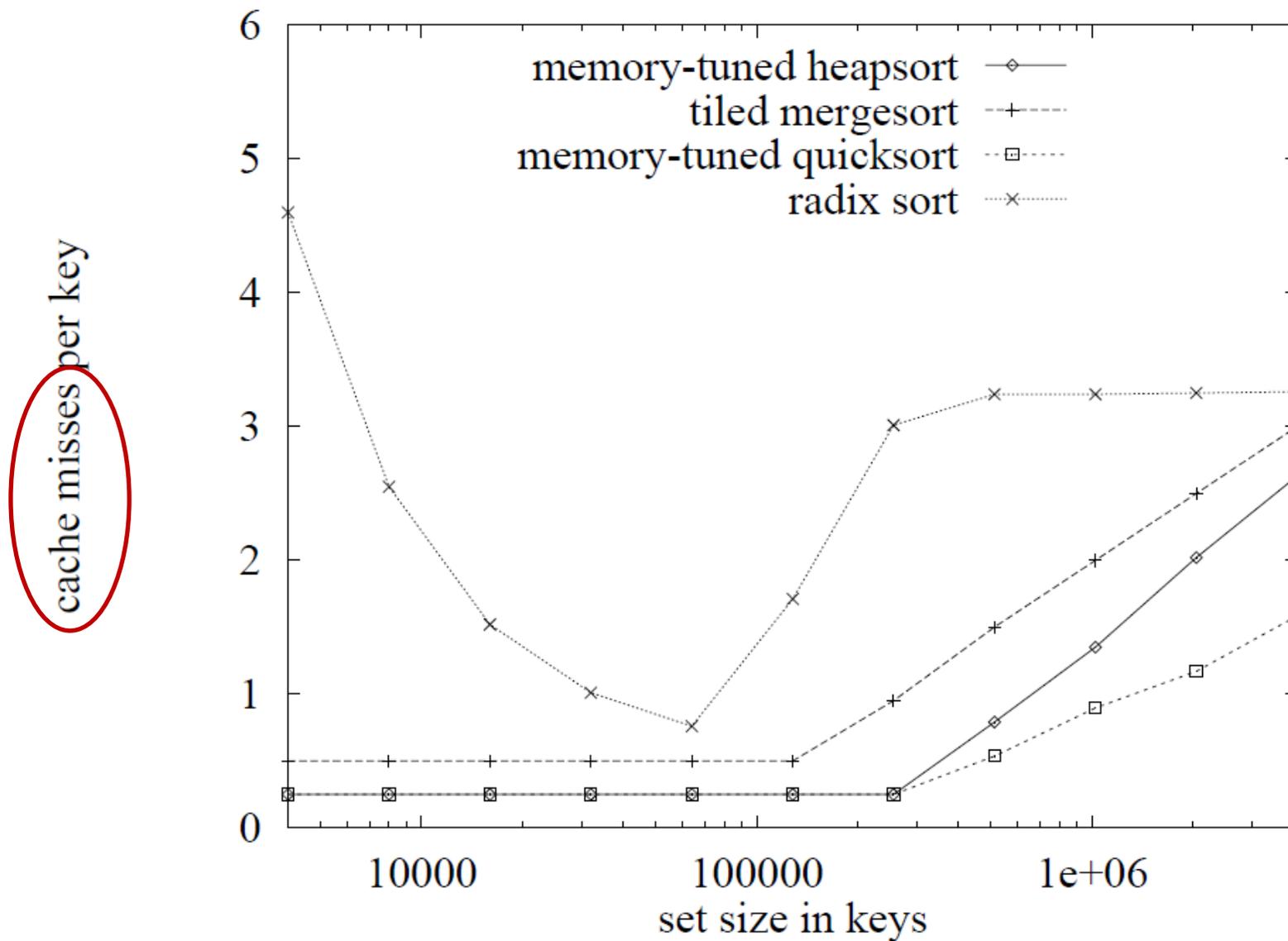
# Radix-Sort: Experiments



# Radix-Sort: Experiments



# Radix-Sort: Experiments



# Bucket-Sort:

Input:  $A$ , real numbers from  $[0..1[$

BUCKET-SORT( $A, n$ )

1 let  $B[0:n - 1]$  be a new array

2 **for**  $i = 0$  **to**  $n - 1$

3     make  $B[i]$  an empty list

4 **for**  $i = 1$  **to**  $n$

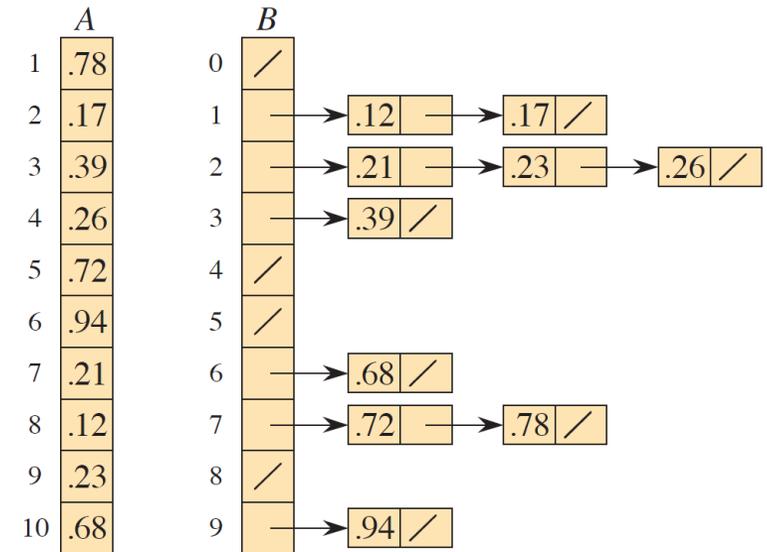
5     insert  $A[i]$  into list  $B[\lfloor n \cdot A[i] \rfloor]$

6 **for**  $i = 0$  **to**  $n - 1$

7     sort list  $B[i]$  with insertion sort

8 concatenate the lists  $B[0], B[1], \dots, B[n - 1]$  together in order

9 **return** the concatenated lists



Expected time  $O(n)$  – for random inputs

# Sorting – state-of-the-art

Best known sorting bound on RAM model (with unlimited word size) is a randomized algorithm using  $O(n)$  space and has expected running time

$$O\left(n\sqrt{\log \log n}\right)$$

If this can be achieved without randomization is unknown.

$O(n \log \log n)$  is known. Is it possible to get expected  $O(n)$  time?

With randomization and assuming word-size  $\Omega(\log^2 n \cdot \log \log n)$  there exists a randomized algorithm with expected  $O(n)$  time.

Han, Thorup, *Integer Sorting in  $O\left(n\sqrt{\log \log n}\right)$  Expected Time and Linear Space*, FOCS 2002, doi: [10.1109/SFCS.2002.1181890](https://doi.org/10.1109/SFCS.2002.1181890)

Andersson, Hagerup, Nilsson, Raman, *Sorting in linear time?*, STOC 1995, doi: [10.1145/225058.225173](https://doi.org/10.1145/225058.225173)

Belazzougui, Brodal, Nielsen, *Expected Linear Time Sorting for Word Size  $\Omega(\log^2 n \cdot \log \log n)$* , SWAT 2014, doi: [10.1007/978-3-319-08404-6\\_3](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-08404-6_3)

# Sorting algorithms in Java, Python, C++ and C

	Java (JDK SE 24.0.2)	Python (CPython 3.13.7)	C++ (GCC 15.2)	C (GNU C)
Method	Java.util.Arrays.sort	sorted	std::sort	qsort
Documentation	<a href="https://docs.oracle.com/en/java/javase/25/docs/api/java.base/java/util/Arrays.html#sort(int[])">https://docs.oracle.com/en/java/javase/25/docs/api/java.base/java/util/Arrays.html#sort(int[])</a>	<a href="https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#sorted">https://docs.python.org/3/library/functions.html#sorted</a>	<a href="http://www.cplusplus.com/reference/algorithm/sort/">http://www.cplusplus.com/reference/algorithm/sort/</a>	<a href="https://sourceware.org/glibc/manual/latest/html_node/Array-Sort-Function.html">https://sourceware.org/glibc/manual/latest/html_node/Array-Sort-Function.html</a>
Algorithm	<b>Dual Pivot Quicksort</b> Insertion-Sort for few elements Merge-Sort for few sorted “runs” Counting-Sort for BYTE and SHORT input	<b>Power-Sort</b> Merge-Sort variant that identifies sorted “runs” to reduce the number of merges	<b>Introsort</b> Quicksort (max depth $2 \cdot \log n$ ) otherwise change to Heap-Sort Insertion-Sort $\leq 16$ elements	<b>Quicksort</b> Not recursive
Source code	Install JDK from <a href="http://www.oracle.com/java/technologies/downloads/">www.oracle.com/java/technologies/downloads/</a> Fil java.base\java\util\DualPivotQuicksort.java from C:\Program Files\Java\jdk-25\lib\src.zip	<a href="https://github.com/python/cpython/blob/master/Objects/listobject.c">https://github.com/python/cpython/blob/master/Objects/listobject.c</a>  <a href="https://github.com/python/cpython/blob/master/Objects/listsort.txt">https://github.com/python/cpython/blob/master/Objects/listsort.txt</a>	<a href="https://github.com/gcc-mirror/gcc/blob/master/libstdc++-v3/include/bits/stl_algo.h">https://github.com/gcc-mirror/gcc/blob/master/libstdc++-v3/include/bits/stl_algo.h</a>	<a href="https://code.woboq.org/userspace/glibc/stdlib/qsort.c.html">https://code.woboq.org/userspace/glibc/stdlib/qsort.c.html</a>

# Binary heaps in Java, Python, C++

	Java (JDK 25)	Python (CPython 3.13.7)	C++ (GCC 15.2)
Method	java.util.PriorityQueue	heapq	std::priority_queue
Documentation	<a href="https://docs.oracle.com/en/java/javase/25/docs/api/java.base/java/util/PriorityQueue.html">https://docs.oracle.com/en/java/javase/25/docs/api/java.base/java/util/PriorityQueue.html</a>	<a href="https://docs.python.org/3/library/heapq.html">https://docs.python.org/3/library/heapq.html</a>	<a href="http://www.cplusplus.com/reference/queue/priority_queue/">http://www.cplusplus.com/reference/queue/priority_queue/</a>
Source code	Install JDK from <a href="http://www.oracle.com/java/technologies/downloads/">www.oracle.com/java/technologies/downloads/</a> File java.base\java\util\PriorityQueue.java from C:\Program Files\Java\jdk-25\lib\src.zip	<a href="https://github.com/python/cpython/blob/master/Lib/heapq.py">https://github.com/python/cpython/blob/master/Lib/heapq.py</a>	<a href="https://github.com/gcc-mirror/gcc/blob/master/libstdc++-v3/include/bits/stl_heap.h">https://github.com/gcc-mirror/gcc/blob/master/libstdc++-v3/include/bits/stl_heap.h</a>

All three implementations use 0-indexed arrays, with  
 $left(i) = 2 \cdot i + 1$      $right(i) = 2 \cdot i + 2$      $parent(i) = \lfloor (i - 1) / 2 \rfloor$

# **Algorithms and Data Structures**

Stacks, queues  
[CLRS, Chapter 10]

# [CLRS, Part 3] : Data structures

Maintain a structure for a  
**dynamic** set of data

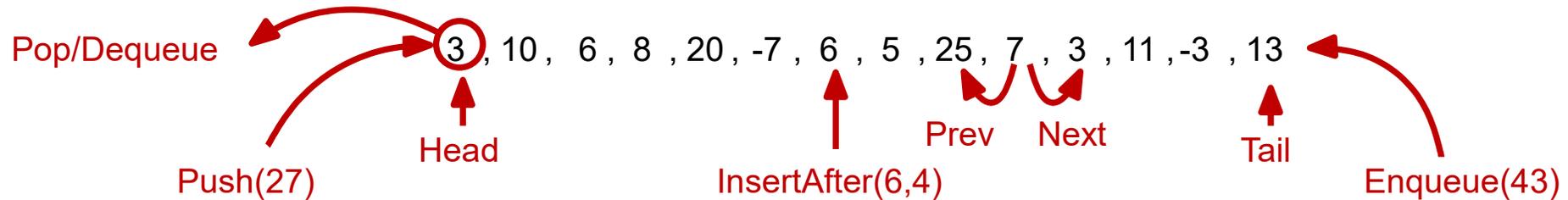
# Abstract data structures for sets

- Min-priority-queue  
 - Max-priority-queue  
 - Dictionary

	Operation	Return value			
Queries	<b>Minimum(S)</b>	pointer to element	●		
	<b>Maximum(S)</b>	pointer to element		●	
	<b>Search(S, x)</b>	pointer to element			●
	<b>Member(S, x)</b>	True or False			
	<b>Successor(S, x)</b>	pointer to element			
	<b>Predecessor(S, x)</b>	pointer to element			
Updates	<b>Insert(S, x)</b>	pointer to element	●	●	●
	<b>Delete(S, x)</b>	-			●
	<b>DeleteMin(S)</b>	element	●		
	<b>DeleteMax(S)</b>	element		●	
	<b>Join(S<sub>1</sub>, S<sub>2</sub>)</b>	set S			
	<b>Split(S, x)</b>	sets S <sub>1</sub> and S <sub>2</sub>			

# Abstract data structures for lists

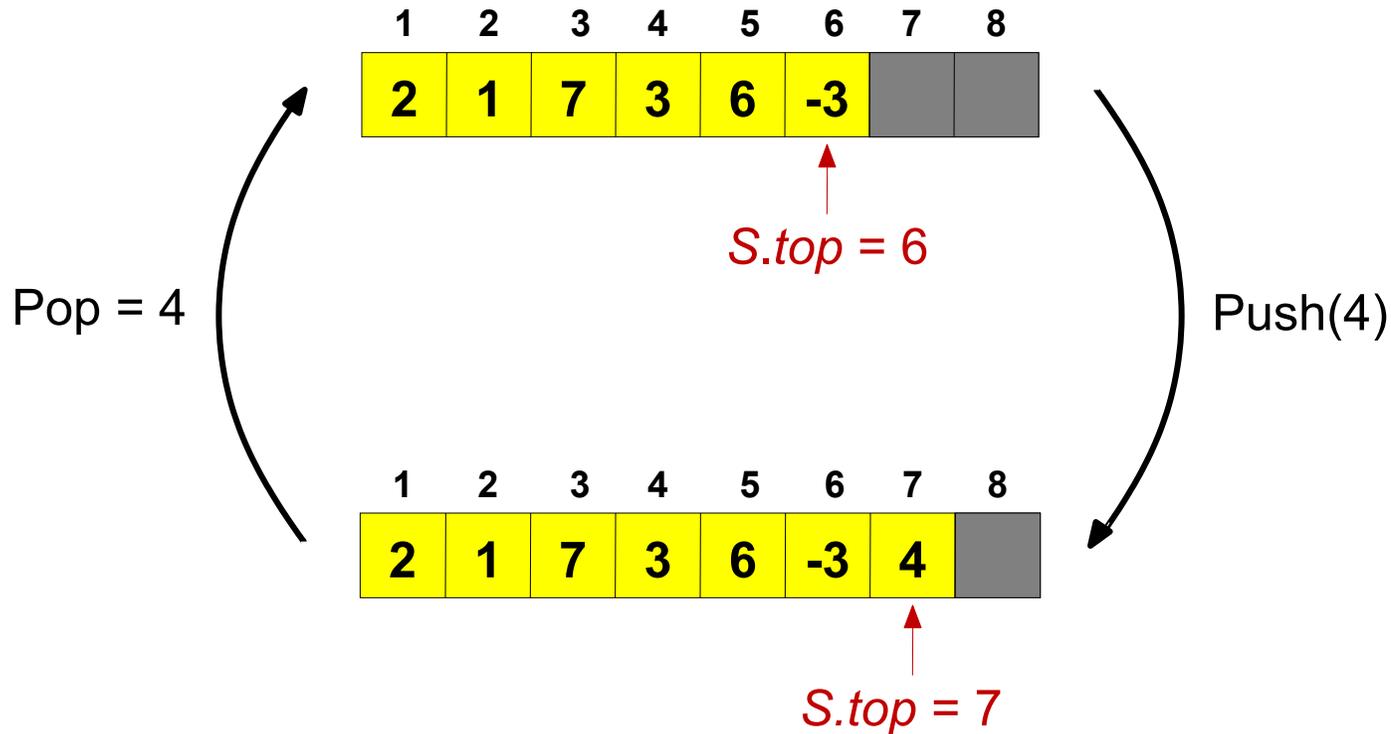
	Operation	Return value	-Stack	-Queue
Queries	Empty( $S$ )	True or False	●	●
	Head( $S$ ), Tail( $S$ )	pointer to element		
	Next( $S, x$ ), Prev( $S, x$ )	pointer to element		
	Search( $S, x$ )	pointer to element		
Updates	Push( $S, x$ )	-	●	
	Pop/Dequeue( $S$ )	element	●	●
	Enqueue( $S, x$ )	-		●
	Delete( $S, x$ )	element		
	InsertAfter( $S, x, y$ )	pointer to element		





**Stack**

# Stack : array implementation



STACK-EMPTY( $S$ )

```
1 if  $S.top == 0$ 
2   return TRUE
3 else return FALSE
```

PUSH( $S, x$ )

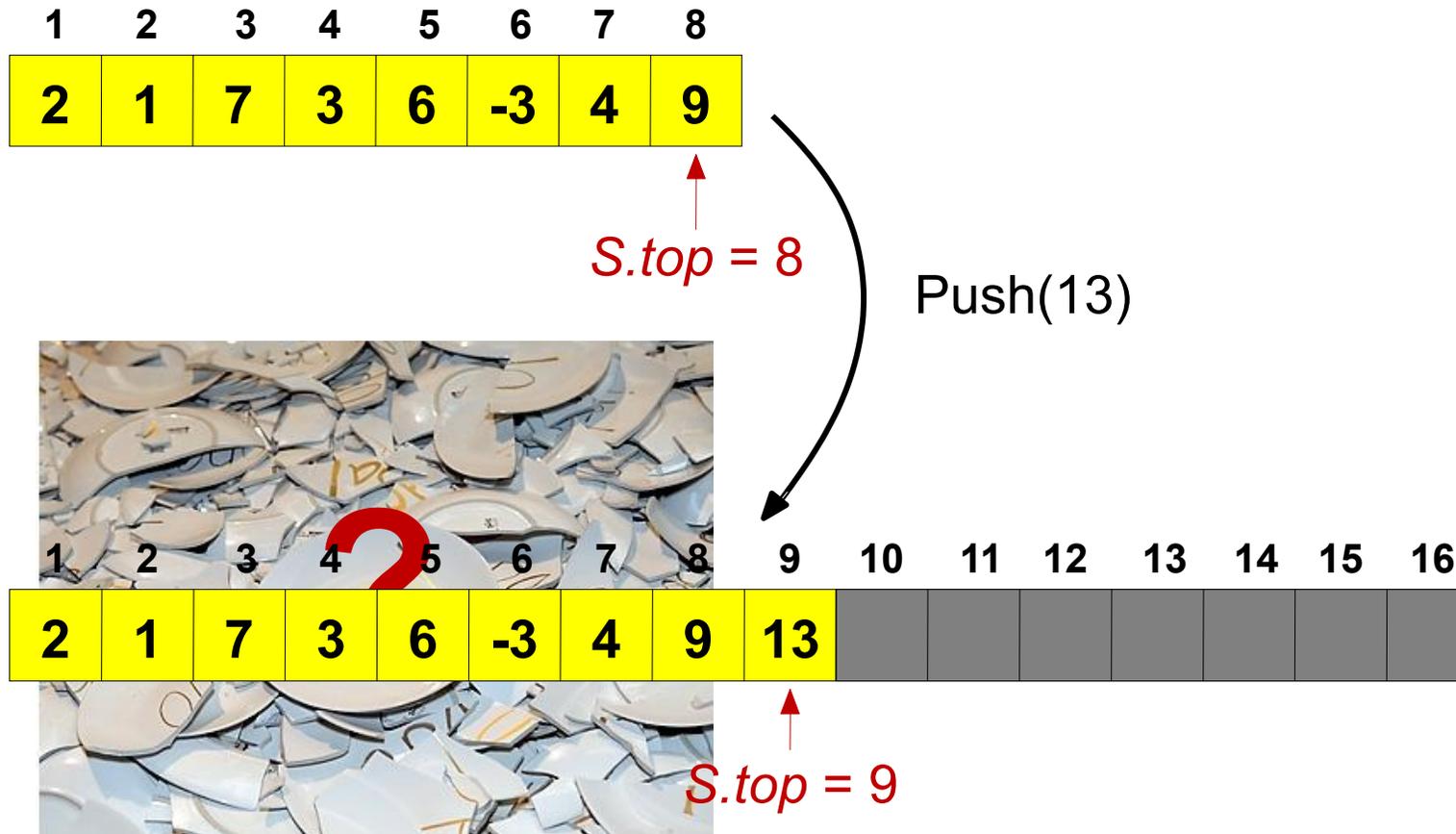
```
1 if  $S.top == S.size$ 
2   error "overflow"
3 else  $S.top = S.top + 1$ 
4    $S[S.top] = x$ 
```

POP( $S$ )

```
1 if STACK-EMPTY( $S$ )
2   error "underflow"
3 else  $S.top = S.top - 1$ 
4   return  $S[S.top + 1]$ 
```

Stack-Empty, Push, Pop :  $O(1)$  time

# Stak : Overflow



Array doubling :  $O(n)$  time

# Array doubling

**Double** array when it is full

1

2

4

8

16

32

**Time** for  $n$  extensions:  $1+2+4+\dots+n/2+n = O(n)$

**Halve** the array when it is  $<1/4$  full

32

16

16

8

8

16

**Time** for  $n$  extensions/reductions:  $O(n)$

# Array doubling + halving

– a general technique

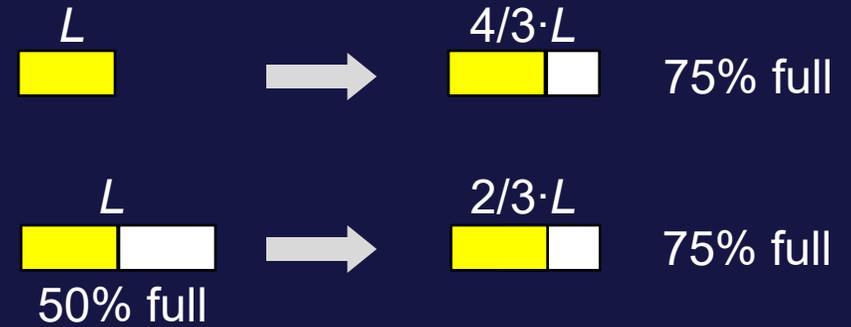
**Time** for  $n$  extensions/reductions is  $O(n)$

**Space**  $\leq 4 \cdot$  current number of elements

Array implementation of a **stack**:  
 $n$  push and pop operations take time  $O(n)$

# Factor 4/3 increase

On overflow let the new size be  $4/3$  times the current size, and when the array becomes half full reduce the size to  $2/3$



What is maximal size of the array when it stores  $n$  elements ?



- a)  $3/2 \cdot n$
- b)  $4/3 \cdot n$
- c)  $2 \cdot n$
- d)  $8/3 \cdot n$
- e) Don't know

# Reallocation strategies in Java, Python and C++

Language	Java ArrayList (JDK SE 25)	Python list (CPython 3.15)	C++ vector (GCC 15.2)
On overflow	<b>+ 50 %</b>	<b>+ 12.5 %</b>	<b>+ 100 %</b>
Shrinking	No (can call <code>trimToSize</code> )	< 50 %	No (can call <code>shrink_to_fit</code> )
Documentation	<a href="https://docs.oracle.com/javase/25/docs/api/java/util/ArrayList.html">https://docs.oracle.com/javase/25/docs/api/java/util/ArrayList.html</a>	<a href="https://docs.python.org/3/library/stdtypes.html#sequence-types-list-tuple-range">https://docs.python.org/3/library/stdtypes.html#sequence-types-list-tuple-range</a>	<a href="http://www.cplusplus.com/reference/vector/vector/">http://www.cplusplus.com/reference/vector/vector/</a>
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## Java ArrayList

```
private Object[] grow(int minCapacity) {
    int oldCapacity = elementData.length;
    if (oldCapacity > 0 || elementData != DEFAULTCAPACITY_EMPTY_ELEMENTDATA) {
        int newCapacity = ArraysSupport.newLength(oldCapacity,
            minCapacity - oldCapacity, /* minimum growth */
            oldCapacity >> 1          /* preferred growth */);
        return elementData = Arrays.copyOf(elementData, newCapacity);
    } else {
        return elementData = new Object[Math.max(DEFAULT_CAPACITY, minCapacity)];
    }
}
```

## Python list

```
static int
list_resize(PyListObject *self, Py_ssize_t newsize)
{
    size_t new_allocated, target_bytes;
    Py_ssize_t allocated = self->allocated;

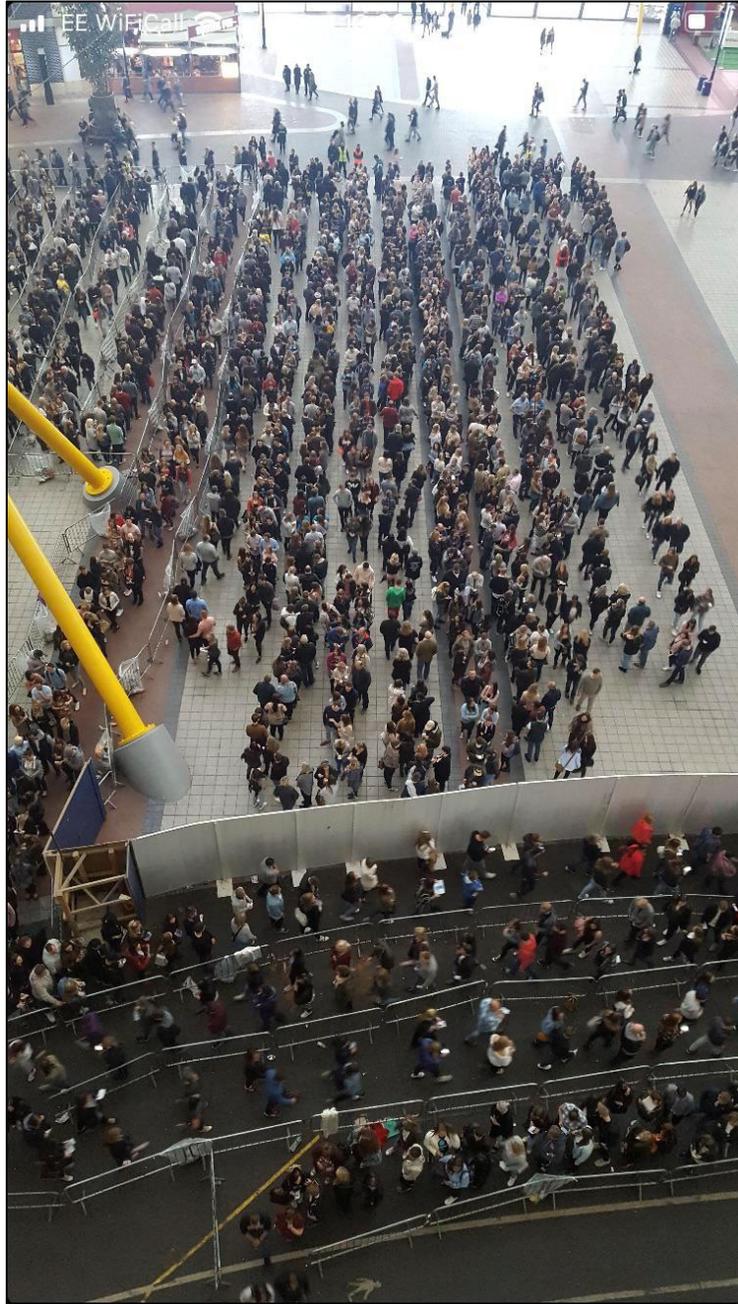
    if (allocated >= newsize && newsize >= (allocated >> 1)) {
        assert(self->ob_item != NULL || newsize == 0);
        Py_SET_SIZE(self, newsize);
        return 0;
    }

    new_allocated = ((size_t)newsize + (newsize >> 3) + 6) & ~(size_t)3;
    ...
}
```

## C++ vector

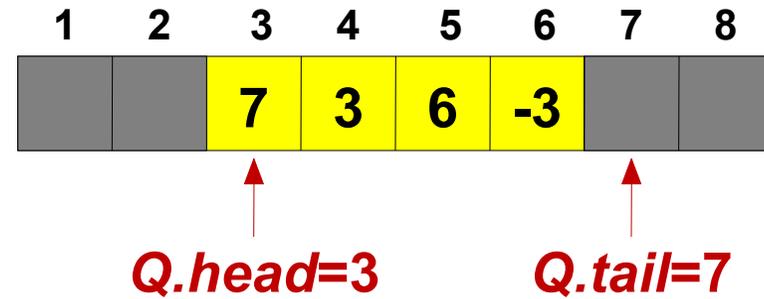
```
size_type
_M_check_len(size_type __n, const char* __s) const
{
    if (max_size() - size() < __n)
        __throw_length_error(__N(__s));

    const size_type __len = size() + (std::max)(size(), __n);
    return (__len < size() || __len > max_size()
        ? max_size()
        : __len);
}
```

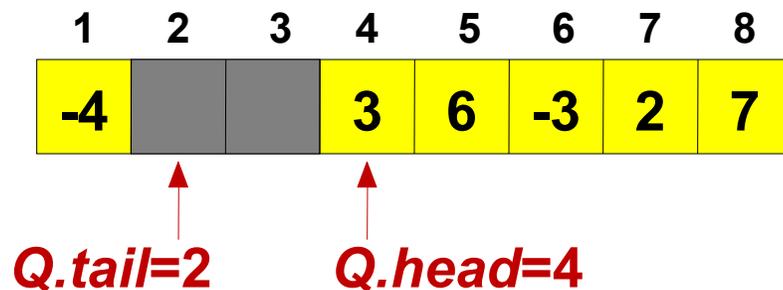


# Queues

# Queue : array Implementation



Enqueue(2)  
Enqueue(7)  
Engueue(-4)  
Dequeue = 7



ENQUEUE( $Q, x$ )

```
1  $Q[Q.tail] = x$ 
2 if  $Q.tail == Q.size$ 
3      $Q.tail = 1$ 
4 else  $Q.tail = Q.tail + 1$ 
```

DEQUEUE( $Q$ )

```
1  $x = Q[Q.head]$ 
2 if  $Q.head == Q.size$ 
3      $Q.head = 1$ 
4 else  $Q.head = Q.head + 1$ 
5 return  $x$ 
```

Enqueue, Dequeue :  $O(1)$  time

**Maximal capacity of a queue  
implemented in an array of size  $n$  ?**



a)  $n$

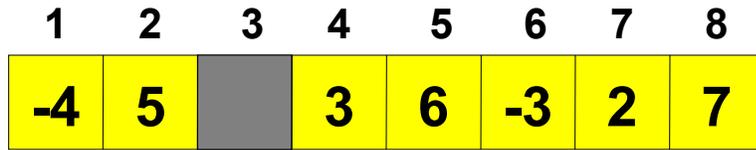
b)  $n - 1$

c)  $n - 2$

d)  $n / 2$

e) Don't know

# Queue : array implementation

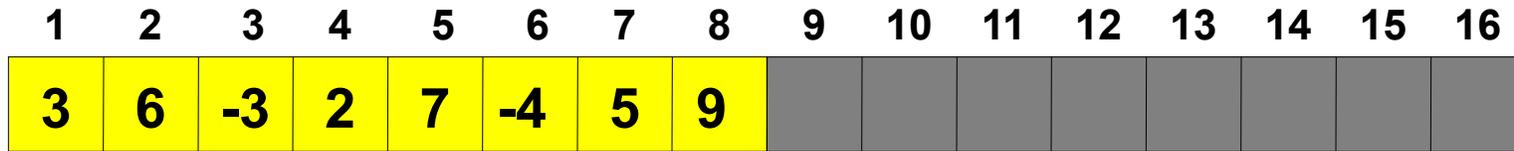


$Q.tail=3$     $Q.head=4$

Empty :  $Q.tail = Q.head$  ?

**Overflow** : array doubling/halving

Enqueue(9)



$Q.head=1$

$Q.tail=9$

Array implementation of **queue**:  
 $n$  enqueue and dequeue operations take time  $O(n)$

# Arrays (with doubling/halving)

<b>Stack</b>	Push( $S, x$ ) Pop( $S$ )	$O(1)^*$
<b>Queue</b>	Enqueue( $S, x$ ) Dequeue( $S$ )	$O(1)^*$

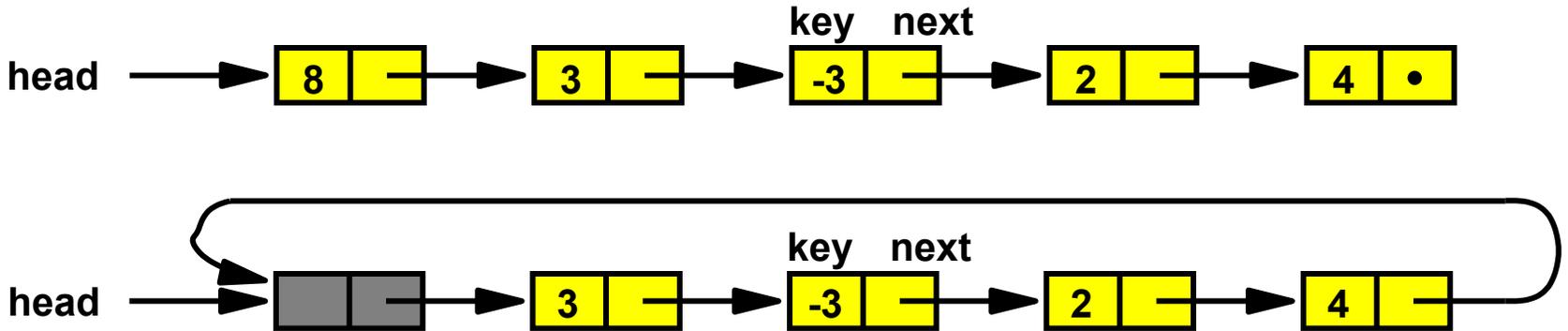
\* Worst-case without doubling/halving  
Amortized ([CLRS, Chapter 16]) with doubling/halving



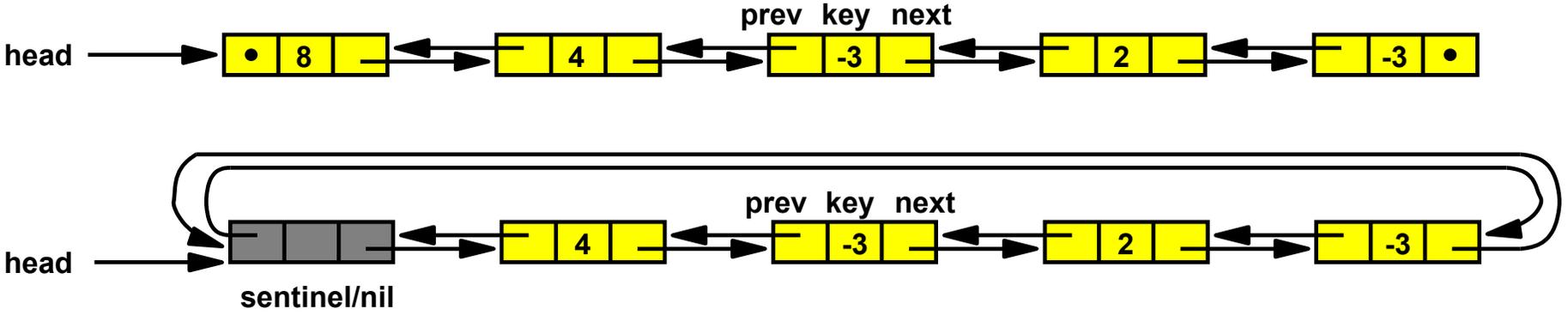
# Linked lists

# Linked lists

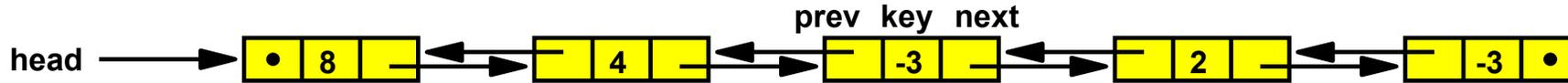
## Singly linked (non-circular and circular)



## Doubly linked (non-circular and circular)



# Doubly linked lists



LIST-SEARCH( $L, k$ )

```

1   $x = L.head$ 
2  while  $x \neq \text{NIL}$  and  $x.key \neq k$ 
3       $x = x.next$ 
4  return  $x$ 

```

LIST-PREPEND( $L, x$ )

```

1   $x.next = L.head$ 
2   $x.prev = \text{NIL}$ 
3  if  $L.head \neq \text{NIL}$ 
4       $L.head.prev = x$ 
5   $L.head = x$ 

```

LIST-INSERT( $x, y$ )

```

1   $x.next = y.next$ 
2   $x.prev = y$ 
3  if  $y.next \neq \text{NIL}$ 
4       $y.next.prev = x$ 
5   $y.next = x$ 

```

LIST-DELETE( $L, x$ )

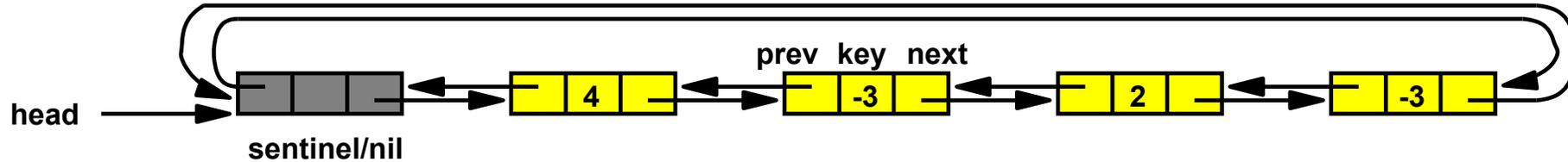
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1  if  $x.prev \neq \text{NIL}$ 
2       $x.prev.next = x.next$ 
3  else  $L.head = x.next$ 
4  if  $x.next \neq \text{NIL}$ 
5       $x.next.prev = x.prev$ 

```

List-Search	$O(n)$
List-Prepend	
List-Insert	$O(1)$
List-Delete	

# Doubly linked circular lists



LIST-INSERT'( $x, y$ )

- 1  $x.next = y.next$
- 2  $x.prev = y$
- 3  $y.next.prev = x$
- 4  $y.next = x$

LIST-DELETE'( $x$ )

- 1  $x.prev.next = x.next$
- 2  $x.next.prev = x.prev$

[CLRS4]

LIST-SEARCH'( $L, k$ )

- 1  $L.nil.key = k$
- 2  $x = L.nil.next$
- 3 **while**  $x.key \neq k$
- 4      $x = x.next$
- 5 **if**  $x == L.nil$
- 6     **return** NIL
- 7 **else return**  $x$

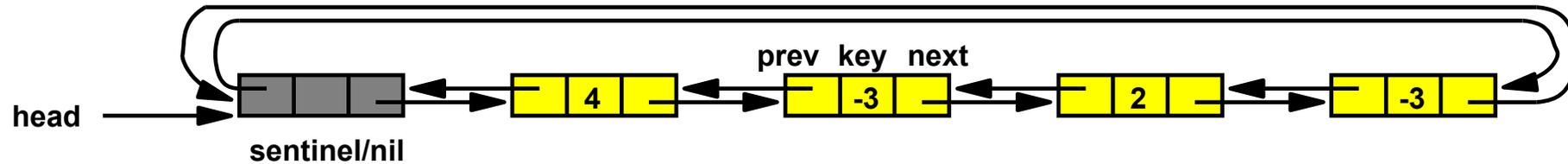
[CLRS3]

LIST-SEARCH'( $L, k$ )

- 1  $x = L.nil.next$
- 2 **while**  $x \neq L.nil$  and  $x.key \neq k$
- 3      $x = x.next$
- 4 **return**  $x$

List-Search'	$O(n)$
List-Insert'	$O(1)$
List-Delete'	$O(1)$

# Doubly linked circular lists



<b>Stack</b>	Push( $S, x$ ) Pop( $S$ )	$O(1)$
<b>Queue</b>	Enqueue( $S, x$ ) Dequeue( $S$ )	$O(1)$

## Dancing Links

*Donald E. Knuth, Stanford University*

My purpose is to discuss an extremely simple technique that deserves to be better known. Suppose  $x$  points to an element of a doubly linked list; let  $L[x]$  and  $R[x]$  point to the predecessor and successor of that element. Then the operations

$$L[R[x]] \leftarrow L[x], \quad R[L[x]] \leftarrow R[x] \quad (1)$$

remove  $x$  from the list; every programmer knows this. But comparatively few programmers have realized that the subsequent operations

$$L[R[x]] \leftarrow x, \quad R[L[x]] \leftarrow x \quad (2)$$

will put  $x$  back into the list again.



Donald E. Knuth (1938-)

# “The Challenge Puzzle”



# "The Challenge Puzzle"

$B :=$  Empty board

$P :=$  All pieces

Solve( $B, P$ )

**procedure** Solve(Partial solution  $B$ , Pieces  $P$ )

**if**  $|P| = 0$  **then**

report solution  $B$

**else**

**for all**  $p$  in  $P$

**remove**  $p$  from  $P$

**for all** orientations of  $p$  (\* max 8 distinct \*)

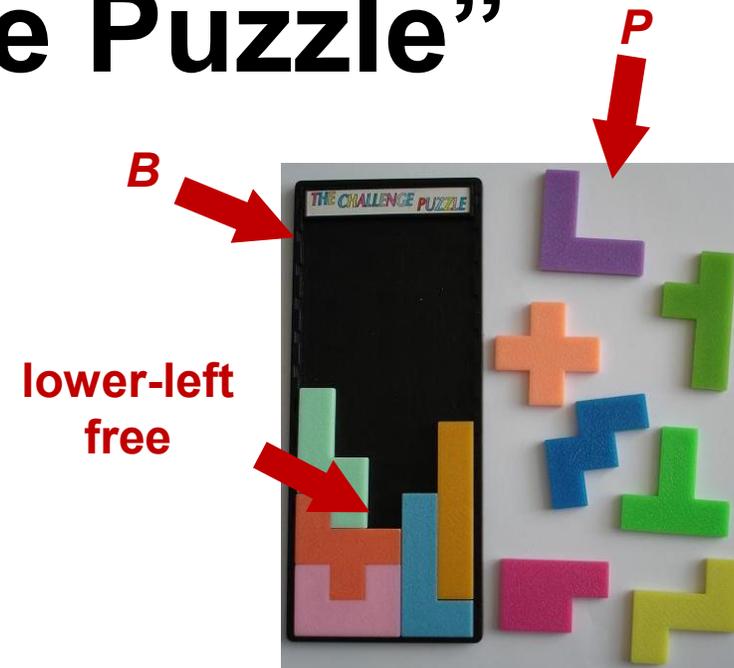
**if**  $p$  can be placed in lower-left free cell **then**

insert  $p$  in  $B$

Solve( $B, P$ )

remove  $p$  from  $B$

**reinsert**  $p$  in  $P$



Before



After

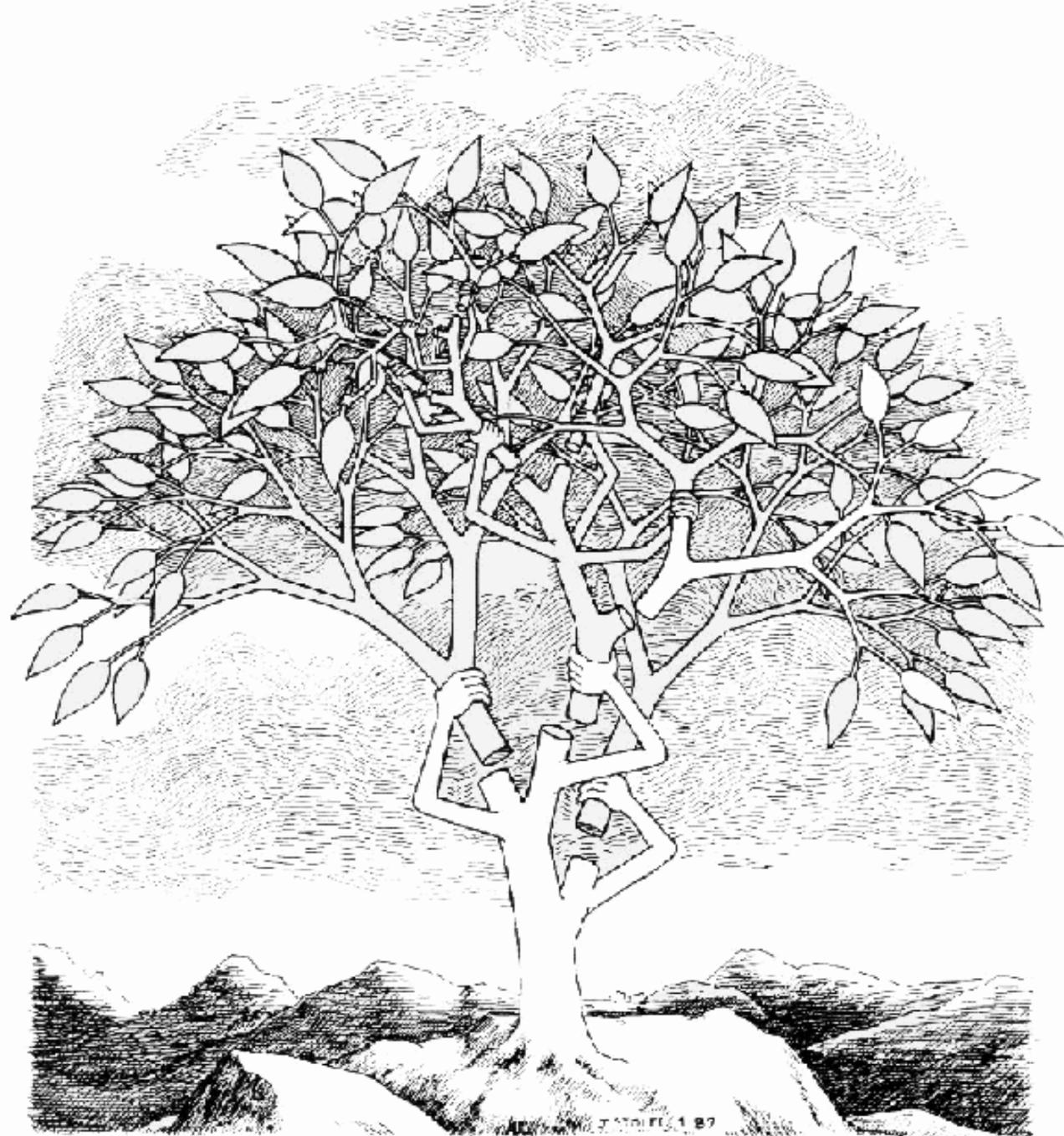
# ”The Challenge Puzzle”



**4.040 solutions**

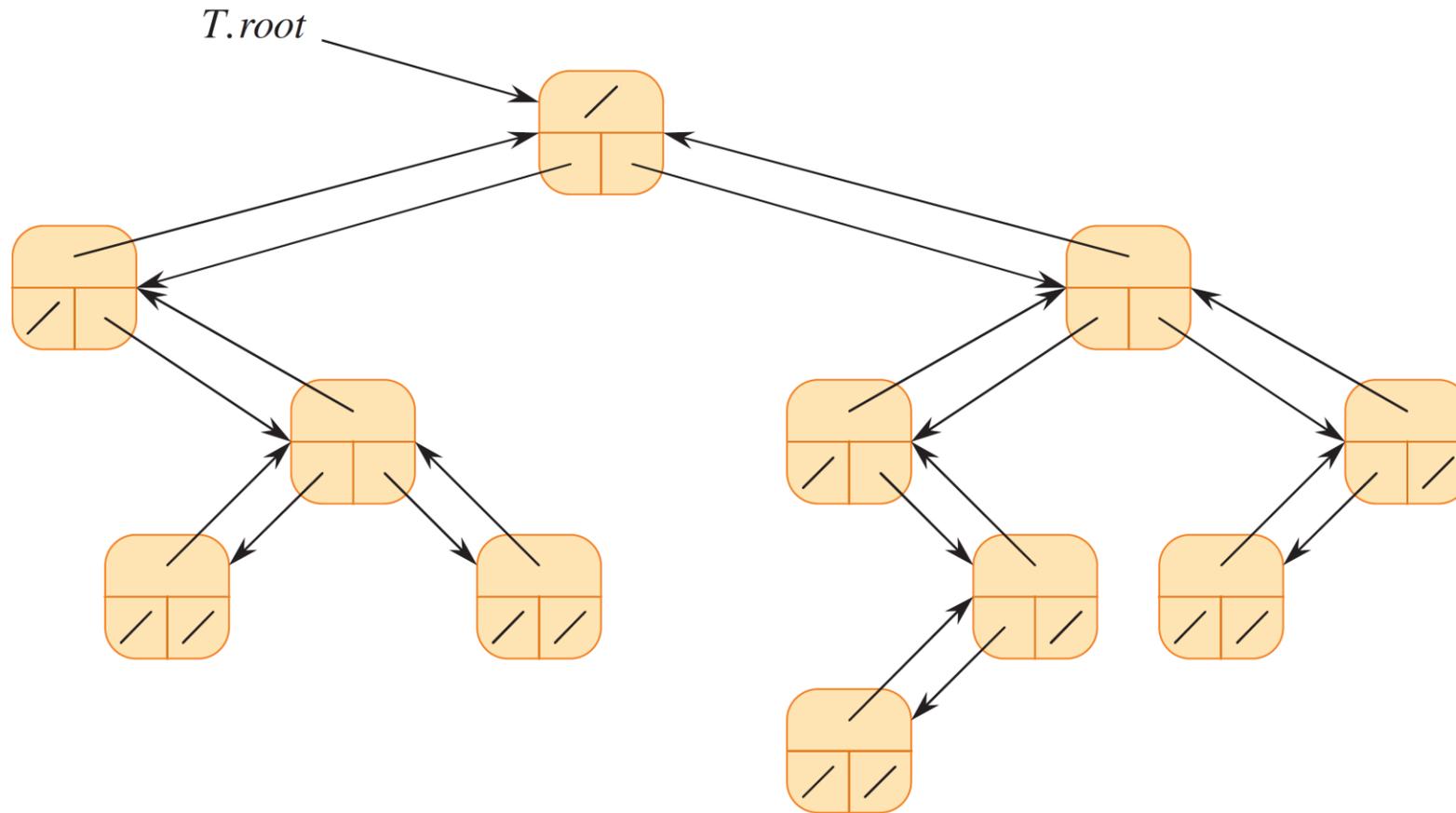
**Solve function places**

**8.387.259 pieces**



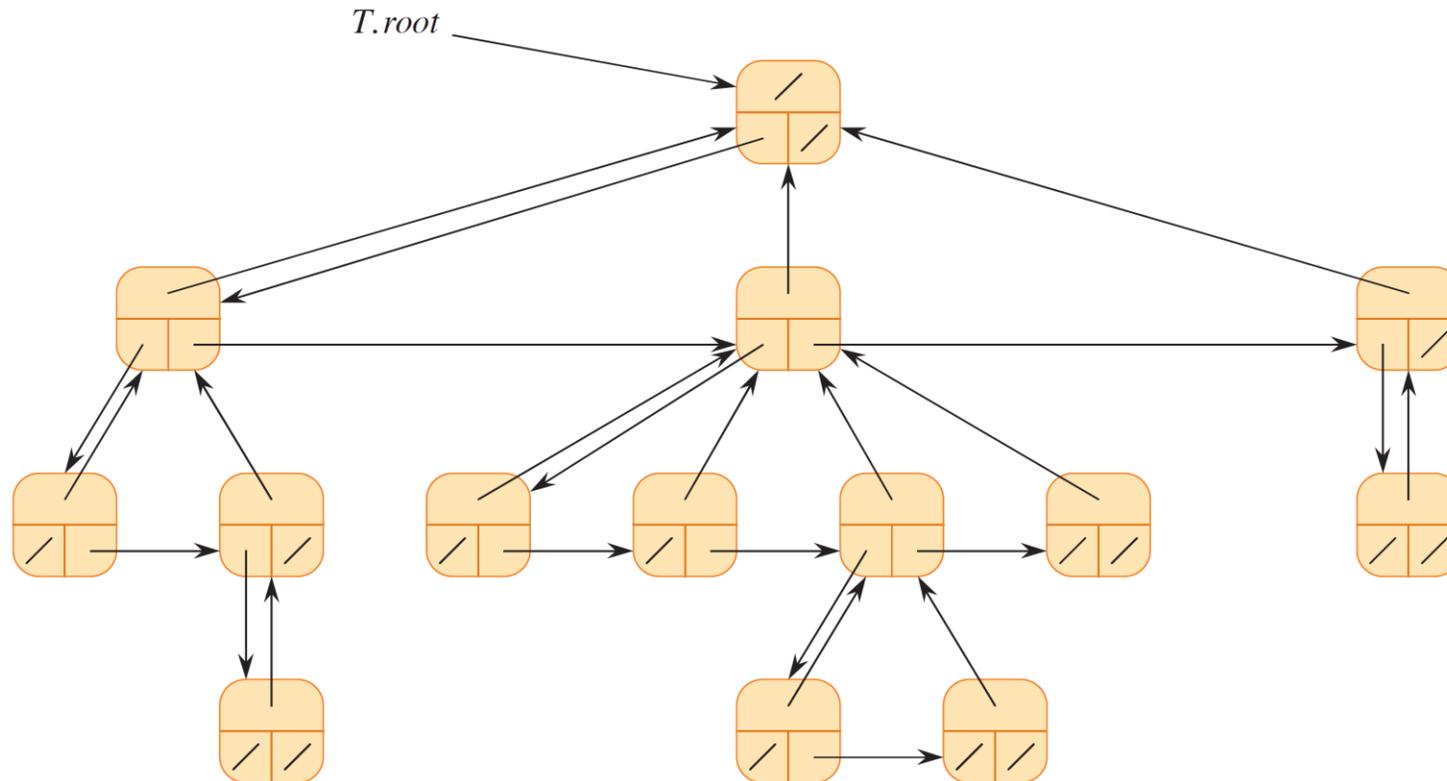
(Jorge Stolfi)

# Binary tree representation



Data fields: **left child**, **right child**, **parent**

# Tree representation



Data fields: **left child**, **right sibling**, **parent**

Time to access the  $i$ -th child of a node ?



a)  $O(1)$

b)  $O(i)$

c)  $O(\log i)$

d) Don't know

# **Algorithms and Data Structures**

Hashing

[CLRS, Chapter 11.1-11.4]



Dictionary

Thesaurus

hash



# hash 1 of 3 verb

hash ◀▶

hashed; hashing; hashes

[Synonyms of hash](#) >

*transitive verb*

**1 a** : to chop (food, such as meat and potatoes) into small pieces

**b** : **CONFUSE, MUDDLE**

**2** : to talk about : **REVIEW** → often used with *over* or *out*

| *hash over* a problem

| *hashing out* their differences

# hash 2 of 3 noun (1)

**1** : chopped food

| *specifically* : chopped meat mixed with potatoes and browned

**2** : a restatement of something that is already known

| the same old *hash*

**3 a** : **HODGEPODGE, JUMBLE**

**b** : a confused muddle

| made a *hash* of the whole project

**4** : **POUND SIGN sense 2**

# hash 3 of 3 noun (2)

: **HASHISH**

# Abstract data structure: **dictionary**

**Search( $S, k$ )**

**Insert( $S, x$ )**

**Delete( $S, x$ )**

Can we exploit that  $x$  for all practical purposes is a **sequence of bits? Yes !**

# All keys are numbers...

"Cat" =  $01000011.01100001.01110100_2 = 4415860_{10}$

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
0	NUL	DLE	space	0	@	P	`	p
1	SOH	DC1 XON	!	1	A	Q	a	q
2	STX	DC2	"	2	B	R	b	r
3	ETX	DC3 XOFF	#	3	C	S	c	s
4	EOT	DC4	\$	4	D	T	d	t
5	ENQ	NAK	%	5	E	U	e	u
6	ACK	SYN	&	6	F	V	f	v
7	BEL	ETB	'	7	G	W	g	w
8	BS	CAN	{	8	H	X	h	x
9	HT	EM	}	9	I	Y	i	y
A	LF	SUB	*	:	J	Z	j	z
B	VT	ESC	+	;	K	[	k	{
C	FF	FS	,	<	L	\	l	
D	CR	GS	-	=	M	]	m	}
E	SO	RS	.	>	N	^	n	~
F	SI	US	/	?	O	_	o	del

# What number does "AU" correspond to ?

- a)  $4155_{10}$
- b)  $6175_{10}$
-  c)  $16725_{10}$
- d)  $24949_{10}$
- e) Don't know

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
0	NUL	DLE	space	0	@	P	`	p
1	SOH	DC1 XON	!	1	A	Q	a	q
2	STX	DC2	"	2	B	R	b	r
3	ETX	DC3 XOFF	#	3	C	S	c	s
4	EOT	DC4	\$	4	D	T	d	t
5	ENQ	NAK	%	5	E	U	e	u
6	ACK	SYN	&	6	F	V	f	v
7	BEL	ETB	'	7	G	W	g	w
8	BS	CAN	(	8	H	X	h	x
9	HT	EM	)	9	I	Y	i	y
A	LF	SUB	*	:	J	Z	j	z
B	VT	ESC	+	;	K	[	k	{
C	FF	FS	,	<	L	\	l	
D	CR	GS	-	=	M	]	m	}
E	SO	RS	.	>	N	^	n	~
F	SI	US	/	?	O	_	o	del

$$4 \cdot 16^3 + 1 \cdot 16^2 + 5 \cdot 16^1 + 5 \cdot 16^0 = 4 \cdot 4096 + 1 \cdot 256 + 5 \cdot 16 + 5$$

↓

$$\text{"AU"} = 4155_{16} = 0100\ 0001\ 0101\ 0101_2 = 16725_{10}$$

# Direct addressing: keys $\{0, 1, 2, \dots, m-1\}$

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
•	•	•	3	•	•	6	7	•	•	•	11	•	13	14	•

DIRECT-ADDRESS-SEARCH( $T, k$ )

1 **return**  $T[k]$

DIRECT-ADDRESS-INSERT( $T, x$ )

1  $T[x.key] = x$

DIRECT-ADDRESS-DELETE( $T, x$ )

1  $T[x.key] = \text{NIL}$

- + Good for small key universes
- + Can manually define keys to be 0, 1, 2, 3, ...
- Huge space overhead if only few keys used

# Hash function

- (Huge) key universe  $U$
- Hash function

$$h : U \rightarrow \{0, 1, \dots, m-1\}$$

$$m \ll |U|$$

$x$	$h(x)$
7	0
257	4
519	5
746	6
1231	2
3409	0
12001	1
12002	6
24123	5
25964	5

$$h(k) = (5 \cdot k) \bmod 7$$

- + Easy to distribute keys evenly
- Multiple keys can hash to the same value
- Nearly identical keys can be arbitrarily distributed

# # possible (hash) functions

$$h : U \rightarrow \{0, 1, \dots, m-1\} ?$$

a)  $|U| \cdot m$

b)  $|U| !$

c)  $2^{|U|}$



d)  $m^{|U|}$

e)  $|U|^m$

f) Don't know

# # possible (hash) functions describable by 6 characters ?

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
0	NUL	DLE	space	0	@	P	`	p
1	SOH	DC1 XON	!	1	A	Q	a	q
2	STX	DC2	"	2	B	R	b	r
3	ETX	DC3 XOFF	#	3	C	S	c	s
4	EOT	DC4	\$	4	D	T	d	t
5	ENQ	NAK	%	5	E	U	e	u
6	ACK	SYN	&	6	F	V	f	v
7	BEL	ETB	'	7	G	W	g	w
8	BS	CAN	(	8	H	X	h	x
9	HT	EM	)	9	I	Y	i	y
A	LF	SUB	*	:	J	Z	j	z
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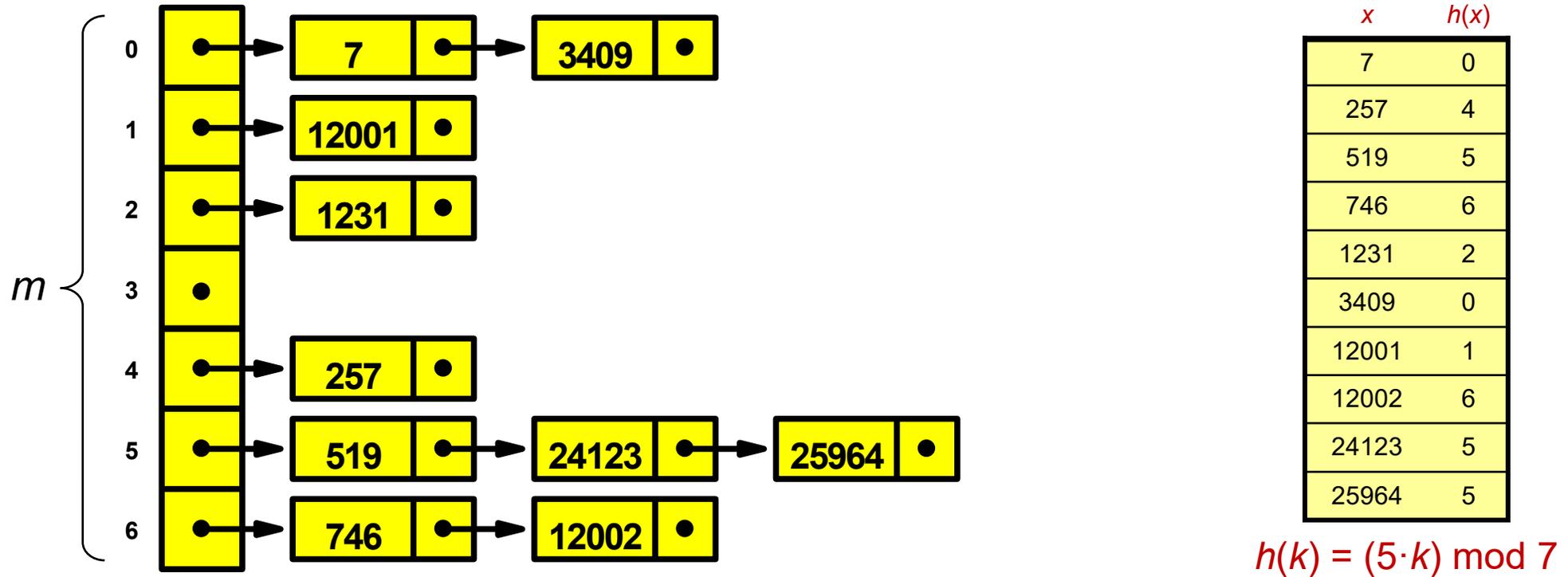


- a)  $|U|$
- b)  $128^6$
- c)  $6^{|U|}$
- d)  $6 \cdot m$
- e) Don't know

x	h(x)
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257	4
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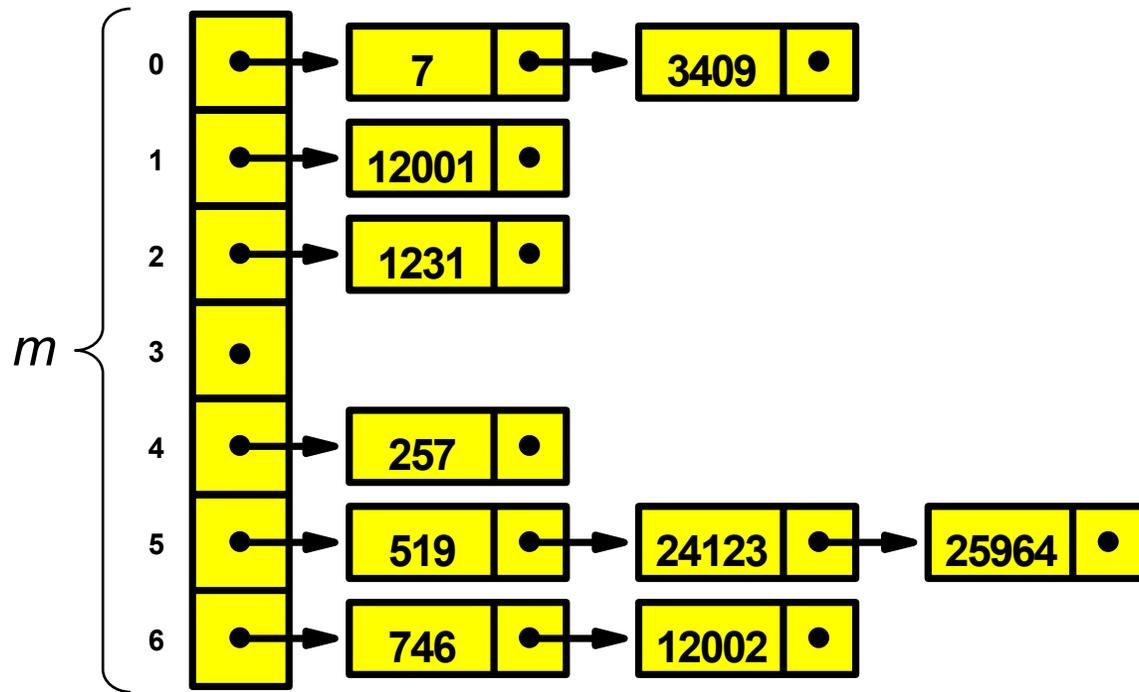
$$h(k) = 5k \text{ mod } 7$$

# Hash table with chaining



- Store set of keys  $K$
- Choose **random** hash funktion  $h : U \rightarrow \{0, 1, \dots, m-1\}$
- Store keys in table by **hash value**
- **Collision lists** for keys with same hash value

# Hash table with chaining



CHAINED-HASH-INSERT( $T, x$ )

1 LIST-PREPEND( $T[h(x.key)], x$ )

CHAINED-HASH-SEARCH( $T, k$ )

1 **return** LIST-SEARCH( $T[h(k)], k$ )

CHAINED-HASH-DELETE( $T, x$ )

1 LIST-DELETE( $T[h(x.key)], x$ )

- Choose **uniform random** hash function
- Expected # keys in one table entry chain  $|K| / m$
- Insert, Delete, Search **expected time**  $O(|K| / m)$ , i.e.,  $O(1)$  for  $m = \Omega(|K|)$

# What is a good hash function ?

- For all hash functions there exist a **bad set of keys**, where all keys hash to the same value
- + For each set there exists a **good hash function** distributing evenly the keys (if the hash function can be described succinctly is a different question)

**Goal** Find a small **set of hash functions**, where a random hash function works sufficiently well for a given set

# Hash functions – examples

$$h(k) = k \bmod m \quad (\text{typically } m \text{ is a prime})$$

$m = 2^8$  ignores all except the last 8 bits:

$$h(\dots x_3 x_2 x_1 10101111) = h(\dots y_3 y_2 y_1 10101111)$$

$m = 2^8 - 1$  ignores all swaps of characters

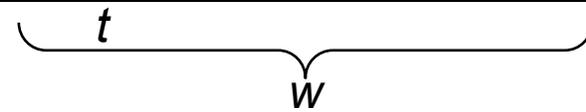
$$h("c_3 c_2 c_1") = h("c_1 c_3 c_2")$$

$$h(k) = \lfloor k \cdot s / 2^{w-t} \rfloor \bmod 2^t \quad (k = w\text{-bit}, h(k) = t\text{-bit})$$

$$h(0101000010101010) = 01000$$

$$0101000010101010 \cdot 1001111000110111$$

$$= 00110001110110100100000010000110$$



# Universal hash functions

Find **prime**  $p \geq |U|$ .

Define  $p \cdot (p-1)$  hash functions  $h_{a,b}$ , where  $1 \leq a < p$  and  $0 \leq b < p$

$$h_{a,b}(k) = ((a \cdot k + b) \bmod p) \bmod m$$

## Theorem

For two keys  $x \neq y$  and a random hash function  $h_{a,b}$  we have

$$\Pr[h_{a,b}(x) = h_{a,b}(y)] \leq 1/m \quad \text{(Universal)}$$

## Corollary

For a hash table using chaining and a **random hash function**  $h_{a,b}$   
Insert, Delete, and Search take **expected time**  $O(|K| / m)$

# Hash table with chaining

**Search( $S, k$ )**

**Insert( $S, x$ )**

**Delete( $S, x$ )**

$O(1)$   
expected

# Hashing of numbers with many bits...

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{(s bits)} \quad X_{s/w-1} \text{ (w bits)} \quad X_1 \text{ (w bits)} \quad X_0 \text{ (w bits)} \\
 X &= (b_{s-1}b_{s-2}\dots b_{s-w} \mid b_{s-w-1} \dots b_{2w} \mid b_{2w-1}\dots b_{w+1}b_w \mid b_{w-1}\dots b_2b_1b_0)_2 \\
 &= X_{s/w-1} \cdot 2^{w(s/w-1)} + X_{s/w-2} \cdot 2^{w(s/w-2)} + \dots + X_1 \cdot 2^w + X_0
 \end{aligned}$$

$$h_a(x) = (X_{s/w-1} \cdot a^{s/w-1} + X_{s/w-2} \cdot a^{s/w-2} + \dots + X_1 \cdot a^1 + X_0) \bmod p$$

$p > 2^w$  prime  
 $0 < a < p$  random

$$= (((\dots((X_{s/w-1} \cdot a + X_{s/w-2}) \cdot a + X_{s/w-3}) \cdot a + \dots + X_1) \cdot a + X_0) \bmod p$$

Polynomial evaluation  $h_a(x)$

$$y = 0$$

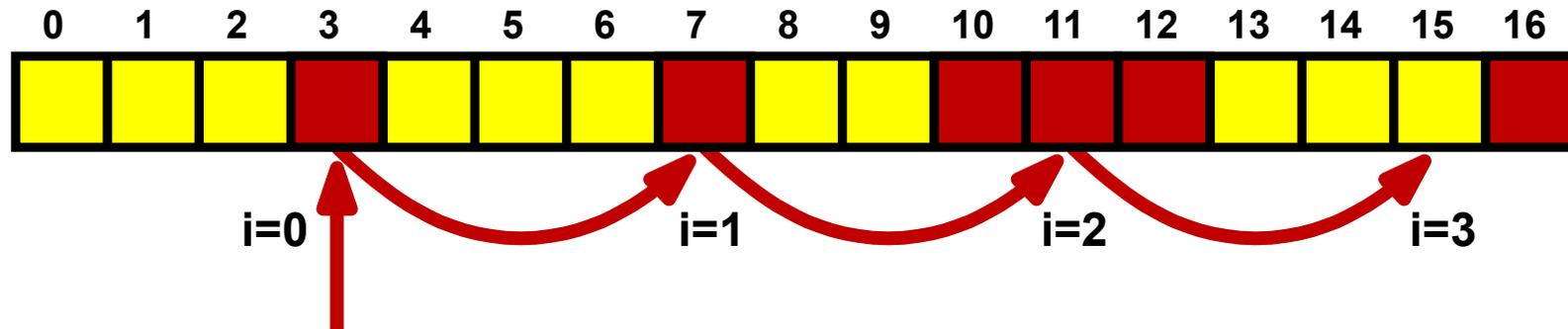
for  $i = s/w - 1$  downto 0

$$y = (y \cdot a + x_i) \bmod p$$

$$h_a(x) = y$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (a \cdot b) \bmod p &= ((a \bmod p) \cdot b) \bmod p \\
 (a+b) \bmod p &= ((a \bmod p) + b) \bmod p
 \end{aligned}$$

# Open addressing



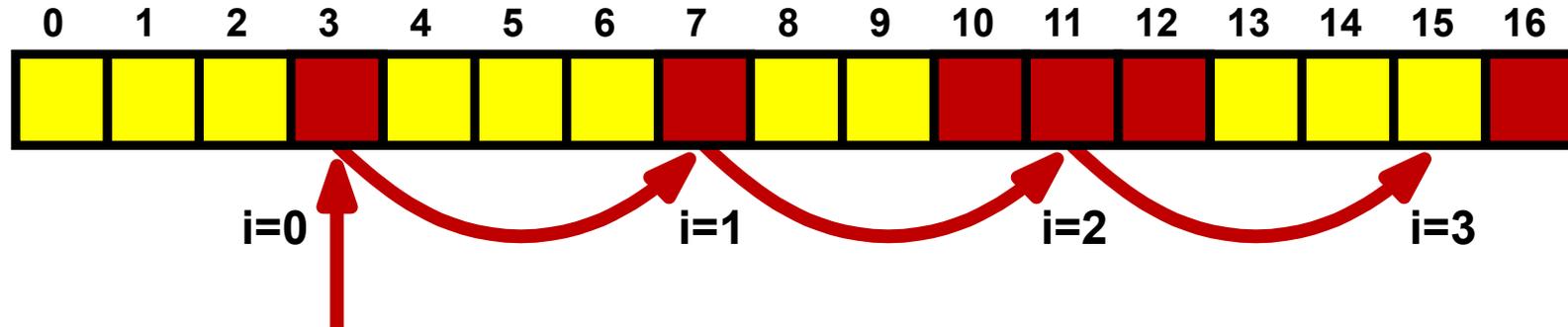
**HASH-INSERT**( $T, k$ )

```
1  $i = 0$ 
2 repeat
3    $q = h(k, i)$ 
4   if  $T[q] == \text{NIL}$ 
5      $T[q] = k$ 
6     return  $q$ 
7   else  $i = i + 1$ 
8 until  $i == m$ 
9 error "hash table overflow"
```

**HASH-SEARCH**( $T, k$ )

```
1  $i = 0$ 
2 repeat
3    $q = h(k, i)$ 
4   if  $T[q] == k$ 
5     return  $q$ 
6    $i = i + 1$ 
7 until  $T[q] == \text{NIL}$  or  $i == m$ 
8 return NIL
```

# Open addressing – analysis



## Uniform hashing

$h(k, 0), h(k, 1), h(k, 2), \dots$  is a **uniform random** sequence **(unrealistic)**

**Theorem** [CLRS Chapter 11.4, Corollary 11.7]

Uniform hashing requires **expected  $1/(1-\alpha)$**  lookups for insertions, where  $\alpha = |K|/m$  is the load factor

# Linear probing

Insert  $k$  in first available slot

$$h(k, i) = (h'(k) + i) \bmod m$$

for  $i = 0, 1, 2, \dots$

## Example

Insert 9, 3, 20, 6, 12, 2, 19, 11, 5

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	9			2	19	3	20	12	11	5		6				

$x$	$h'(x)$
2	4
3	6
5	10
6	12
9	1
11	5
12	7
19	4
20	6

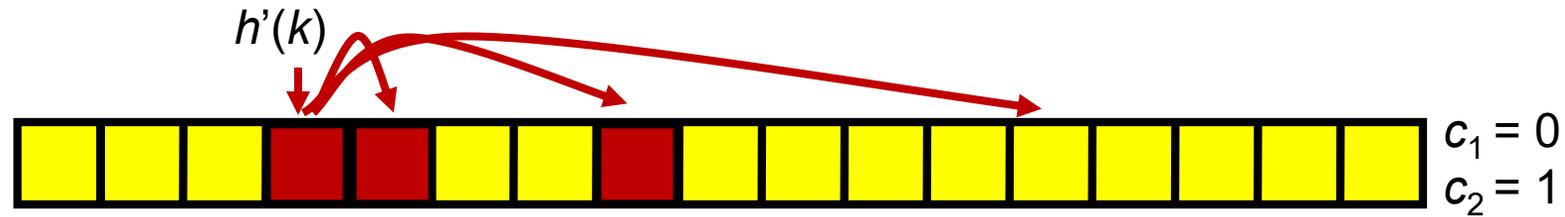
$$h'(x) = (2 \cdot x) \bmod 17$$

# Quadratic probing

Insert  $k$  in first available slot

$$h(k, i) = (h'(k) + c_1 \cdot i + c_2 \cdot i^2) \bmod m$$

for  $i = 0, 1, 2, \dots$  where  $c_1$  and  $c_2 \neq 0$  are constants

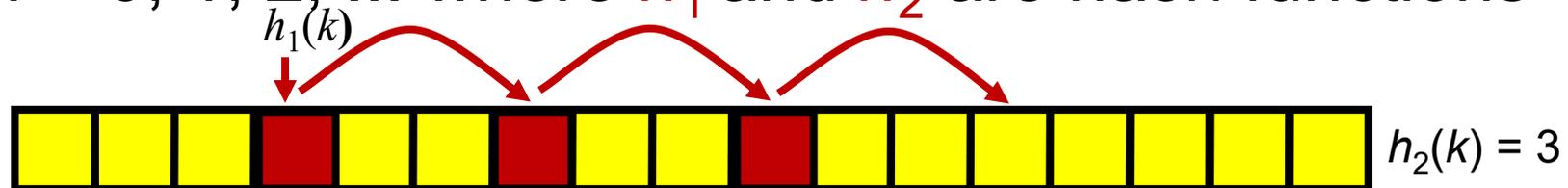


# Double hashing

Insert  $k$  in first available slot

$$h(k, i) = (h_1(k) + \underline{i \cdot h_2(k)}) \bmod m$$

for  $i = 0, 1, 2, \dots$  where  $h_1$  and  $h_2$  are hash functions



# Double hashing – where is 1 inserted ?



a) 1

b) 5

c) 7

d) 9

e) Don't know

$$h_1(k) = (2k) \bmod 10$$

$$h_2(k) = 1 + ((2k) \bmod 9)$$

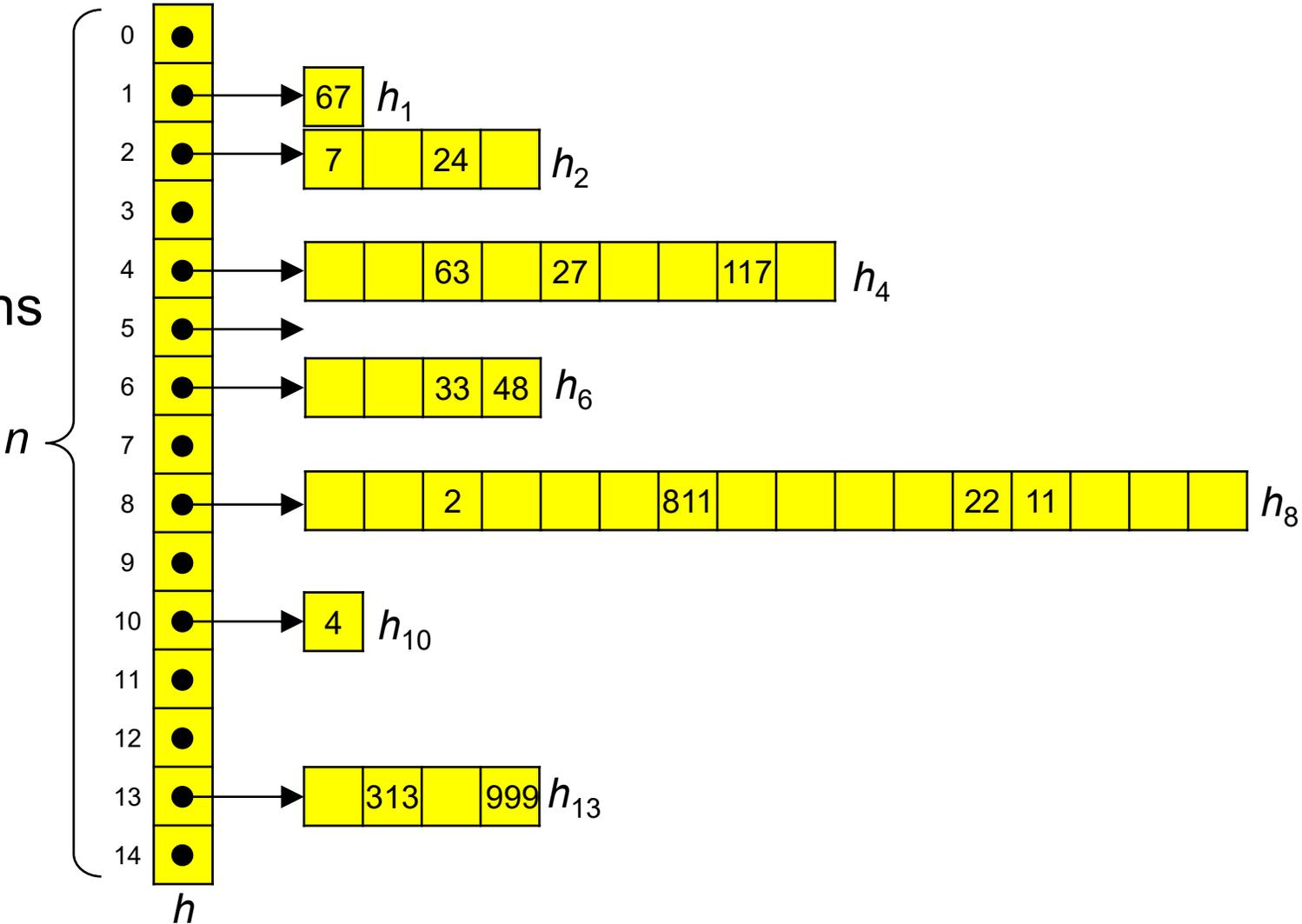
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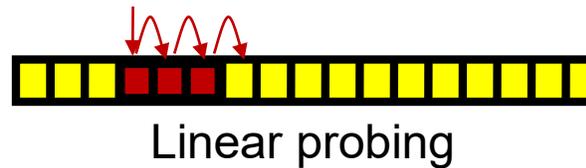
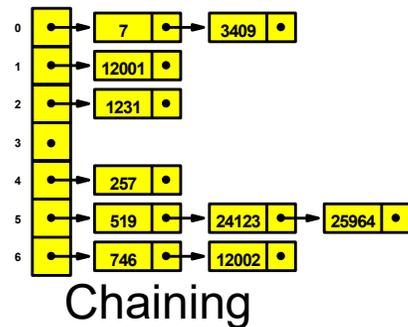
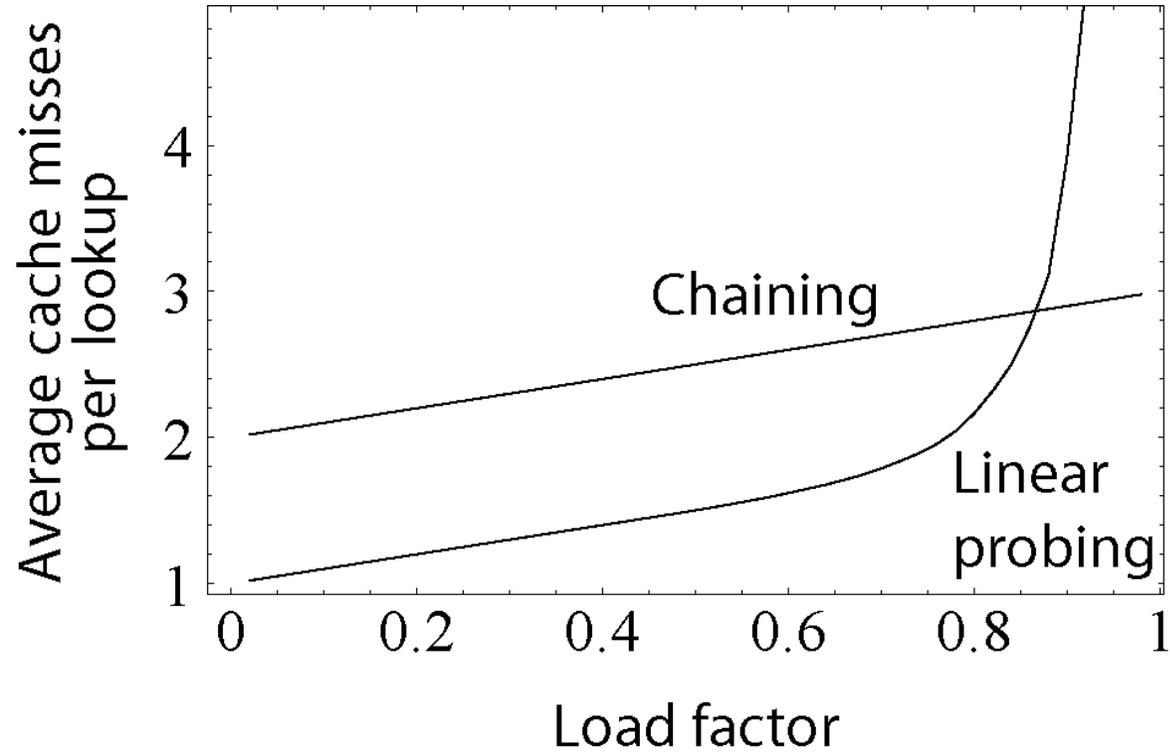
# Perfect hashing (static)

- $n$  keys
- 2 levels of hash functions
- Buckets separate hash functions
- $h$  hash table with  $n$  slots
- Bucket with  $n_i$  keys,  $n_i^2$  slots
- Universal hash functions

$$E[\text{collisions}] = \binom{n}{2} / \# \text{ slots}$$



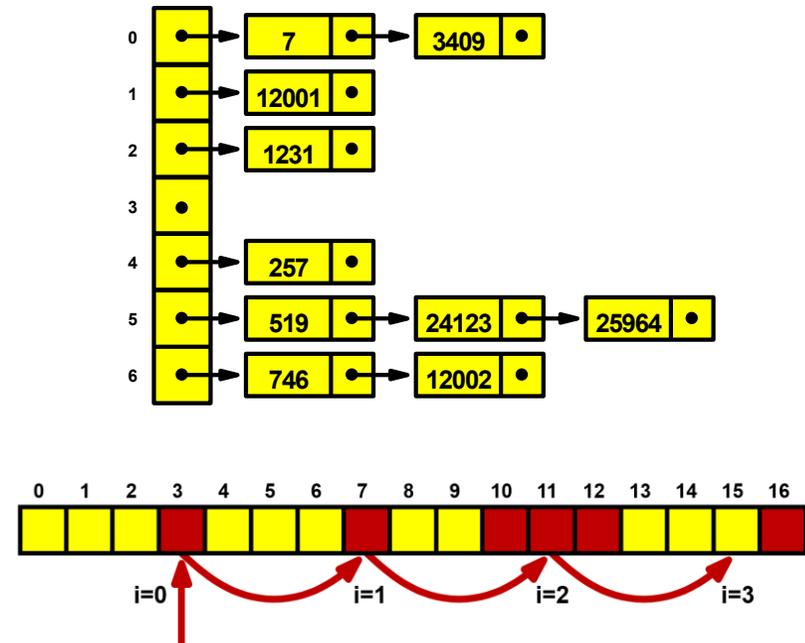
# Experimental comparison



# Hashing

- **Choice of hash function**
  - Try different options...
  - Universal hash functions
- **Hash tables**
  - Collision lists (chaining)
- **Open addressing**
  - Linear probing
  - Quadratic probing
  - Double hashing

$$h_{a,b}(k) = ((a \cdot k + b) \bmod p) \bmod m$$



# **Algorithms and Data Structures**

Binary search trees  
[CLRS, Chapter 12]

# Abstract data structure: **dictionary**

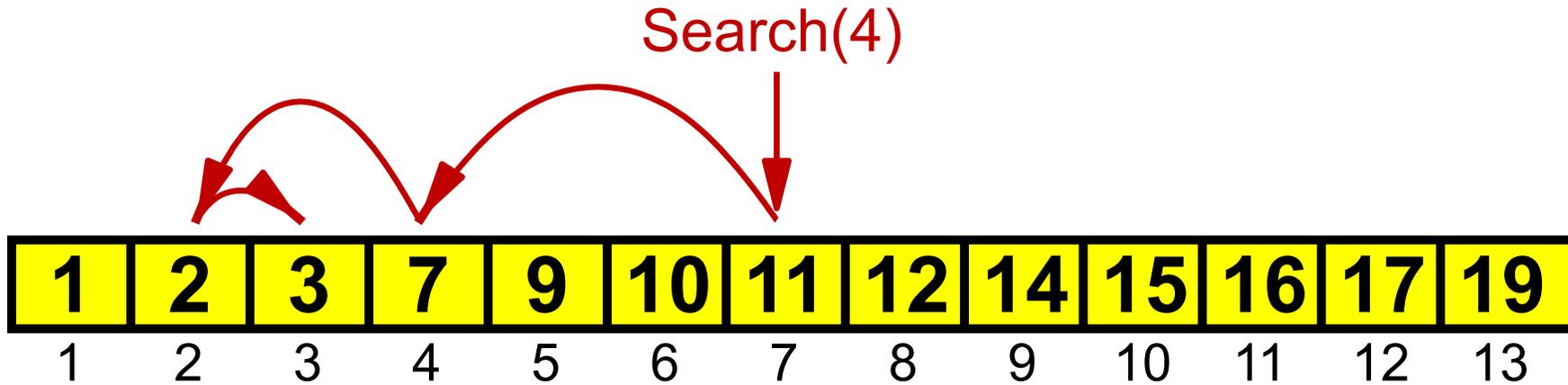
**Search( $S, k$ )**

**Insert( $S, x$ )**

**Delete( $S, x$ )**

Elements can only be compared using " $\leq$ "

# (Static) dictionary: sorted array



<b>Search(<math>S, x</math>)</b>	$O(\log n)$
<b>Insert(<math>S, x</math>)</b> <b>Delete(<math>S, x</math>)</b>	$O(n)$



# Worst-case search time

How many comparisons do a search after an element require in a sorted array with 8 elements, when elements can only be compared ?



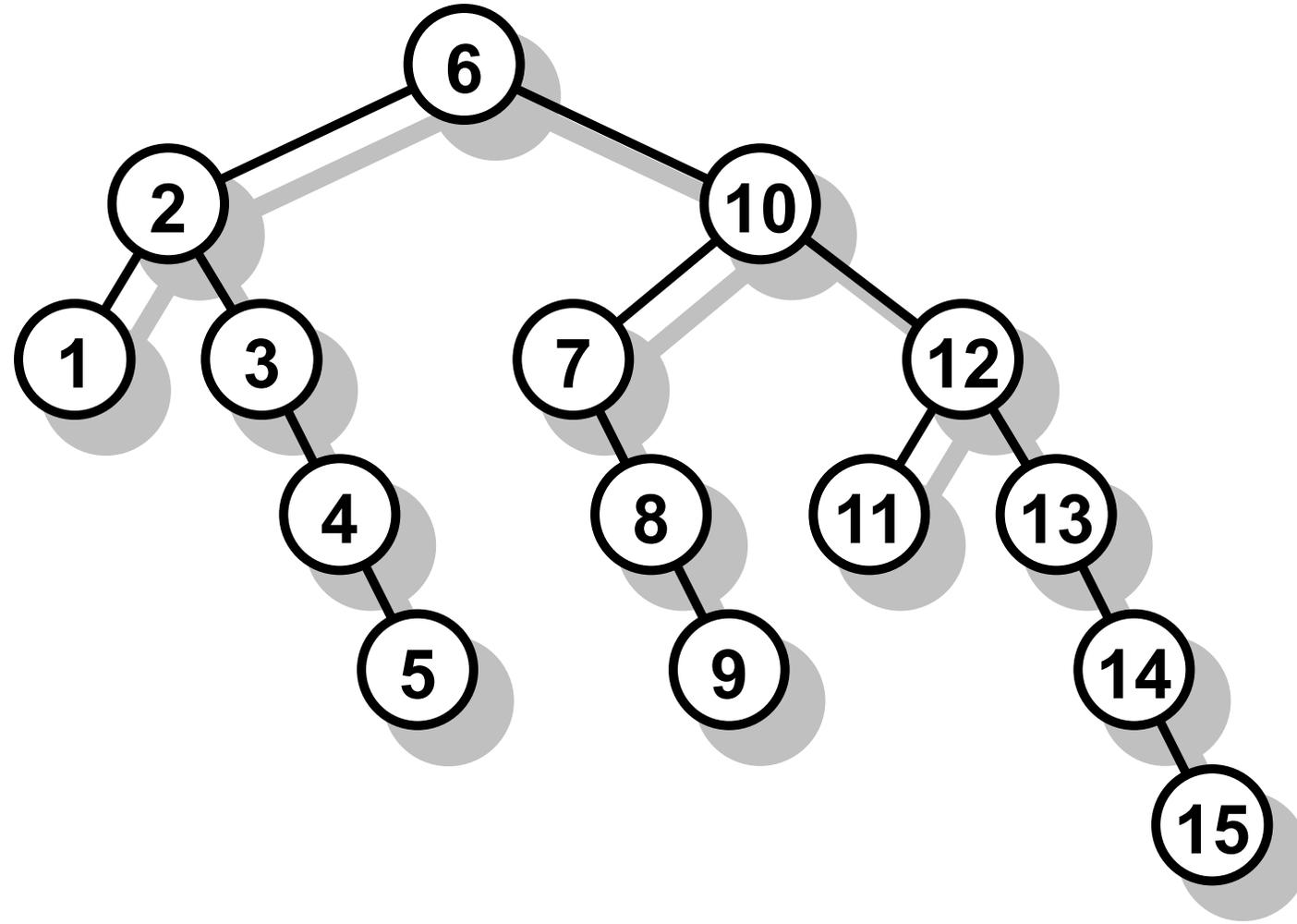
- a) 1
- b) 2
- c) 3
- d) 4
- e) 5
- f) 6
- g) 7
- h) 8
- i) Don't know

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
2	5	7	9	11	13	42	71

## Theorem

Searching among  $\geq 2^i$  elements requires at least  $i + 1$  comparisons

# Binary search tree

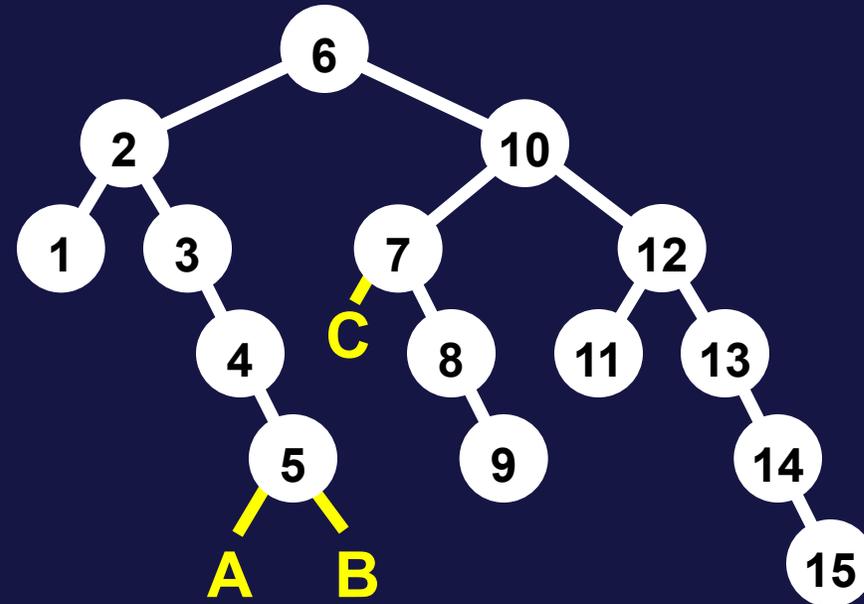


**Invariant** Each node stores an element, and elements in the left (right) subtree are smaller (larger) than or equal to the element in a node

# Where can 5.5 be inserted ?



- a) A
- b) B
- c) C
- d) A or B
- e) B or C
- f) Don't know



# Searches

TREE-SEARCH( $x, k$ )

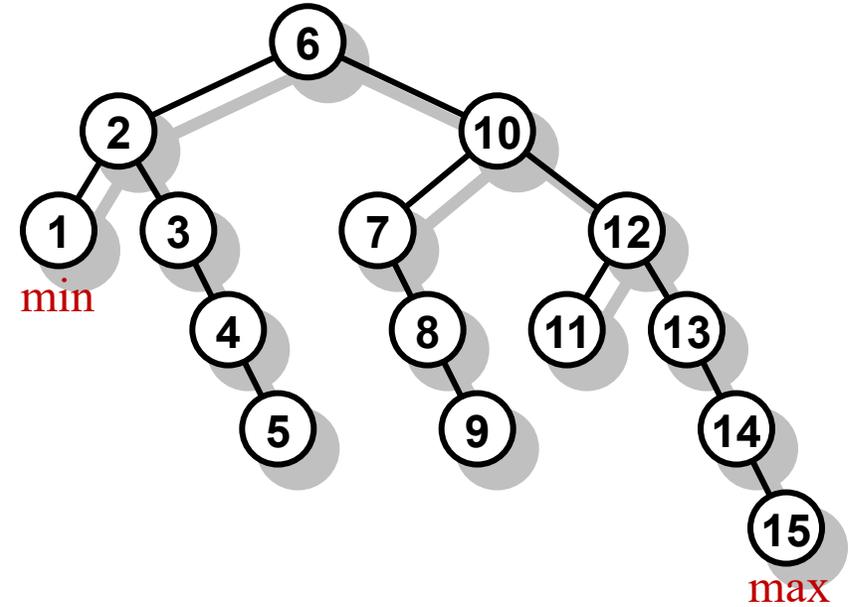
```
1 if  $x == \text{NIL}$  or  $k == x.\text{key}$ 
2   return  $x$ 
3 if  $k < x.\text{key}$ 
4   return TREE-SEARCH( $x.\text{left}, k$ )
5 else return TREE-SEARCH( $x.\text{right}, k$ )
```

ITERATIVE-TREE-SEARCH( $x, k$ )

```
1 while  $x \neq \text{NIL}$  and  $k \neq x.\text{key}$ 
2   if  $k < x.\text{key}$ 
3      $x = x.\text{left}$ 
4   else  $x = x.\text{right}$ 
5 return  $x$ 
```

TREE-SUCCESSOR( $x$ )

```
1 if  $x.\text{right} \neq \text{NIL}$ 
2   return TREE-MINIMUM( $x.\text{right}$ )
3 else
4    $y = x.p$ 
5   while  $y \neq \text{NIL}$  and  $x == y.\text{right}$ 
6      $x = y$ 
7      $y = y.p$ 
8 return  $y$ 
```



INORDER-TREE-WALK( $x$ )

```
1 if  $x \neq \text{NIL}$ 
2   INORDER-TREE-WALK( $x.\text{left}$ )
3   print  $x.\text{key}$ 
4   INORDER-TREE-WALK( $x.\text{right}$ )
```

TREE-MINIMUM( $x$ )

```
1 while  $x.\text{left} \neq \text{NIL}$ 
2    $x = x.\text{left}$ 
3 return  $x$ 
```

TREE-MAXIMUM( $x$ )

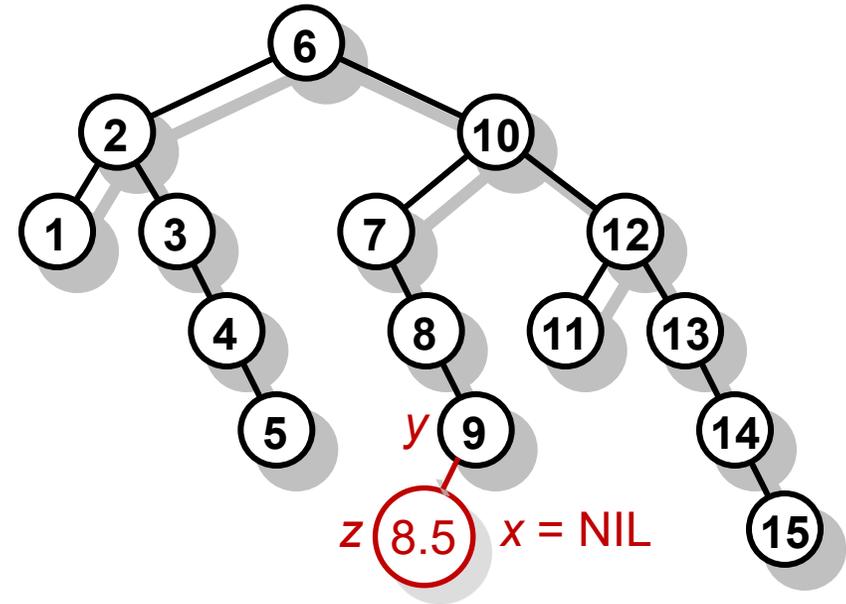
```
1 while  $x.\text{right} \neq \text{NIL}$ 
2    $x = x.\text{right}$ 
3 return  $x$ 
```

# Insertions

TREE-INSERT( $T, z$ )

Iterative search

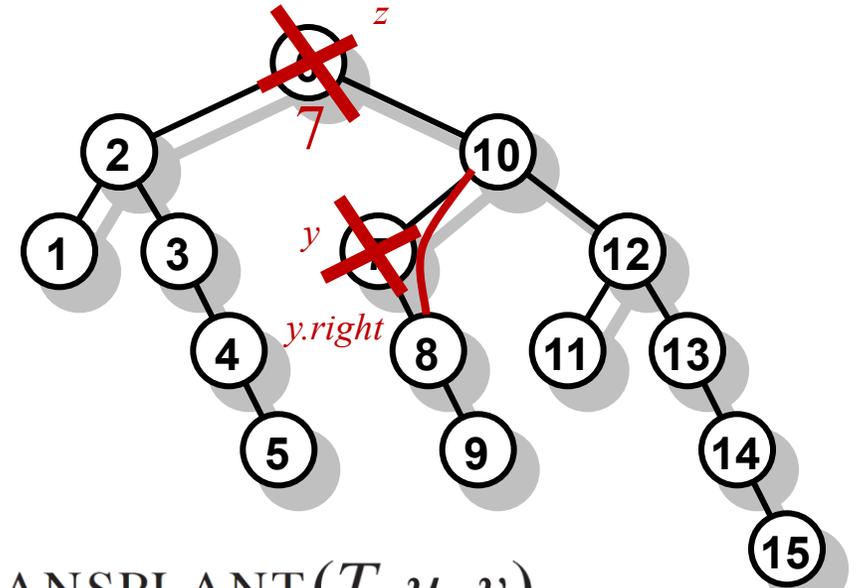
```
1   $x = T.root$ 
2   $y = NIL$ 
3  while  $x \neq NIL$ 
4       $y = x$ 
5      if  $z.key < x.key$ 
6           $x = x.left$ 
7      else  $x = x.right$ 
8   $z.p = y$ 
9  if  $y == NIL$ 
10      $T.root = z$ 
11  elseif  $z.key < y.key$ 
12      $y.left = z$ 
13  else  $y.right = z$ 
```



# Deletions

TREE-DELETE( $T, z$ )

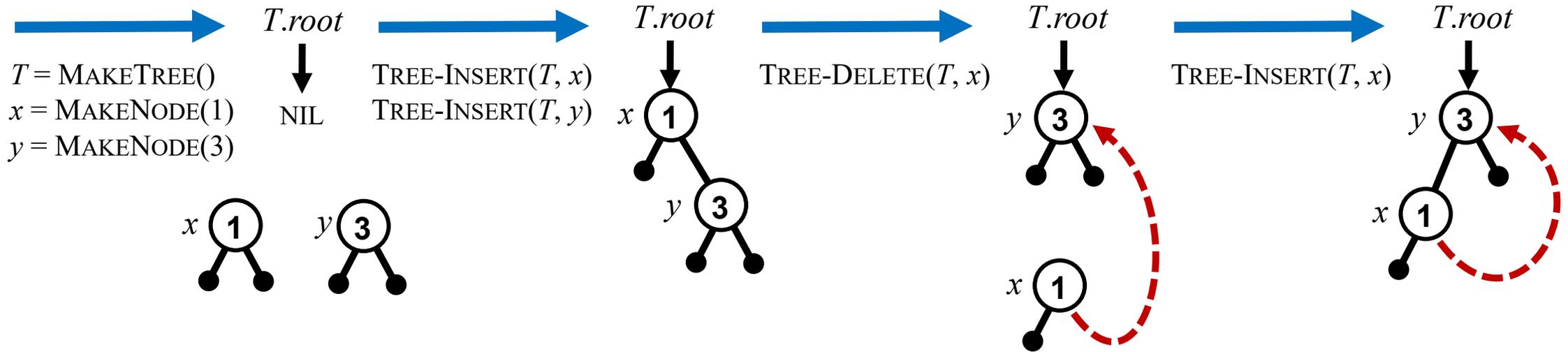
```
1  if  $z.left == \text{NIL}$ 
2      TRANSPLANT( $T, z, z.right$ )
3  elseif  $z.right == \text{NIL}$ 
4      TRANSPLANT( $T, z, z.left$ )
5  else  $y = \text{TREE-MINIMUM}(z.right)$ 
6      if  $y \neq z.right$ 
7          TRANSPLANT( $T, y, y.right$ )
8           $y.right = z.right$ 
9           $y.right.p = y$ 
10     TRANSPLANT( $T, z, y$ )
11      $y.left = z.left$ 
12      $y.left.p = y$ 
```



TRANSPLANT( $T, u, v$ )

```
1  if  $u.p == \text{NIL}$ 
2       $T.root = v$ 
3  elseif  $u == u.p.left$ 
4       $u.p.left = v$ 
5  else  $u.p.right = v$ 
6  if  $v \neq \text{NIL}$ 
7       $v.p = u.p$ 
```

# Warning



- CLRS pseudocode does not reset the deleted nodes pointers, and assumes the inserted node's pointers are  $NIL$
- $TREE-SEARCH(T.root, 2)$  infinite loop 😞

# Binary search trees

<b>Inorder-Tree-Walk</b>	$O(n)$
<b>Tree-Search</b>	
<b>Iterative-Tree-Search</b>	
<b>Tree-Minimum</b>	
<b>Tree-Maximum</b>	$O(h)$
<b>Tree-Insert</b>	
<b>Tree-Delete</b>	

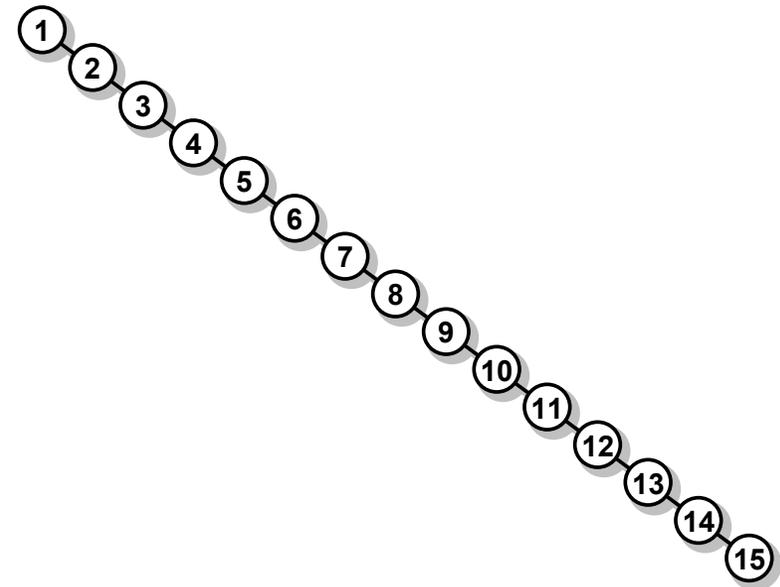
$h$  = height,  $n$  = # elements

**Height**  
**of a binary search tree?**

# Largest and smallest heights

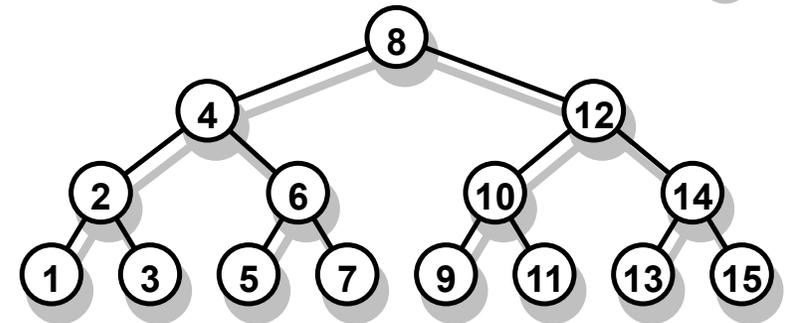
Insert in increasing order

– Height  $n$



Perfect balanced  
(smallest possible height)

– Height  $1 + \lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor$



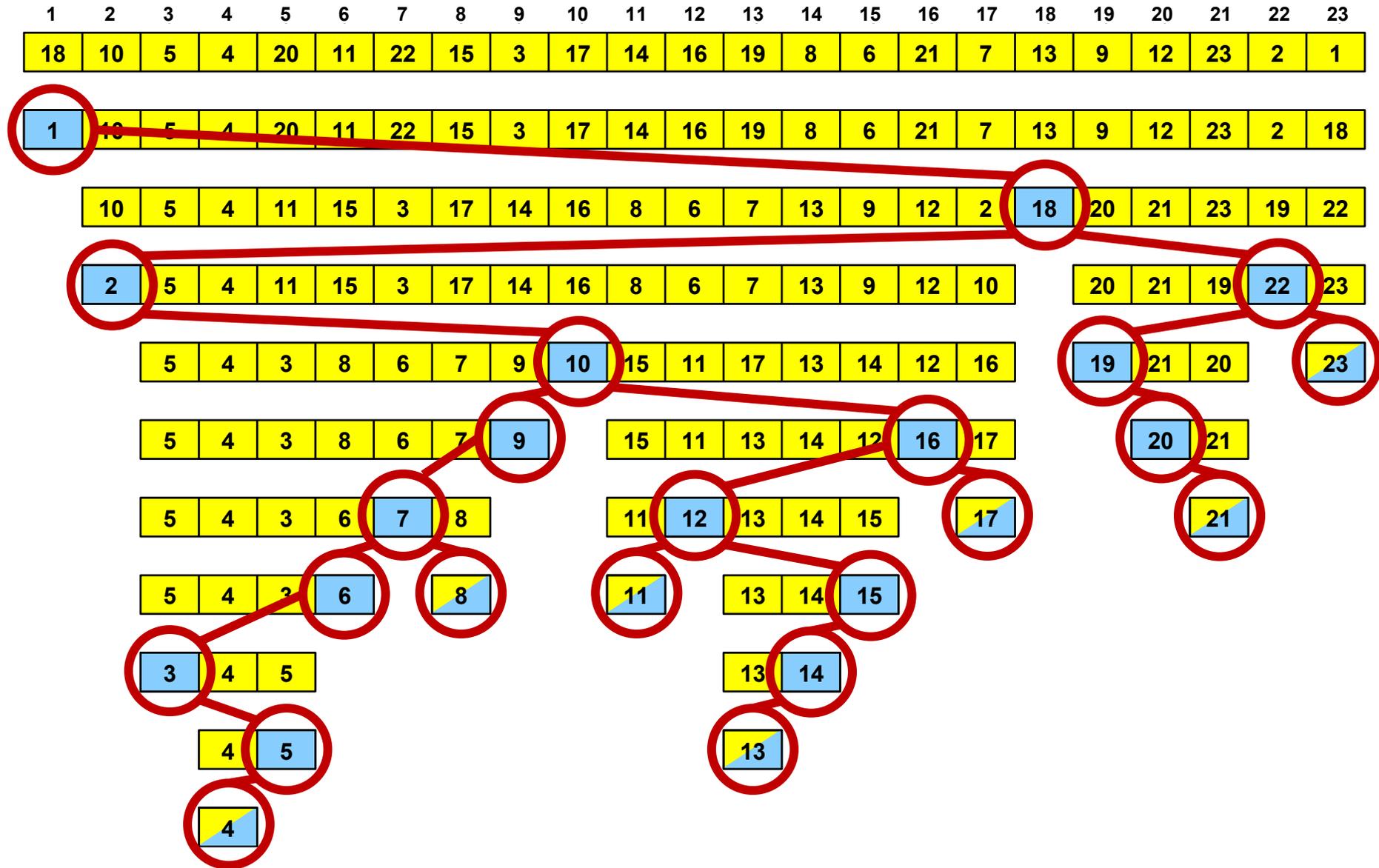
# Random insertions into binary search trees

## Algorithm

Insert  $n$  elements in random order

- As QuickSort argument, the **expected depth** of an element is  $O(\log n)$  [CLRS, Problem 12.3]
- The expected **height of a tree** is  $O(\log n)$ , i.e., *all nodes* have expected depth  $O(\log n)$  [CLRS 3<sup>rd</sup> edition, Chapter 12.4]

# RandomizedQuicksort $\equiv$ random insertions



# Balanced search trees

**Balanced search trees** restructure the trees during updates to guarantee  $O(\log n)$  height

- AVL-trees [CLRS Pr. 13-3]
- BB[ $\alpha$ ]-trees
- Splay trees
- Locally balanced trees
- Red-black trees [CLRS Ch. 13]
- Randomized trees/treaps [CLRS 3ed Pr. 13-4]
- (2,3)-trees
- (2,4)-trees [CLRS Ch. 18.1, Pr. 18-2]
- B-trees [CLRS Ch. 18]
- Weight balanced B-trees
- ...

# **Algorithms and Data Structures**

Balanced binary search trees: Red-black trees  
[CLRS, Chapter 13]

# Red-black trees

## Goal

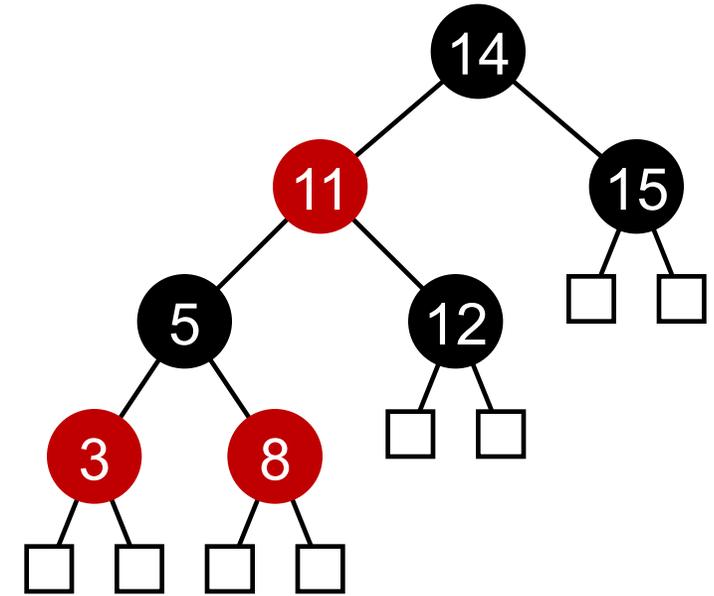
Binary search trees with height  $O(\log n)$

## Invariants

- Every node is **red** or **black**
- Every **red** node has a **black** parent
- All paths from the root to an external leaf (nil) have the same number of **black nodes**

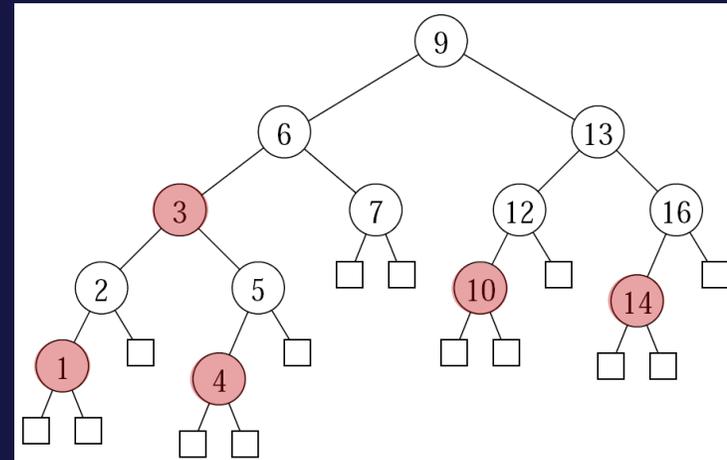
## Theorem

A red-black tree has height  $\leq 2 \cdot \log(n+1)$



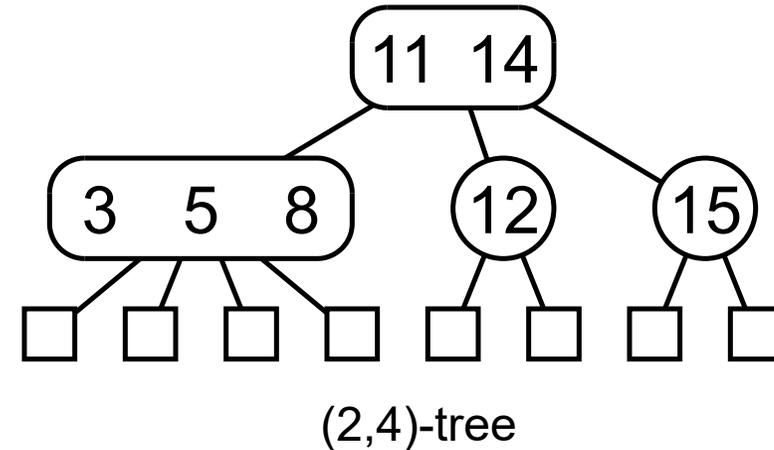
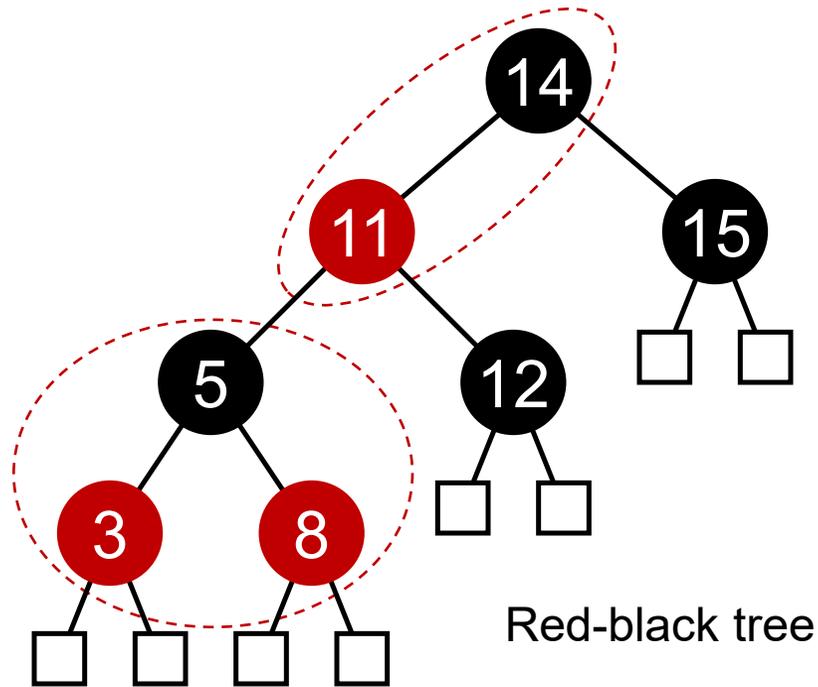
# Which nodes should be colored red to make the tree a valid red-black tree ?

- a) 1, 4, 10, 14
- b) 2, 5, 10, 14
- c) 1, 3, 4, 7, 12, 16
- d) 1, 3, 4, 10, 14
- e) None
- f) Don't know



In general, not all binary search trees can be colored to become a valid red-black tree, and possible valid colorings are not necessarily unique

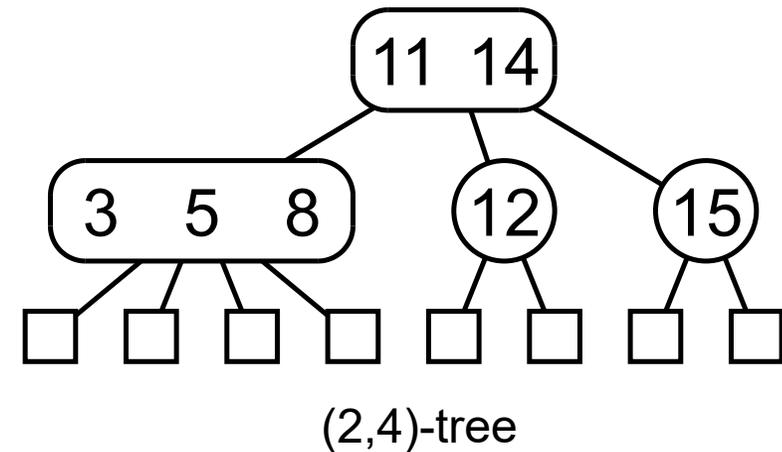
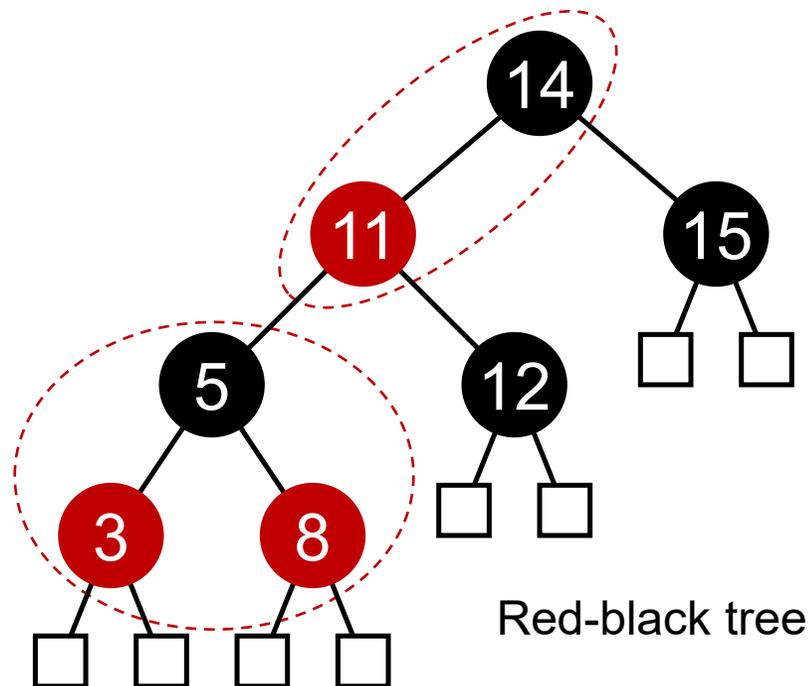
# Red-black vs (2,4)-trees



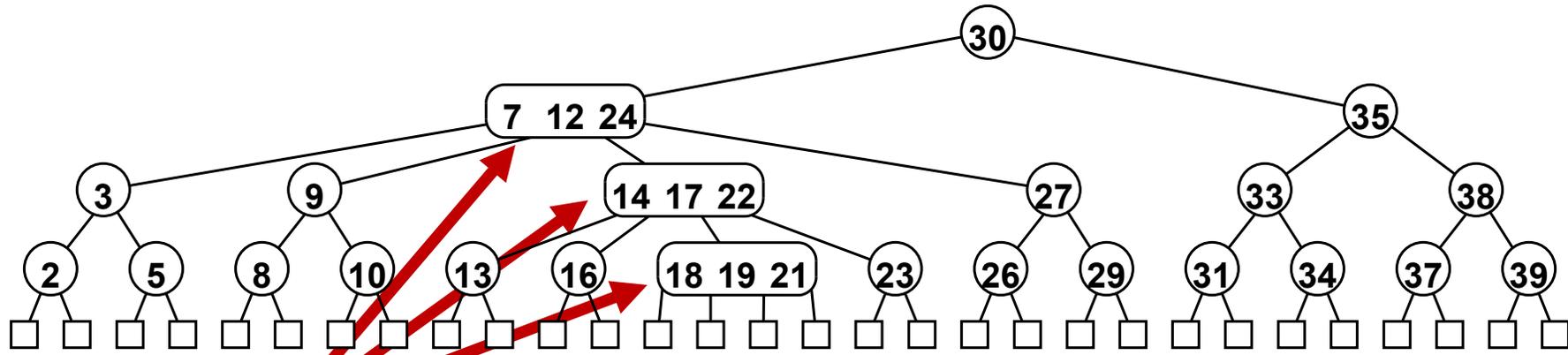
**(2,4)-tree  $\equiv$  red-black tree**  
where all red nodes are merged with parent

# (2,4)-tree properties

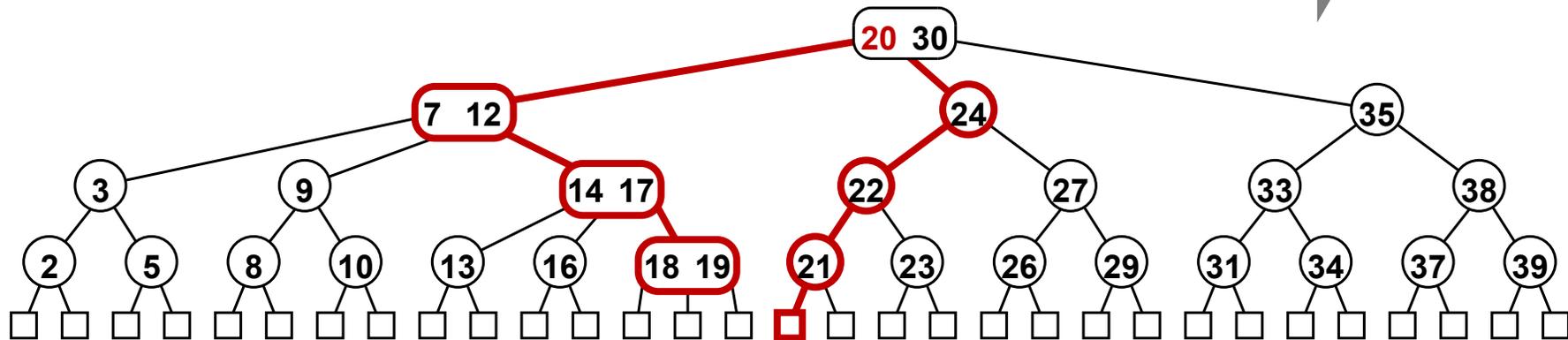
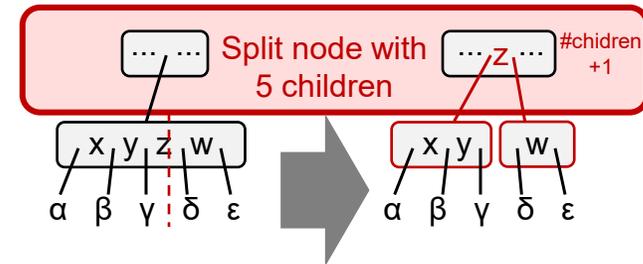
- All interne nodes **2 to 4 children**
- Node with  **$i$  children** stores  **$i-1$  elements**
- Root-to-leaf paths all have equal length



# (2,4)-tree insertion



**Split** into two nodes  
and move separating  
key one level up

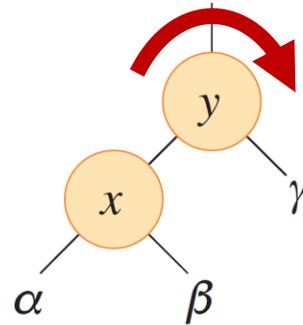


# **Red-black tree updates**

# Rotations

LEFT-ROTATE( $T, x$ )

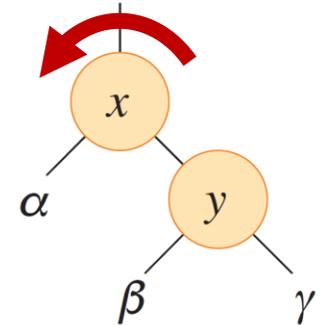
```
1   $y = x.right$ 
2   $x.right = y.left$ 
3  if  $y.left \neq T.nil$ 
4       $y.left.p = x$ 
5   $y.p = x.p$ 
6  if  $x.p == T.nil$ 
7       $T.root = y$ 
8  elseif  $x == x.p.left$ 
9       $x.p.left = y$ 
10 else  $x.p.right = y$ 
11  $y.left = x$ 
12  $x.p = y$ 
```



LEFT-ROTATE( $T, x$ )



RIGHT-ROTATE( $T, y$ )



**Insert**

Unbalanced  
insertion

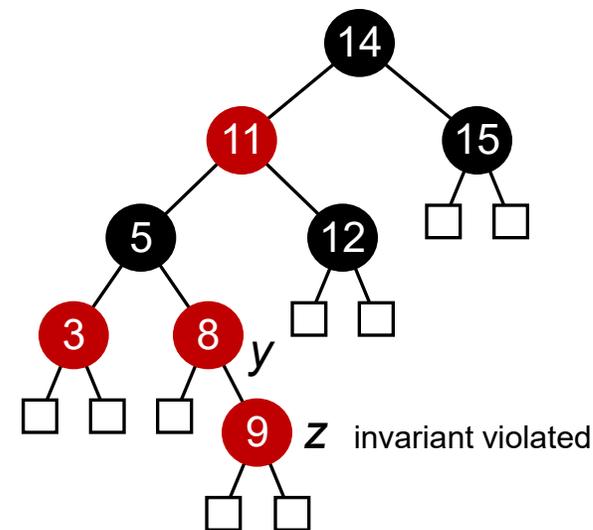
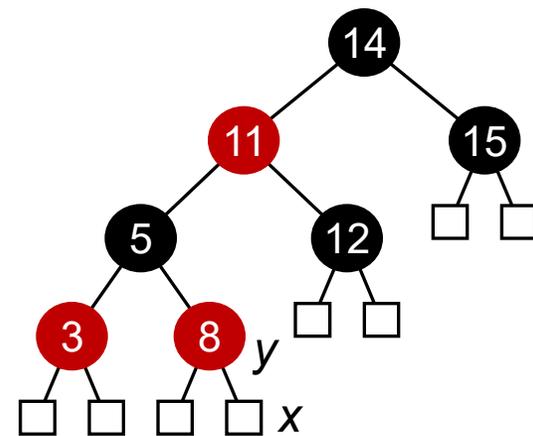
search

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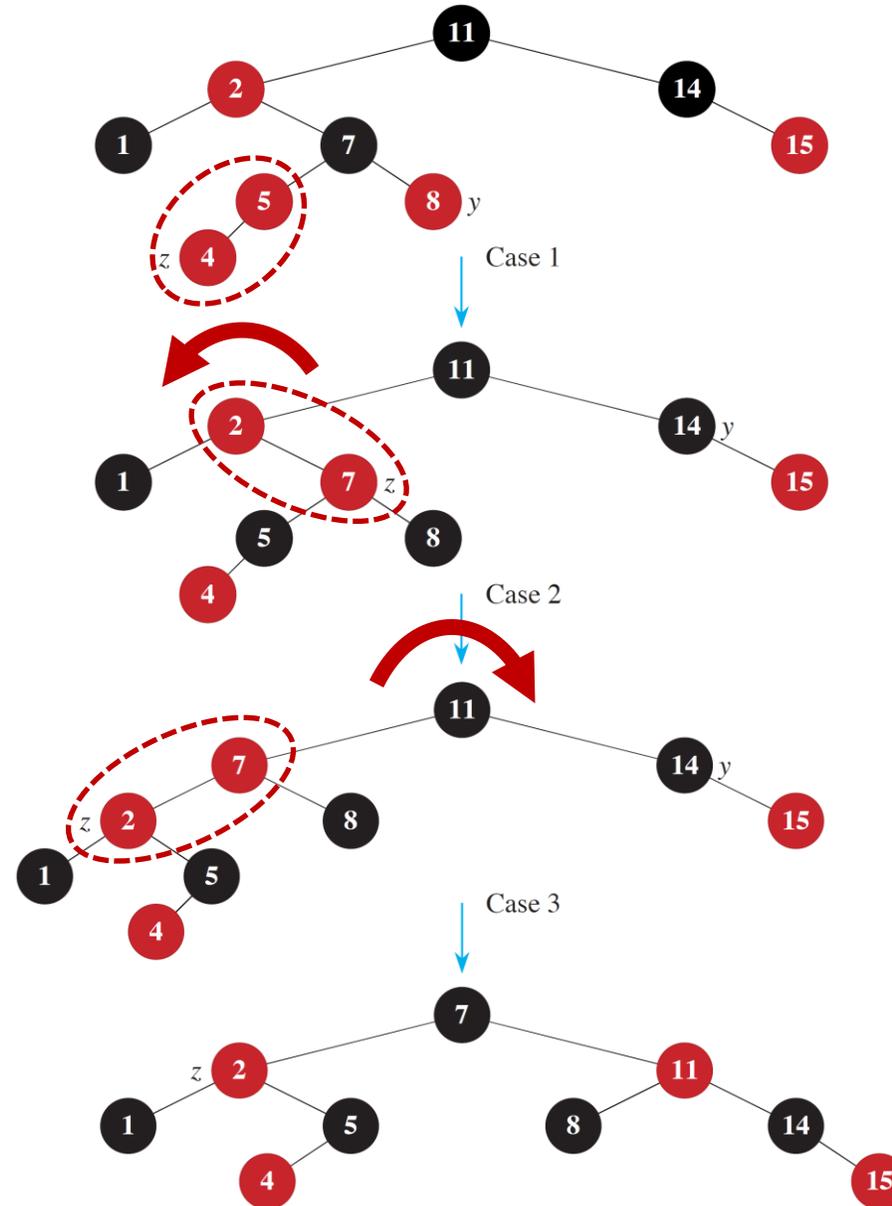
RB-INSERT( $T, z$ )

```
1  $x = T.root$ 
2  $y = T.nil$ 
3 while  $x \neq T.nil$ 
4    $y = x$ 
5   if  $z.key < x.key$ 
6      $x = x.left$ 
7   else  $x = x.right$ 
8  $z.p = y$ 
9 if  $y == T.nil$ 
10    $T.root = z$ 
11 elseif  $z.key < y.key$ 
12    $y.left = z$ 
13 else  $y.right = z$ 
14  $z.left = T.nil$ 
15  $z.right = T.nil$ 
16  $z.color = RED$ 
17 RB-INSERT-FIXUP( $T, z$ )
```

Insert(9)

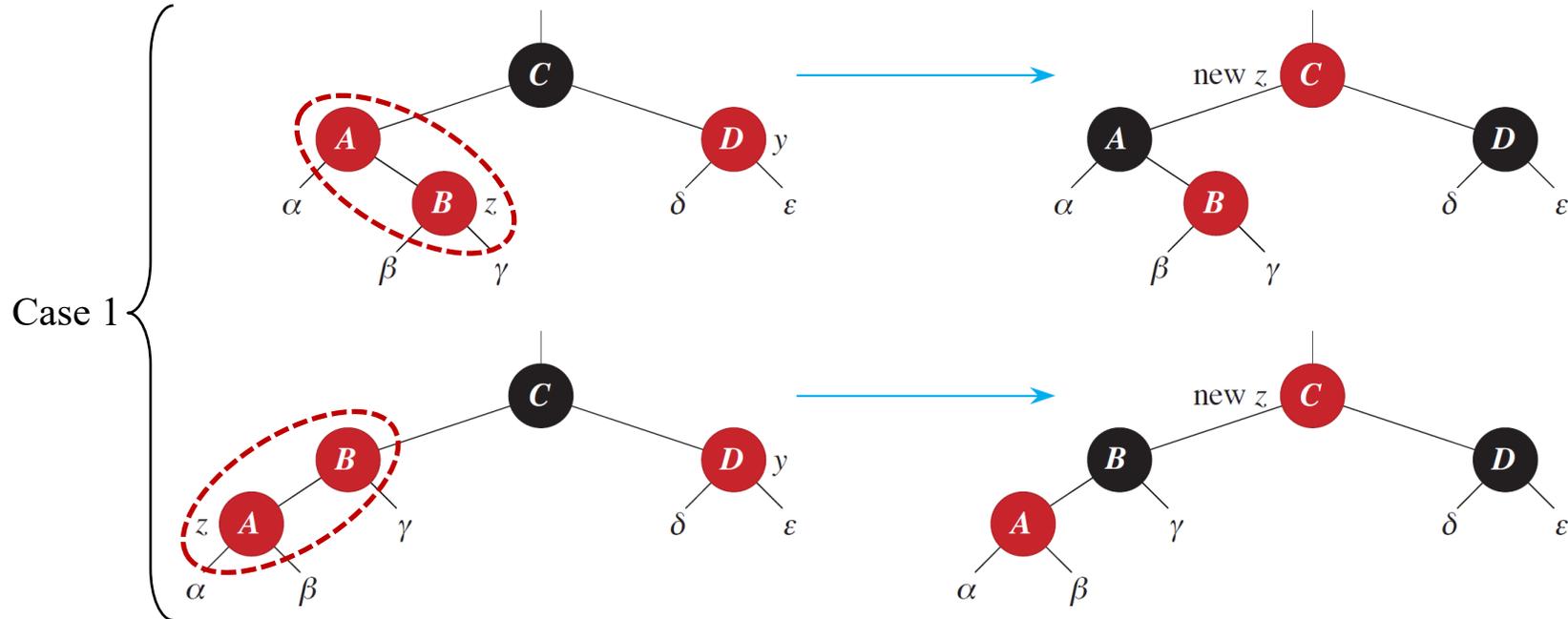


# Example : Rebalancing after insertion

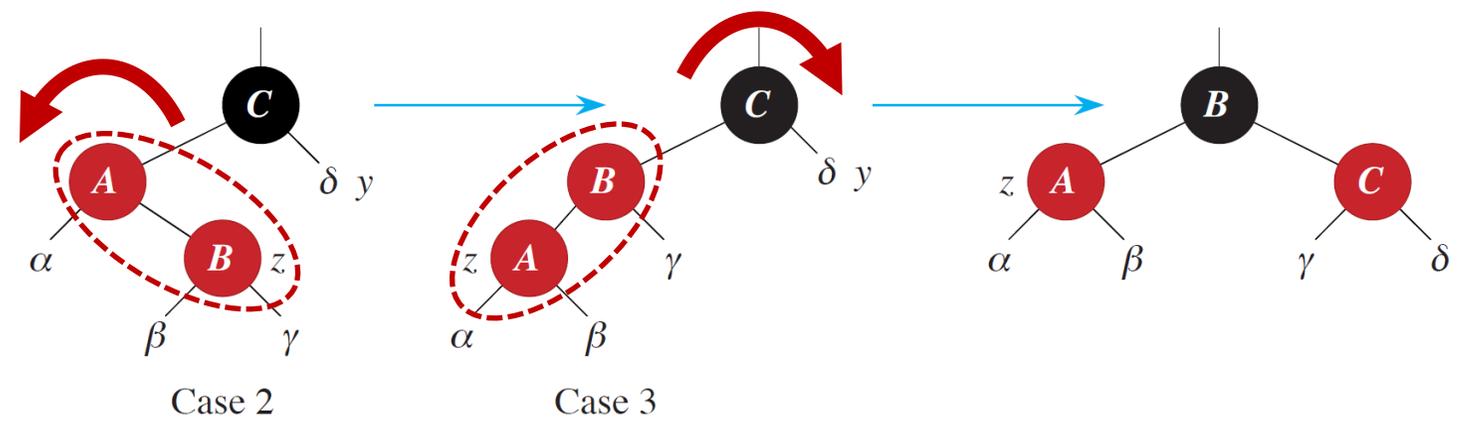


# Red-black tree insert rebalancing

Recolor C and its two red children

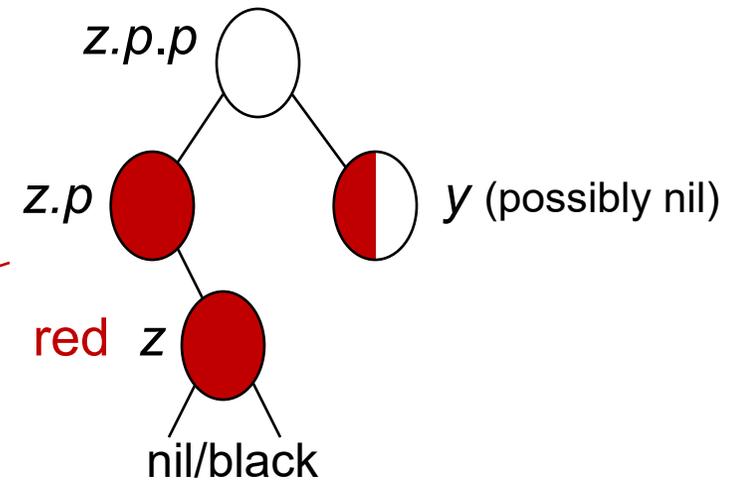


Final rebalancing



# RB-INSERT-FIXUP( $T, z$ )

```
1  while  $z.p.color == RED$ 
2      if  $z.p == z.p.p.left$ 
3           $y = z.p.p.right$ 
4          if  $y.color == RED$ 
5               $z.p.color = BLACK$ 
6               $y.color = BLACK$ 
7               $z.p.p.color = RED$ 
8               $z = z.p.p$ 
9          else
10             if  $z == z.p.right$ 
11                  $z = z.p$ 
12                 LEFT-ROTATE( $T, z$ )
13                  $z.p.color = BLACK$ 
14                  $z.p.p.color = RED$ 
15                 RIGHT-ROTATE( $T, z.p.p$ )
16             else // same as lines 3–15, but with “right” and “left” exchanged
30   $T.root.color = BLACK$ 
```



} case 1

} case 2

} case 3

# Worst-case # rotations during red-black tree insertion ?



a) 1

b) 2

c)  $\log n$

d)  $2 \cdot \log n$

e) Don't know

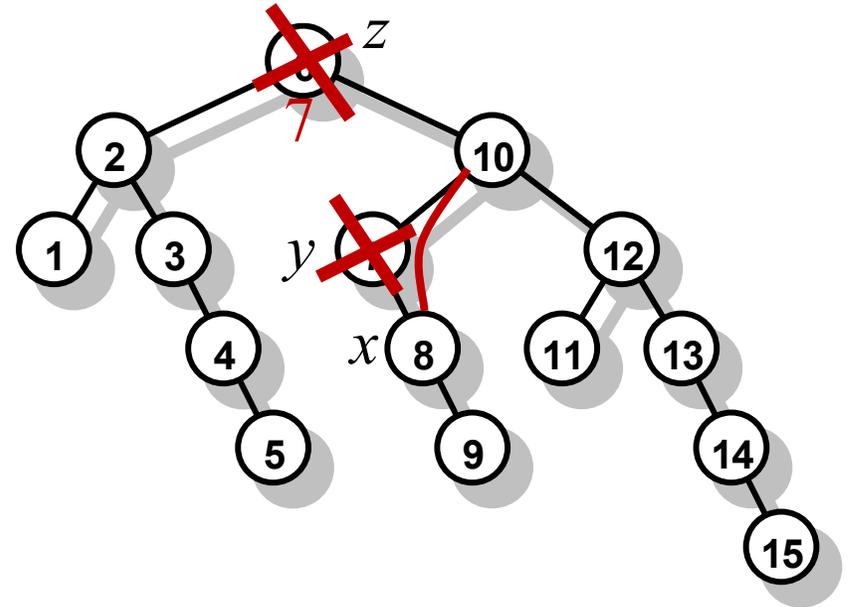
**Delete**

Unbalanced deletion

RB-DELETE( $T, z$ )

```
1   $y = z$ 
2   $y\text{-original-color} = y.\text{color}$ 
3  if  $z.\text{left} == T.\text{nil}$ 
4       $x = z.\text{right}$ 
5      RB-TRANSPLANT( $T, z, z.\text{right}$ )
6  elseif  $z.\text{right} == T.\text{nil}$ 
7       $x = z.\text{left}$ 
8      RB-TRANSPLANT( $T, z, z.\text{left}$ )
9  else  $y = \text{TREE-MINIMUM}(z.\text{right})$ 
10      $y\text{-original-color} = y.\text{color}$ 
11      $x = y.\text{right}$ 
12     if  $y \neq z.\text{right}$ 
13         RB-TRANSPLANT( $T, y, y.\text{right}$ )
14          $y.\text{right} = z.\text{right}$ 
15          $y.\text{right}.p = y$ 
16     else  $x.p = y$ 
17     RB-TRANSPLANT( $T, z, y$ )
18      $y.\text{left} = z.\text{left}$ 
19      $y.\text{left}.p = y$ 
20      $y.\text{color} = z.\text{color}$ 
21 if  $y\text{-original-color} == \text{BLACK}$ 
22     RB-DELETE-FIXUP( $T, x$ )
```

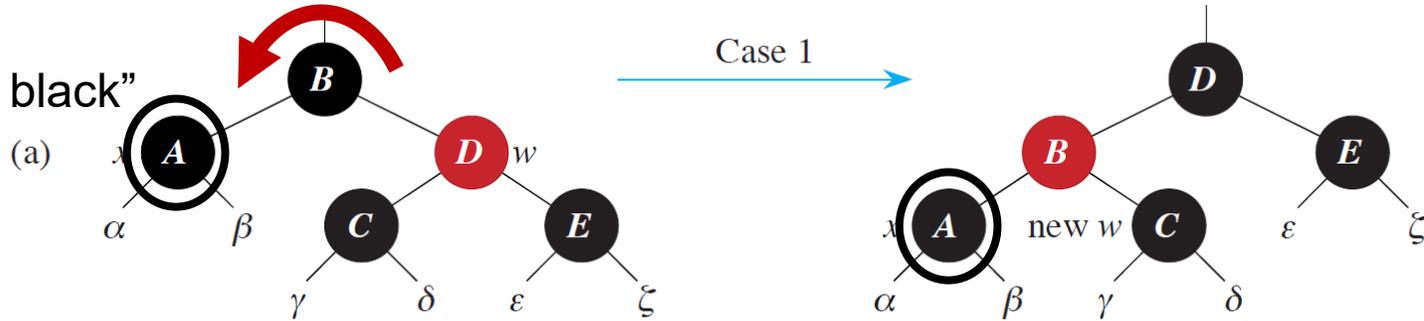
$x$  and  $y.\text{right}$  can be  $T.\text{nil}$



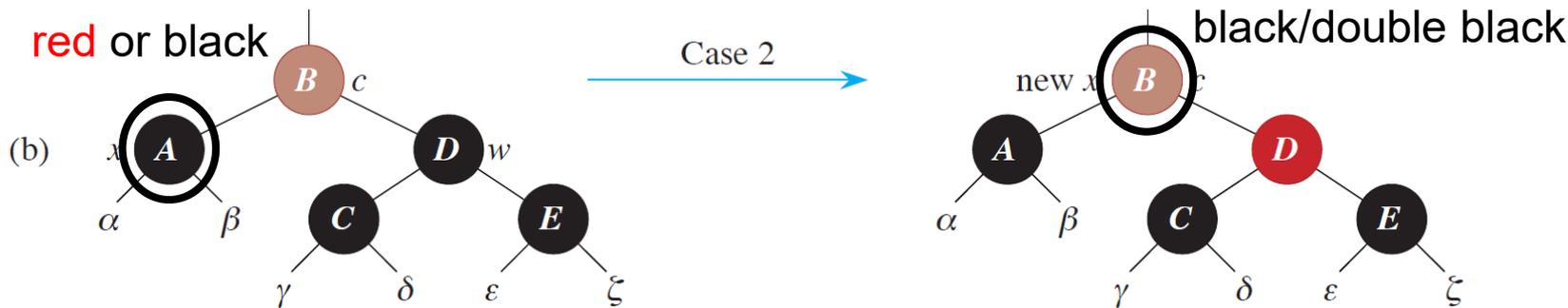
RB-TRANSPLANT( $T, u, v$ )

```
1  if  $u.p == T.\text{nil}$ 
2       $T.\text{root} = v$ 
3  elseif  $u == u.p.\text{left}$ 
4       $u.p.\text{left} = v$ 
5  else  $u.p.\text{right} = v$ 
6   $v.p = u.p$ 
```

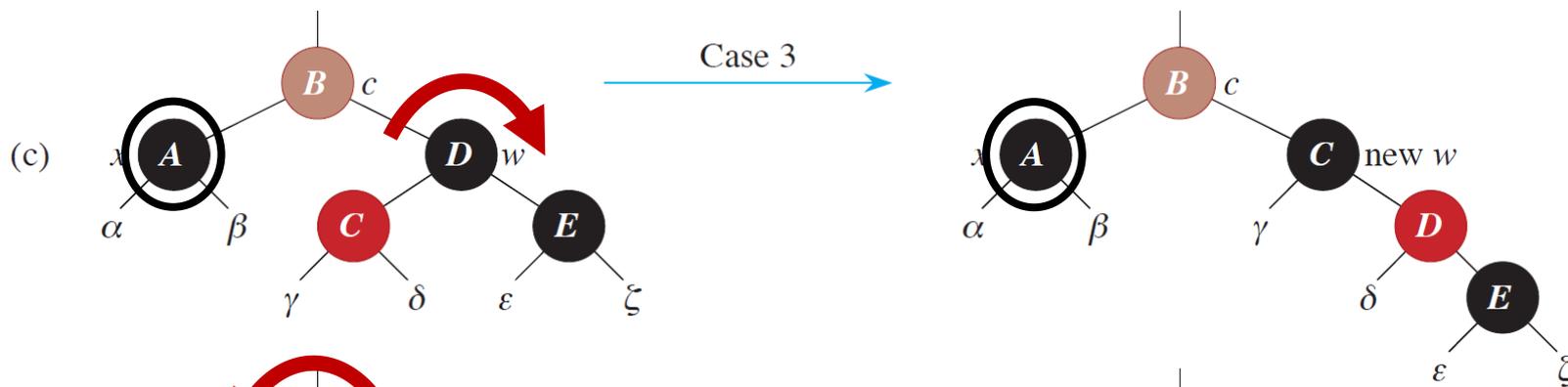
"double black"



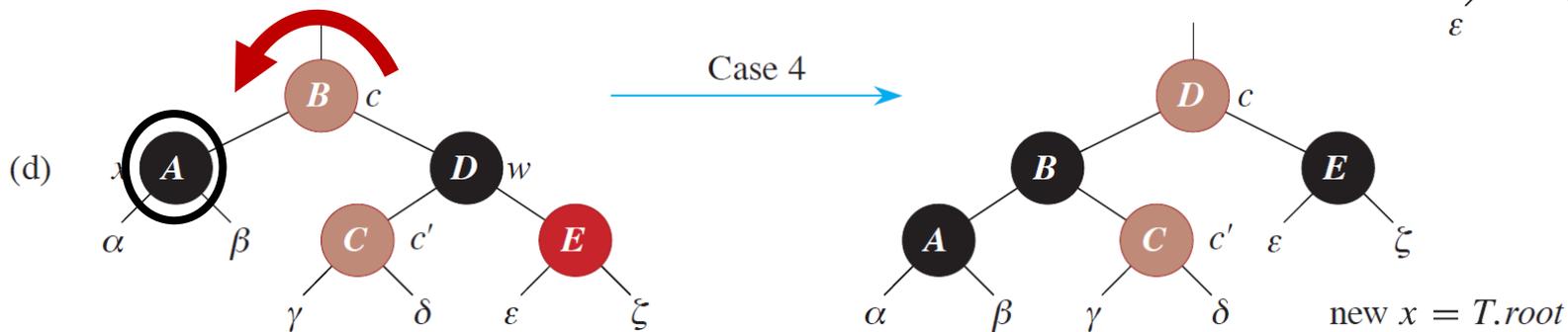
Case 1  $\rightarrow$  2,3,4



Case 2  $\rightarrow$  Problem  $x$  moves closer to the root or done



Case 3  $\rightarrow$  4 (and done)



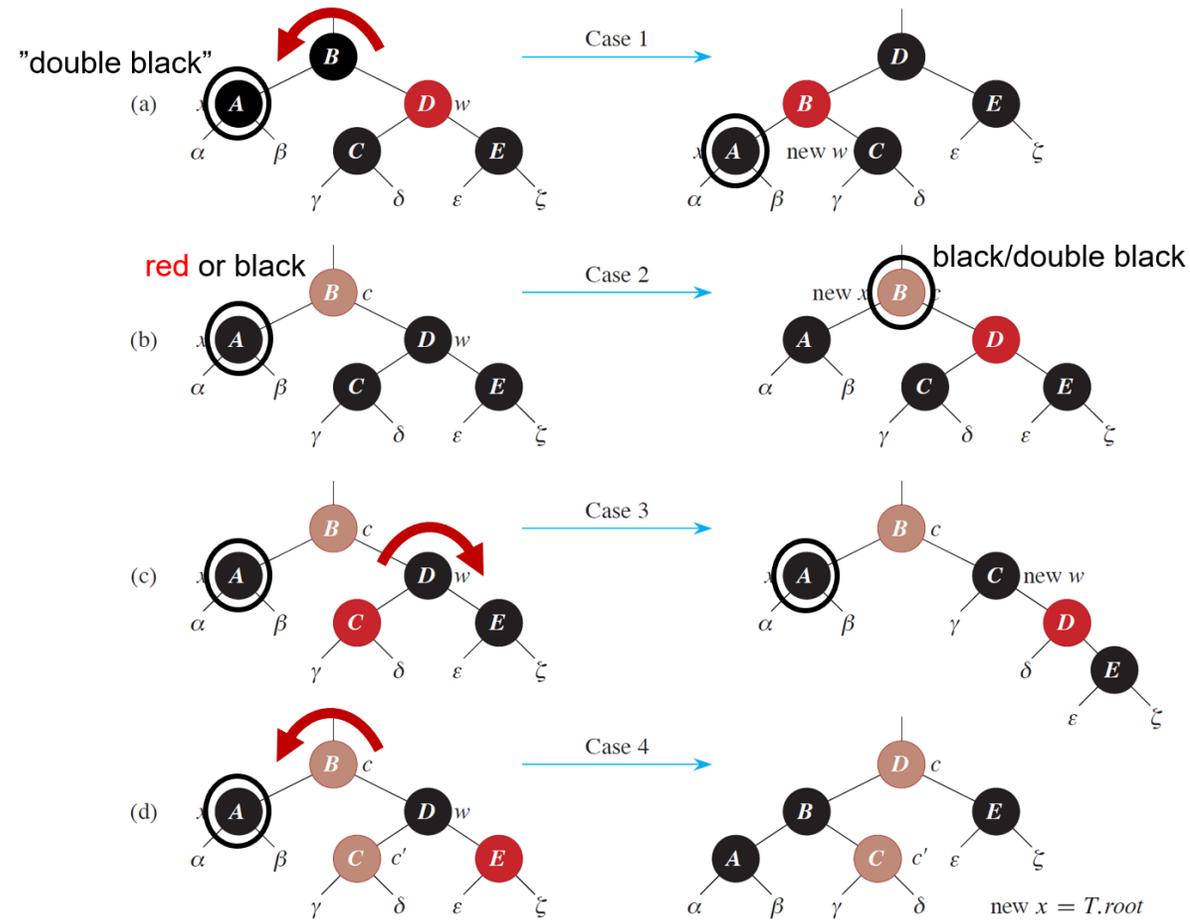
Case 4  $\rightarrow$  done

# RB-DELETE-FIXUP( $T, x$ )

```

1  while  $x \neq T.root$  and  $x.color == BLACK$ 
2      if  $x == x.p.left$            // is  $x$  a left child?
3           $w = x.p.right$          //  $w$  is  $x$ 's sibling
4          if  $w.color == RED$ 
5               $w.color = BLACK$ 
6               $x.p.color = RED$ 
7              LEFT-ROTATE( $T, x.p$ )
8               $w = x.p.right$ 
9          if  $w.left.color == BLACK$  and  $w.right.color == BLACK$ 
10              $w.color = RED$ 
11              $x = x.p$ 
12         else
13             if  $w.right.color == BLACK$ 
14                  $w.left.color = BLACK$ 
15                  $w.color = RED$ 
16                 RIGHT-ROTATE( $T, w$ )
17                  $w = x.p.right$ 
18              $w.color = x.p.color$ 
19              $x.p.color = BLACK$ 
20              $w.right.color = BLACK$ 
21             LEFT-ROTATE( $T, x.p$ )
22              $x = T.root$ 
23         else // same as lines 3–22, but with “right” and “left” exchanged
44      $x.color = BLACK$ 

```



# Dynamic dictionary : red-black trees

**Search**( $S, x$ )

**Insert**( $S, x$ )       $O(\log n)$

**Delete**( $S, x$ )

# Red-black trees in Java and C++

	Java (JDK SE 25)	C++ (GCC 15.2)
Method	java.util.TreeMap	std::map
Documentation	<a href="https://docs.oracle.com/en/java/javase/25/docs/api/java.base/java/util/TreeMap.html">https://docs.oracle.com/en/java/javase/25/docs/api/java.base/java/util/TreeMap.html</a>	<a href="http://www.cplusplus.com/reference/map/map/">http://www.cplusplus.com/reference/map/map/</a>
Source code	Install JDK from <a href="https://www.oracle.com/java/technologies/downloads/">https://www.oracle.com/java/technologies/downloads/</a> File java.base\java\util\TreeMap.java from C:\ProgramFiles\Java\jdk-25\lib\src.zip	<a href="https://github.com/gcc-mirror/gcc/blob/master/libstdc++-v3/include/bits/stl_tree.h">https://github.com/gcc-mirror/gcc/blob/master/libstdc++-v3/include/bits/stl_tree.h</a>

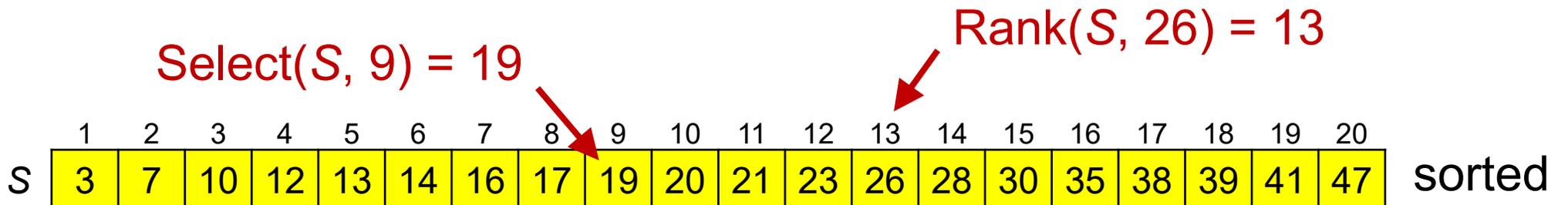
# Algorithms and Data Structures

Augmented search trees: Dynamic rank, interval trees  
[CLRS, Chapter 17]

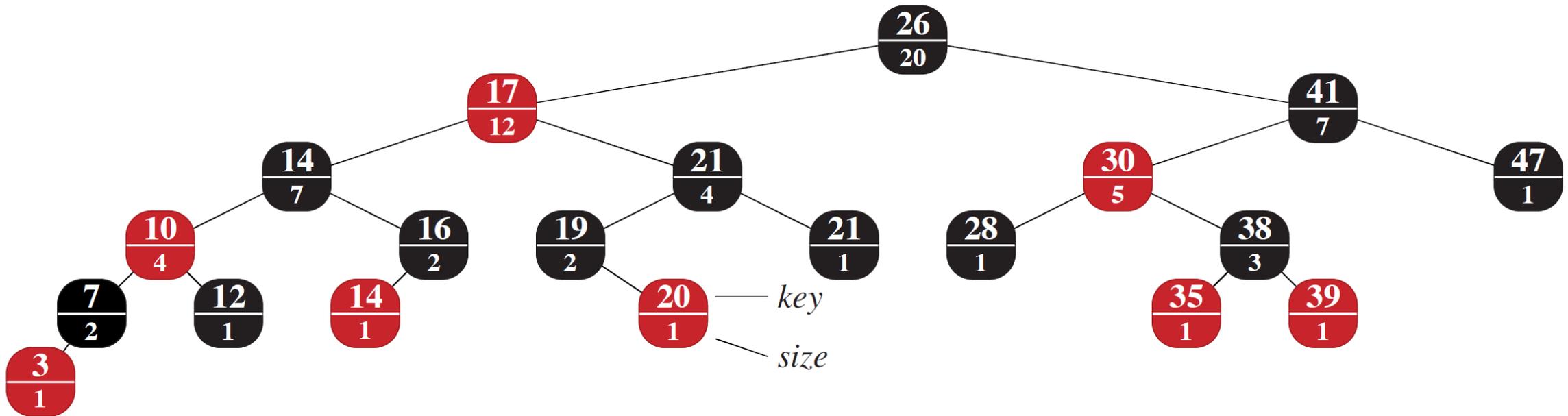
Fenwick trees (not curriculum)  
[B, Chapter 2.1]

# Dynamic rank (order statistics)

**Insert( $S, x$ )**  
**Delete( $S, x$ )**  
**Select( $S, i$ )**  
**Rank( $S, x$ )**  $O(\log n)$



# Dynamic rank

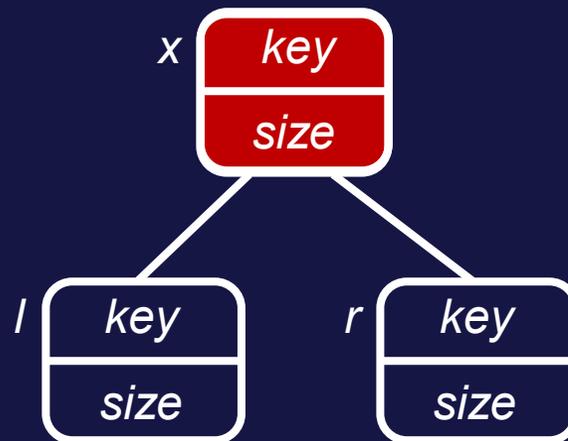


- Find the  $i^{\text{th}}$  smallest, insert, delete
- Maintain **red-black** tree
- Augment each node with the **size of the subtree**

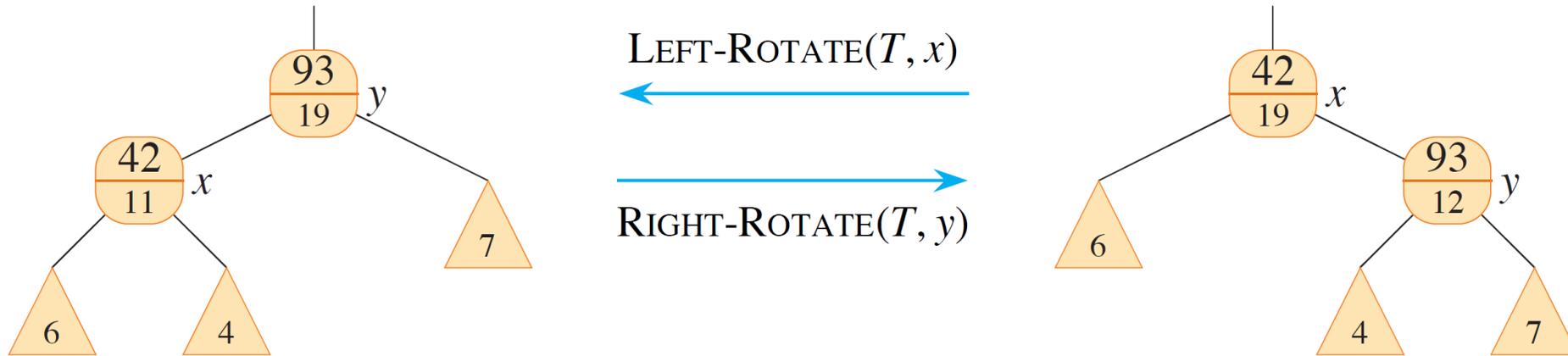
# Computation of augmentation $x.size$ ?



- a)  $x.size = l.size + r.size$
- b)  $x.size = l.size + r.size + 1$
- c)  $x.size = x.size + l.size + r.size$
- d)  $x.size = x.size + l.size + r.size + 1$
- e) Don't know



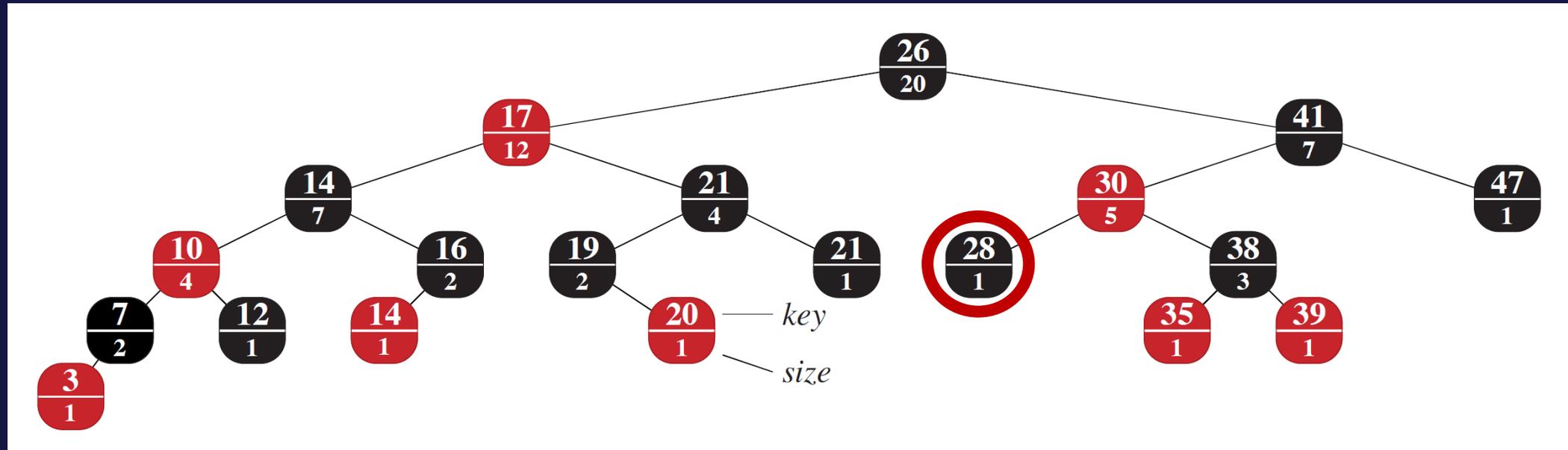
# Dynamic rank



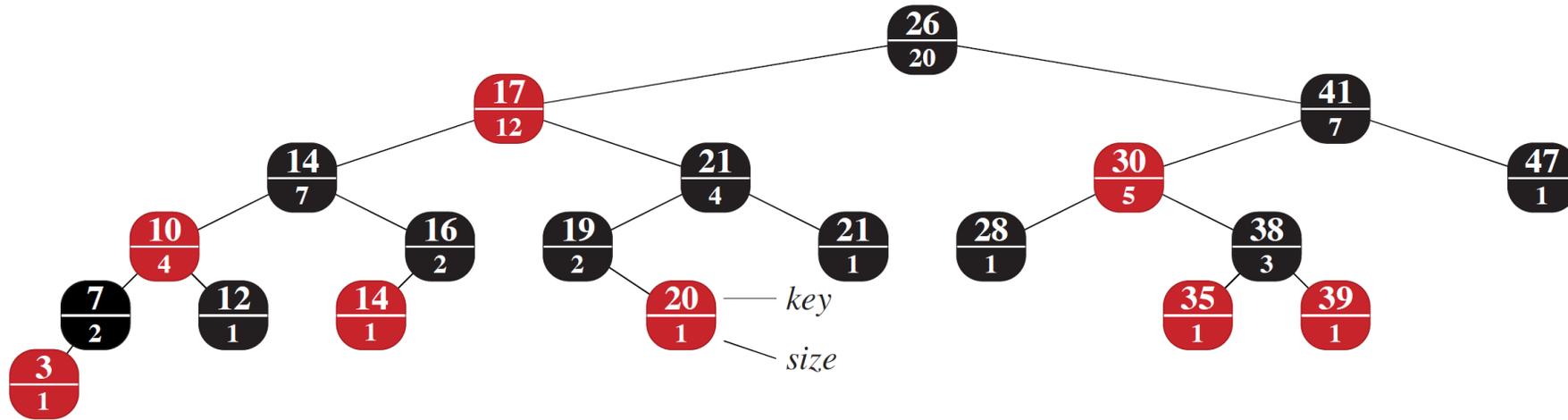
- Insert / delete: update **size** on path to root
- Under **rotations** in **red-black** update **size**

# Rank of 28 ?

- a) 13
-  b)  $14 = 12 + 1 + 1$
- c) 16
- d) 28
- e) Don't know



# Dynamic rank



OS-RANK( $T, x$ )

```

1   $r = x.left.size + 1$ 
2   $y = x$ 
3  while  $y \neq T.root$ 
4      if  $y == y.p.right$ 
5           $r = r + y.p.left.size + 1$ 
6       $y = y.p$ 
7  return  $r$ 

```

OS-SELECT( $x, i$ )

```

1   $r = x.left.size + 1$ 
2  if  $i == r$ 
3      return  $x$ 
4  elseif  $i < r$ 
5      return OS-SELECT( $x.left, i$ )
6  else return OS-SELECT( $x.right, i - r$ )

```

# Dynamic rank

**Insert**( $S, x$ )

**Delete**( $S, x$ )

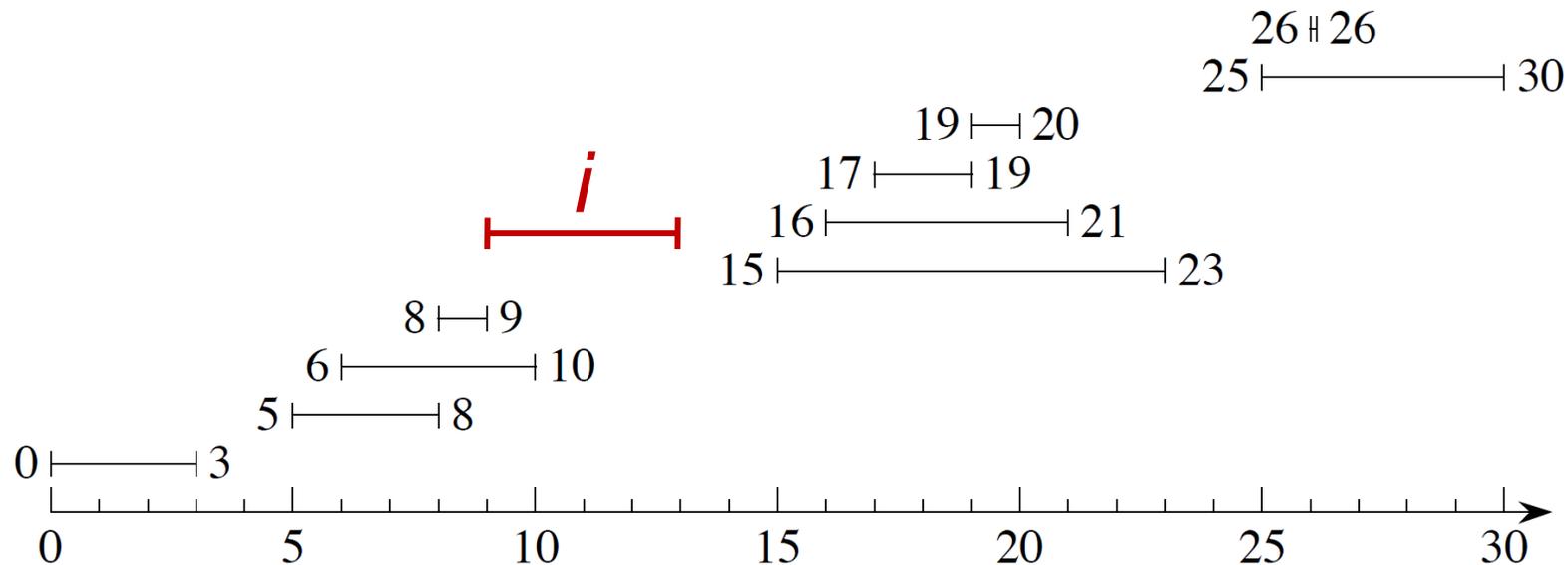
**Select**( $S, i$ )

**Rank**( $S, x$ )

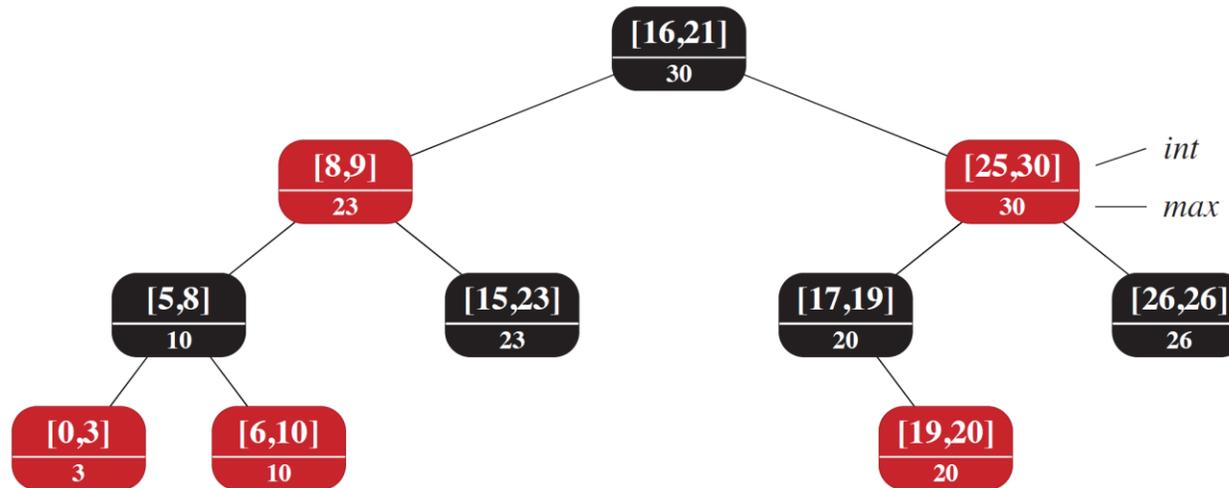
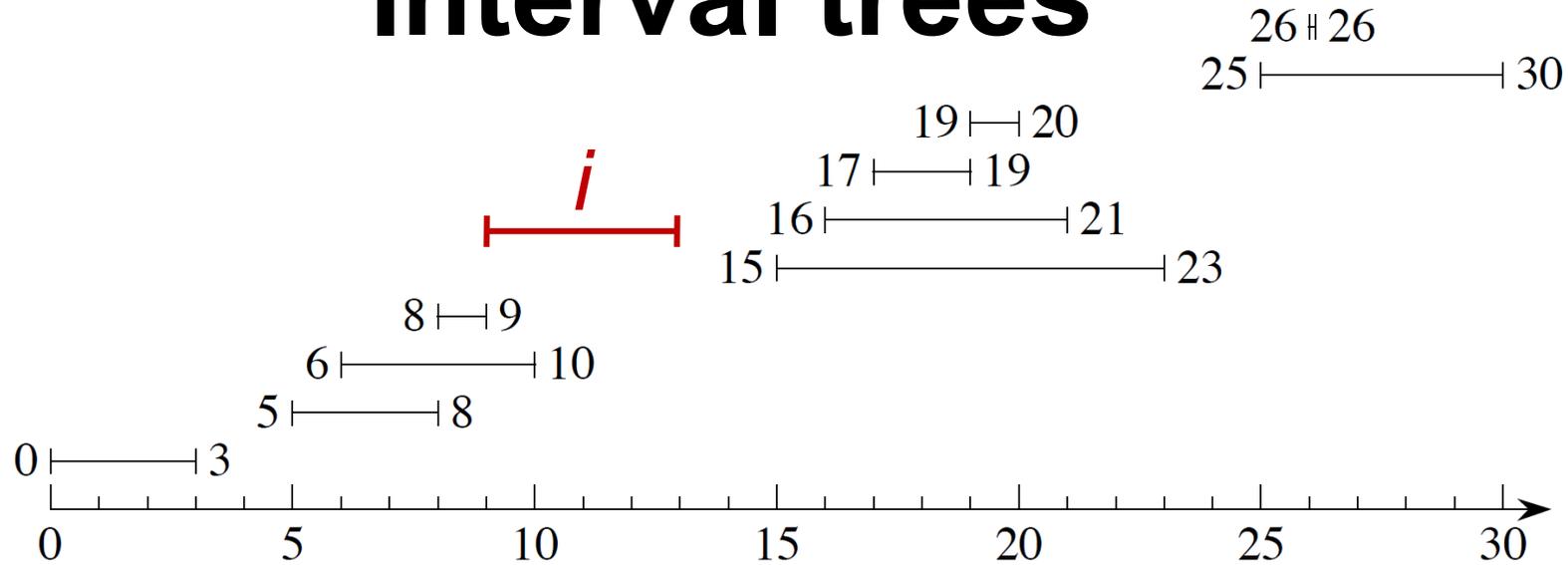
$O(\log n)$

# Interval trees

- Store a set of **intervals**
- Insert and delete intervals
- Find an interval with **overlap** with a **query interval  $i$**



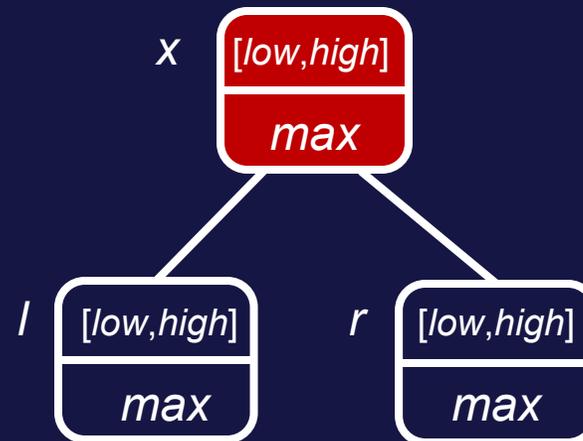
# Interval trees



- **Red-black** tree ordered by **left endpoint**
- Augment nodes with **maximum** right endpoint in subtree

# Computation of augmentation $x.max$ ?

- a)  $x.max = r.max$
- b)  $x.max = r.high$
- c)  $x.max = \max(r.max, x.high)$
- d)  $x.max = \max(l.max, x.high)$
- e)  $x.max = \max(l.max, r.max, x.high)$
- f) Don't know



# Interval trees

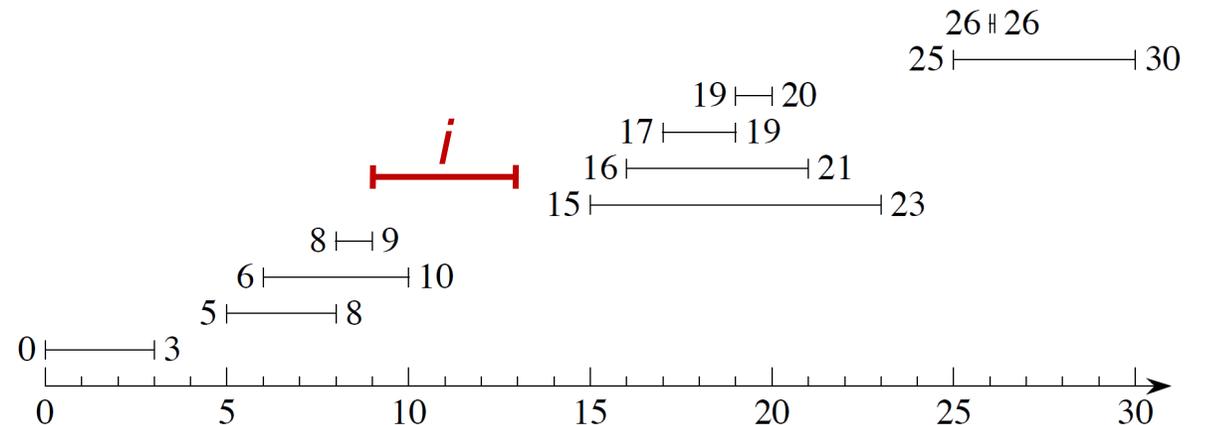
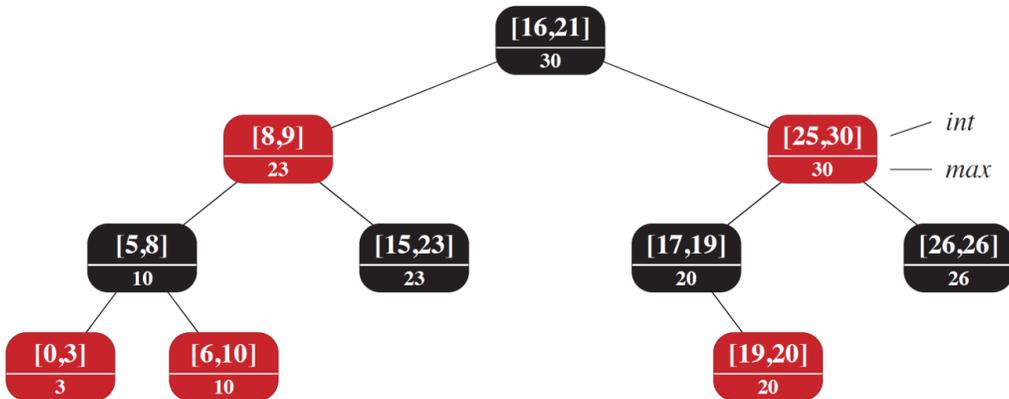
$i$  overlaps  $x$



$i.low \leq x.high$  and  $x.low \leq i.high$

INTERVAL-SEARCH( $T, i$ )

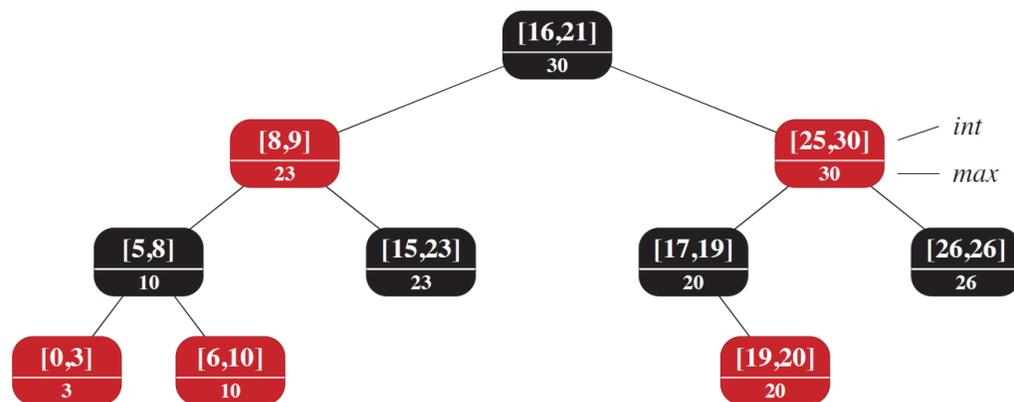
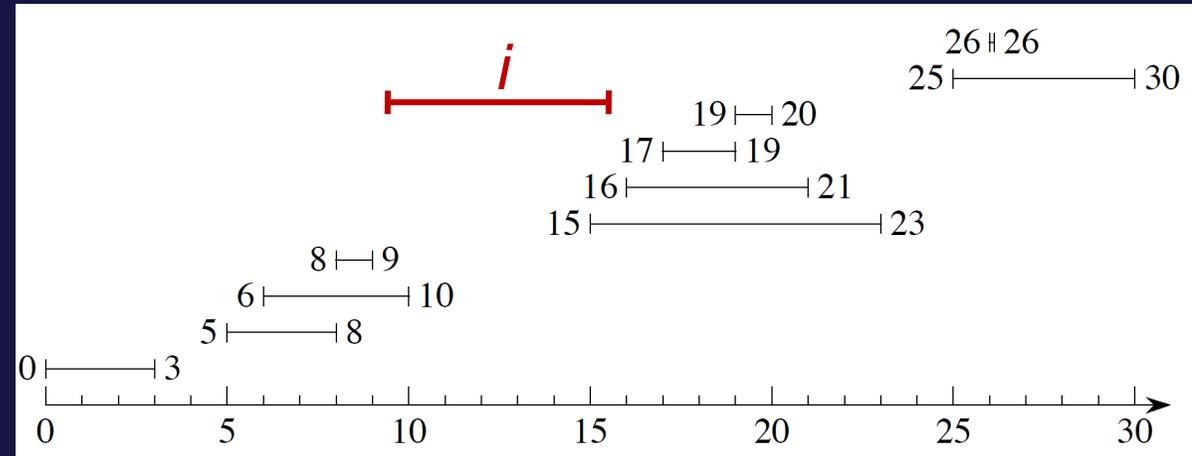
- 1  $x = T.root$
- 2 **while**  $x \neq T.nil$  and  $i$  does not overlap  $x.int$
- 3     **if**  $x.left \neq T.nil$  and  $x.left.max \geq i.low$
- 4          $x = x.left$
- 5     **else**  $x = x.right$
- 6 **return**  $x$



# Interval-Search( $T, [9.5, 15.5]$ ) ?



- a) [6, 10]
- b) [15, 23]
- c) Don't know

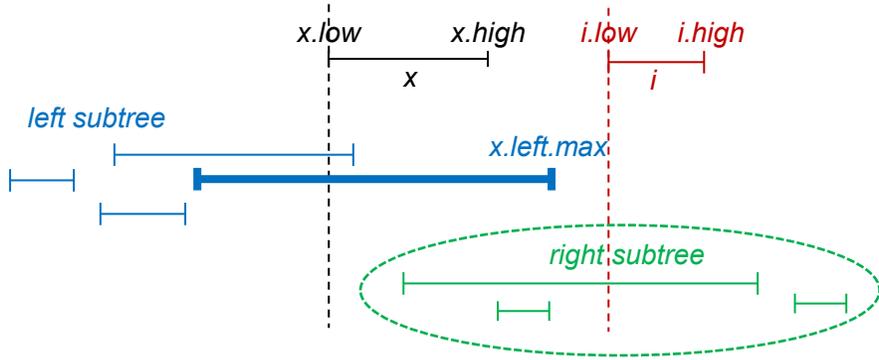


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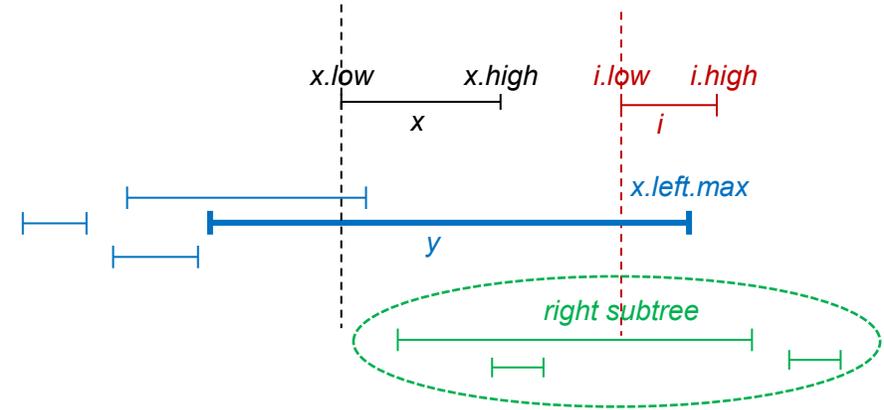
# Interval trees – correctness

$x$  left of  $i$  and  $x.left.max < i.low$



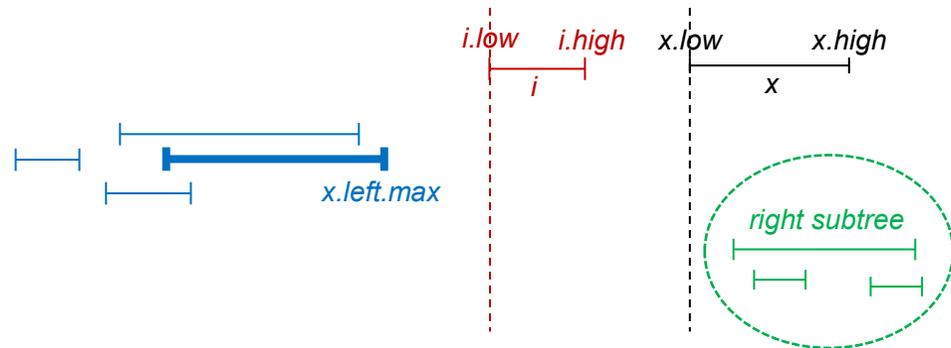
No overlap with  $i$  in left subtree, safe to **go right**

$x$  left of  $i$  and  $x.left.max \geq i.low$



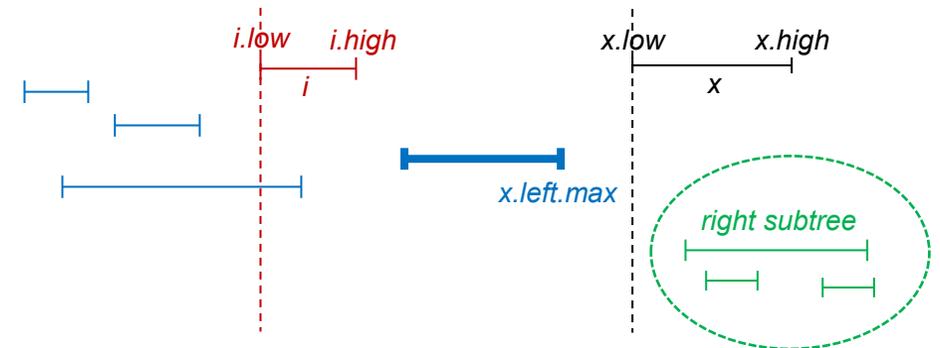
$i$  overlaps with interval  $y$  in left subtree, safe to **go left**

$i$  left of  $x$  and  $x.left.max < i.low$



$i$  does not overlap, safe to **go right**

$i$  left of  $x$  and  $x.left.max \geq i.low$



$i$  no overlap with right subtree, safe to **go left**

# Interval trees

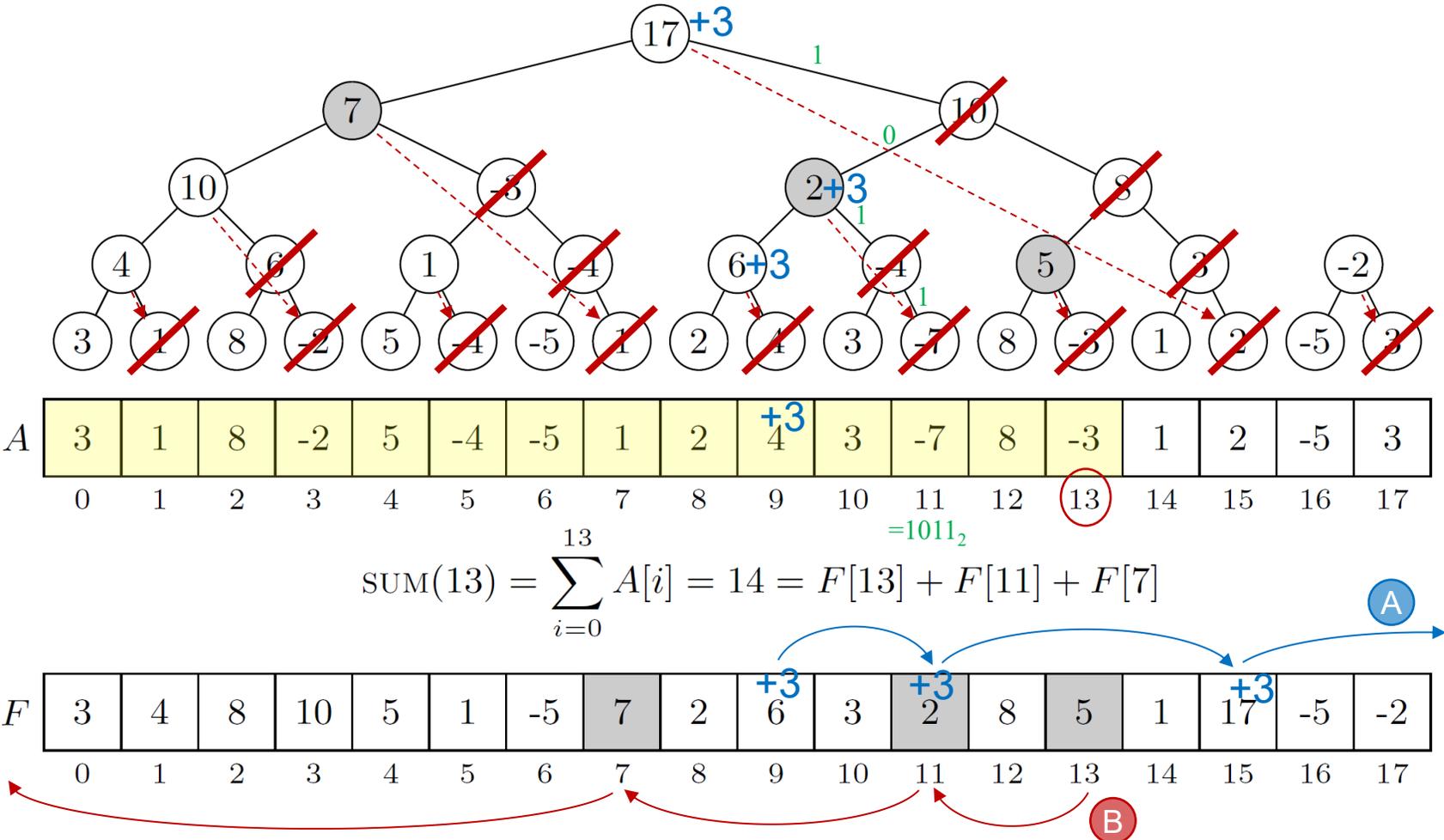
**Insert( $S, i$ )**

**Delete( $S, i$ )**       $O(\log n)$

**Search( $S, i$ )**

# Fenwick trees

Dynamic prefix sums in  $O(\log n)$



**Algorithm** INIT( $n$ )

- 1  $F[0..n]$  = array with zeros

**Algorithm** INC( $i, d$ )

- 1 **while**  $i \leq n$  **do**
- 2      $F[i] = F[i] + d$
- 3      $i = i | (i + 1)$  A

**Algorithm** SUM( $i$ )

- 1  $s = 0$
- 2 **while**  $i \geq 0$  **do**
- 3      $s = s + F[i]$
- 4      $i = (i \& (i + 1)) - 1$  B
- 5 **return**  $s$

A		B
9 = 01001 <sub>2</sub>		13 = 1101 <sub>2</sub>
11 = 01011 <sub>2</sub>		11 = 1011 <sub>2</sub>
15 = 01111 <sub>2</sub>		7 = 0111 <sub>2</sub>
31 = 11111 <sub>2</sub>		-1

# **Algorithms and Data Structures**

Union-find

[CLRS, Chapter 19.1-19.3]

# Union-find

**MakeSet(x)**

Create set  $S = \{ x \}$

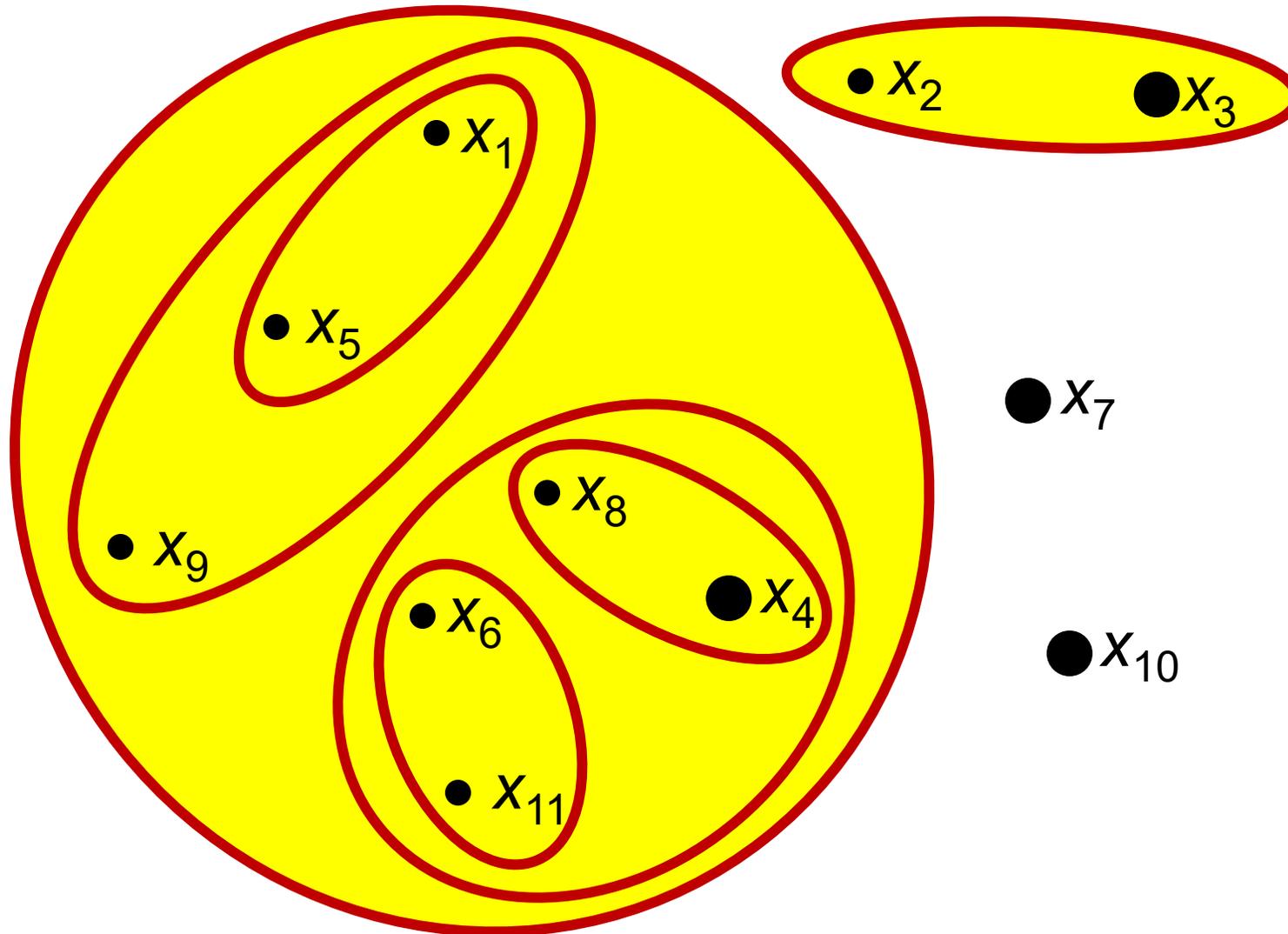
**Union(x, y)**

Replace  $S_x = \{ \dots, x, \dots \}$  and  $S_y = \{ \dots, y, \dots \}$  with  $S_x \cup S_y$  (assuming  $x$  and  $y$  are in different sets)

**FindSet(x)**

Return a *representative* for  $S_x = \{ \dots, x, \dots \}$   
FindSet(x) = FindSet(y) if and only if  $x$  and  $y$  are in the same set

# Example : Union-find



$x_i$	FindSet( $x_i$ )
$x_1$	$x_4$
$x_2$	$x_3$
$x_3$	$x_3$
$x_4$	$x_4$
$x_5$	$x_4$
$x_6$	$x_4$
$x_7$	$x_7$
$x_8$	$x_4$
$x_9$	$x_4$
$x_{10}$	$x_{10}$
$x_{11}$	$x_4$

# Set representation (I)

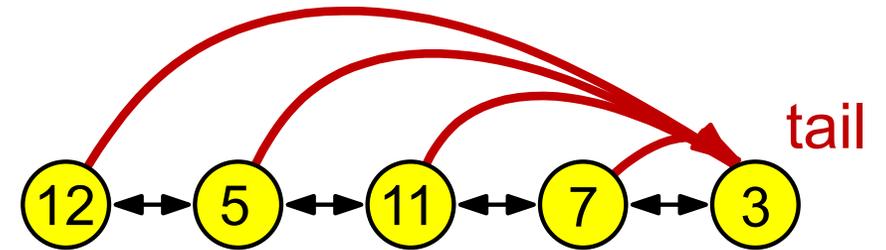
- Set = doubly-linked list
- **MakeSet** = create new node
- **FindSet** = return rightmost node (tail)
- **Union** = concatenate lists



<b>MakeSet</b> ( $S, x$ )	$O(1)$
<b>FindSet</b> ( $x$ )	$O( S_x )$
<b>Union</b> ( $x, y$ )	$O( S_x  +  S_y )$

# Set representation (II)

- Set = doubly-linked list + **tail pointers**
- **MakeSet** = create new node
- **FindSet** = return tail node
- **Union** = concatenate lists and update tail pointers



<b>MakeSet</b> ( $S, x$ )	$O(1)$
<b>FindSet</b> ( $x$ )	$O(1)$
<b>Union</b> ( $x, y$ )	$O(\min( S_x ,  S_y ))$

# Set representation (II)

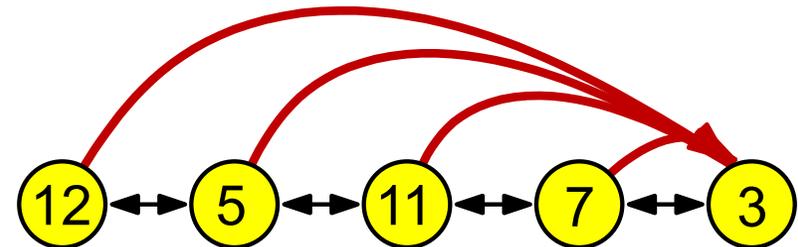
## sequence of unions

### Theorem

A sequence of  $n$  **Union** takes time  $O(n \cdot \log n)$

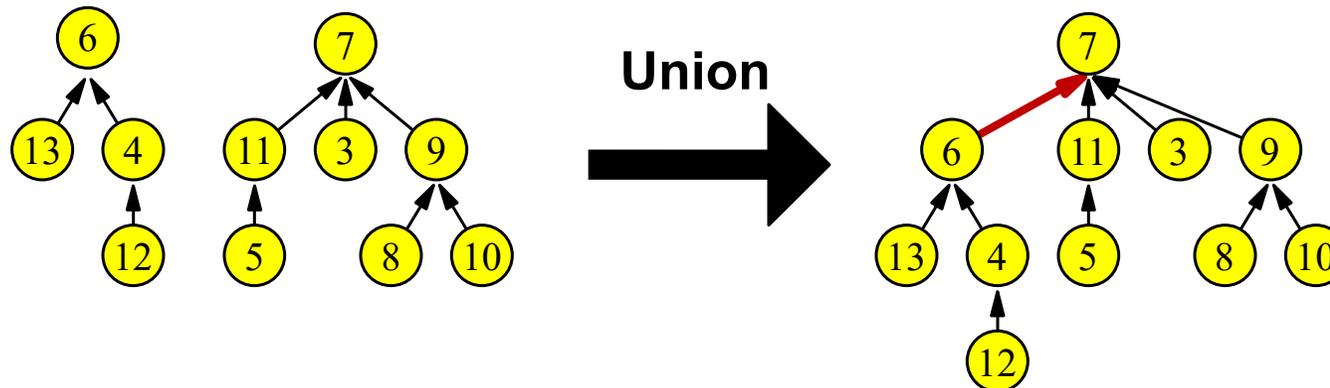
### Proof

When a tail pointer is moved, the new list is at least twice the size, i.e., can be moved at most  $\log n$  times



# Set representation (III)

- Set = tree (only parent pointers, **no child pointers**)
- **MakeSet** = create new node
- **FindSet** = return root
- **Union** = attach "small" tree below root of "big" tree (size = # elements)

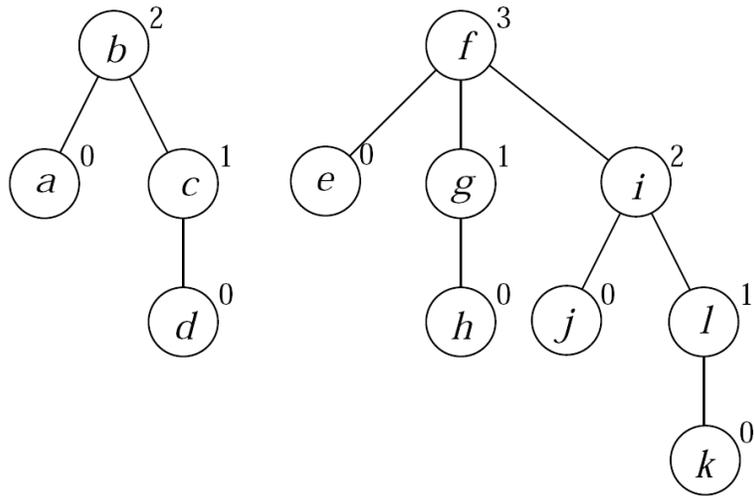


# Set representation (III)

Height of a tree representing a set of size  $n$  ?

- a)  $O(1)$
-  b)  $O(\log n)$
- c)  $O(\sqrt{n})$
- d)  $O(n)$
- e) Don't know

# Path compression



MAKE-SET( $x$ )

- 1  $x.p = x$
- 2  $x.rank = 0$

UNION( $x, y$ )

- 1 LINK(FIND-SET( $x$ ), FIND-SET( $y$ ))

LINK( $x, y$ )

- 1 **if**  $x.rank > y.rank$  linking by rank
- 2      $y.p = x$
- 3 **else**  $x.p = y$
- 4     **if**  $x.rank == y.rank$
- 5          $y.rank = y.rank + 1$

FIND-SET( $x$ )

- 1 **if**  $x \neq x.p$
- 2      $x.p = \text{FIND-SET}(x.p)$  path compression
- 3 **return**  $x.p$

# Set representation (III) analysis linking by rank

## Lemma

$$\text{height}[\text{root}] \leq \text{rank}[\text{root}]$$

$$\text{size}[\text{root}] \geq 2^{\text{rank}[\text{root}]}$$

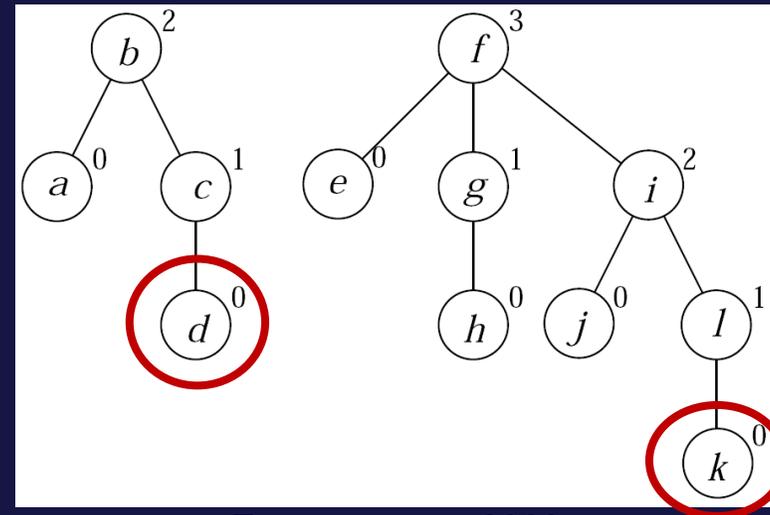
## Proof Induction

<b>MakeSet</b> ( $S, x$ )	$O(1)$
<b>Union</b> ( $x, y$ )	$O((\log  S_x ) + (\log  S_y ))$
<b>FindSet</b> ( $x$ )	$O(\log  S_x )$

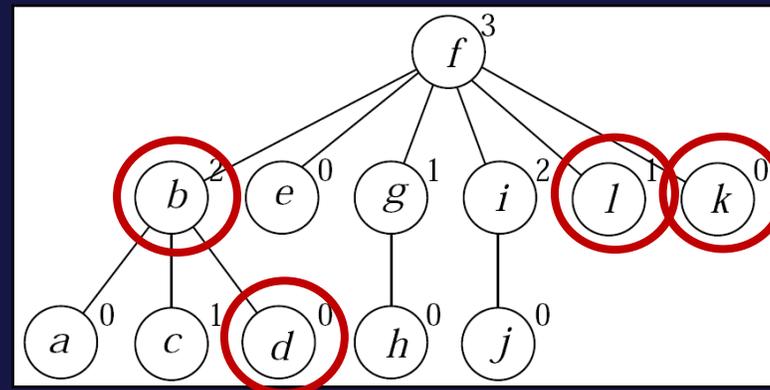
(above does not assume path compression)

# # children at the root after Union( $d$ , $k$ ) when using linking-by-rank and path compression ?

- a) 1
- b) 2
- c) 3
- d) 4
- e) 5
- f) 6
- g) 7
- h) 8
- i) Don't know



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# Set representation (III)

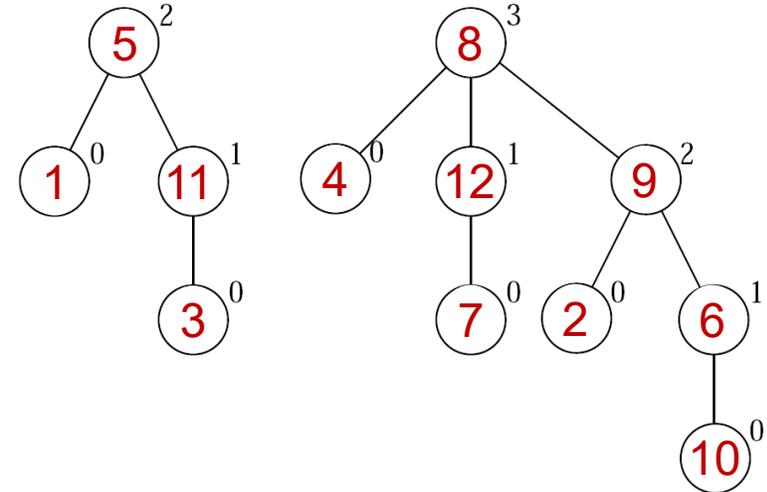
## analysis linking-by-rank and path compression

Theorem ([CLRS, Theorem 19.14])

$n$  **MakeSet** and  $m$  **Union** and **Find** operations take total time  $O(m \cdot \alpha(n))$  where  $\alpha(n)$  is the inverse Ackerman function, where  $\alpha(n) \leq 4$  for all practical values of  $n$

# Compact representation

- Elements = integers  $1, \dots, n$
- *rank* and *p* arrays



	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
<i>p</i>	5	9	11	8	5	9	12	8	8	6	5	8
<i>rank</i>	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	3	2	0	1	1

# Non-recursive

MAKESETS( $n$ )

```
1  Let  $p$  and  $rank$  be arrays of size  $n$ 
2  for  $i = 1$  to  $n$ 
3      $p[i] = i$ 
4      $rank[i] = 0$ 
```

UNION( $x, y$ )

```
1  LINK(FINDSET( $x$ ), FINDSET( $y$ ))
```

LINK( $x, y$ )

```
1  if  $rank[x] > rank[y]$  then
2      $p[y] = x$ 
3  else
4      $p[x] = y$ 
5     if  $rank[x] = rank[y]$  then
6          $rank[y] = rank[y] + 1$ 
```

FINDSET( $x$ )

```
1   $root = x$ 
2  while  $root \neq p[root]$  do
3      $root = p[root]$ 
4  while  $p[x] \neq root$  do
5      $y = p[x]$ 
6      $p[x] = root$ 
7      $x = y$ 
8  return  $root$ 
```

- **FindSet** requires 2 passes

# Only path compression

MAKESETS( $n$ )

```
1 Let  $p$  and  $rank$  be arrays of size  $n$ 
2 for  $i = 1$  to  $n$ 
3    $p[i] = i$ 
4    $rank[i] = 0$ 
```

UNION( $x, y$ )

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LINK( $x, y$ )

```
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3 else
4    $p[x] = y$ 
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6    $rank[y] = rank[y] + 1$ 
```

FINDSET( $x$ )

```
1  $root = x$ 
2 while  $root \neq p[root]$  do
3    $root = p[root]$ 
4 while  $x \neq root$  do
5    $y = p[x]$ 
6    $p[x] = root$ 
7    $x = y$ 
8 return  $x$ 
```

- FindSet requires 2 passes
- Only requires array  $p$
- $m$  operations  $O(m \log n)$  time

# Single pass path compression

MAKESETS( $n$ )

```
1 Let  $p$  and  $rank$  be arrays of size  $n$ 
2 for  $i = 1$  to  $n$ 
3    $p[i] = i$ 
4    $rank[i] = 0$ 
```

UNION( $x, y$ )

```
1 LINK(FINDSET( $x$ ), FINDSET( $y$ ))
```

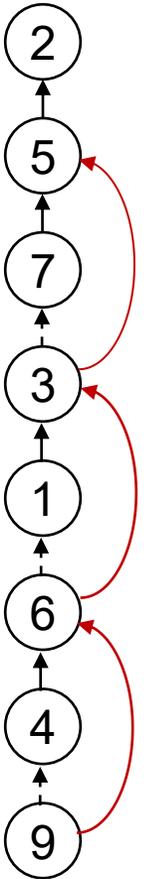
LINK( $x, y$ )

```
1 if  $rank[x] > rank[y]$  then
2    $p[y] = x$ 
3 else
4    $p[x] = y$ 
5   if  $rank[x] = rank[y]$  then
6      $rank[y] = rank[y] + 1$ 
```

FINDSET( $x$ )

```
1 while  $x \neq x.p$  do
2    $p[x] = p[p[x]]$ 
3    $x = p[x]$ 
4 return  $x$ 
```

FindSet



- **FindSet** makes 1 pass of path
- Shortcut every second edge
- $m$  operations total time  $O(m \cdot \alpha(n))$

# Algorithms and Data Structures

Amortized analysis  
[CLRS, Chapter 16]

## Class ArrayList<E>

```
java.lang.Object
  java.util.AbstractCollection<E>
    java.util.AbstractList<E>
      java.util.ArrayList<E>
```

### Type Parameters:

E - the type of elements in this list

### All Implemented Interfaces:

`Serializable`, `Cloneable`, `Iterable<E>`, `Collection<E>`, `List<E>`, `RandomAccess`, `SequencedCollection<E>`

### Direct Known Subclasses:

`AttributeList`, `RoleList`, `RoleUnresolvedList`

```
public class ArrayList<E>
  extends AbstractList<E>
  implements List<E>, RandomAccess, Cloneable, Serializable
```

Resizable-array implementation of the `List` interface. Implements all optional list operations, and permits all elements, including `null`. In addition to implementing the `List` interface, this class provides methods to manipulate the size of the array that is used internally to store the list. (This class is roughly equivalent to `Vector`, except that it is unsynchronized.)

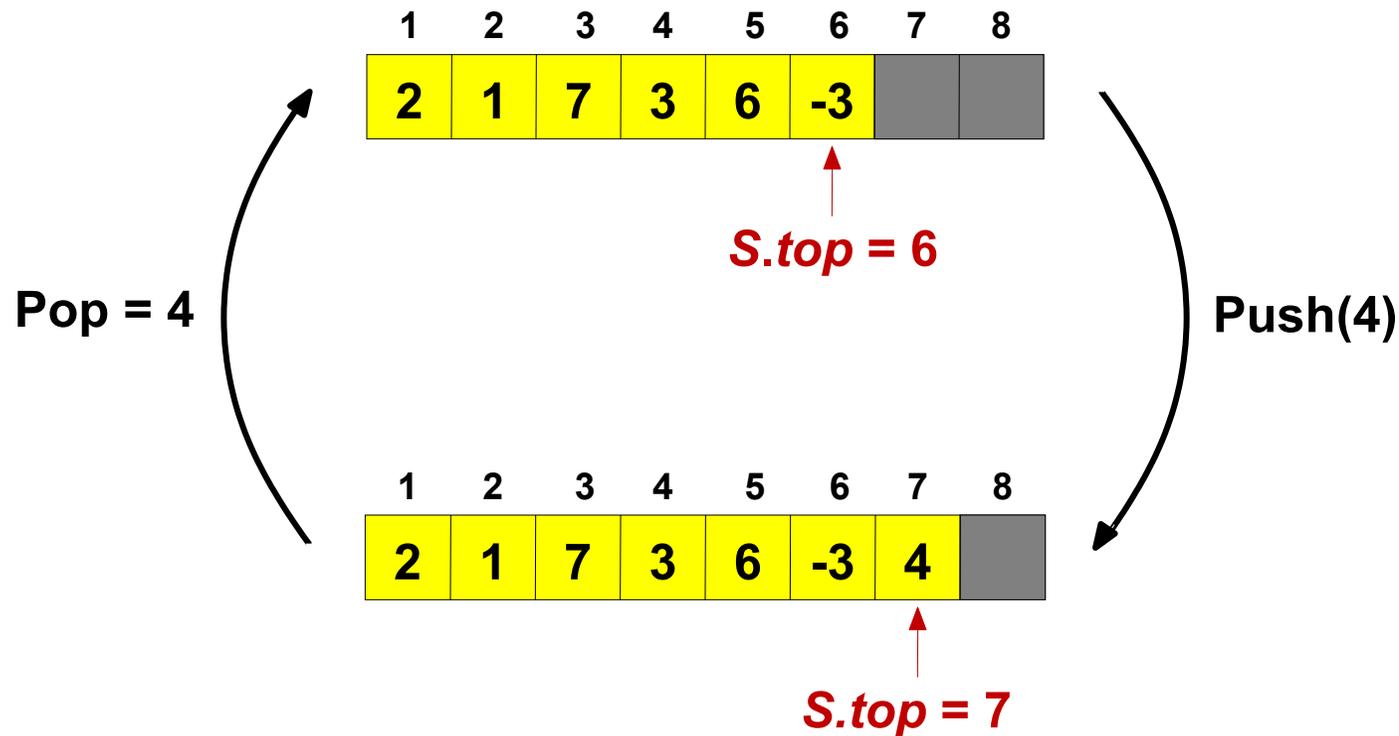
The `size`, `isEmpty`, `get`, `set`, `getFirst`, `getLast`, `removeLast`, `iterator`, `listIterator`, and `reversed` operations run in constant time. The `add`, and `addLast` operations runs in *amortized constant time*, that is, adding `n` elements requires  $O(n)$  time. All of the other operations run in linear time (roughly speaking). The constant factor is low compared to that for the `LinkedList` implementation.

to an empty list



**Stack**

# Stack : array implementation



STACK-EMPTY( $S$ )

```
1 if  $S.top == 0$ 
2   return TRUE
3 else return FALSE
```

PUSH( $S, x$ )

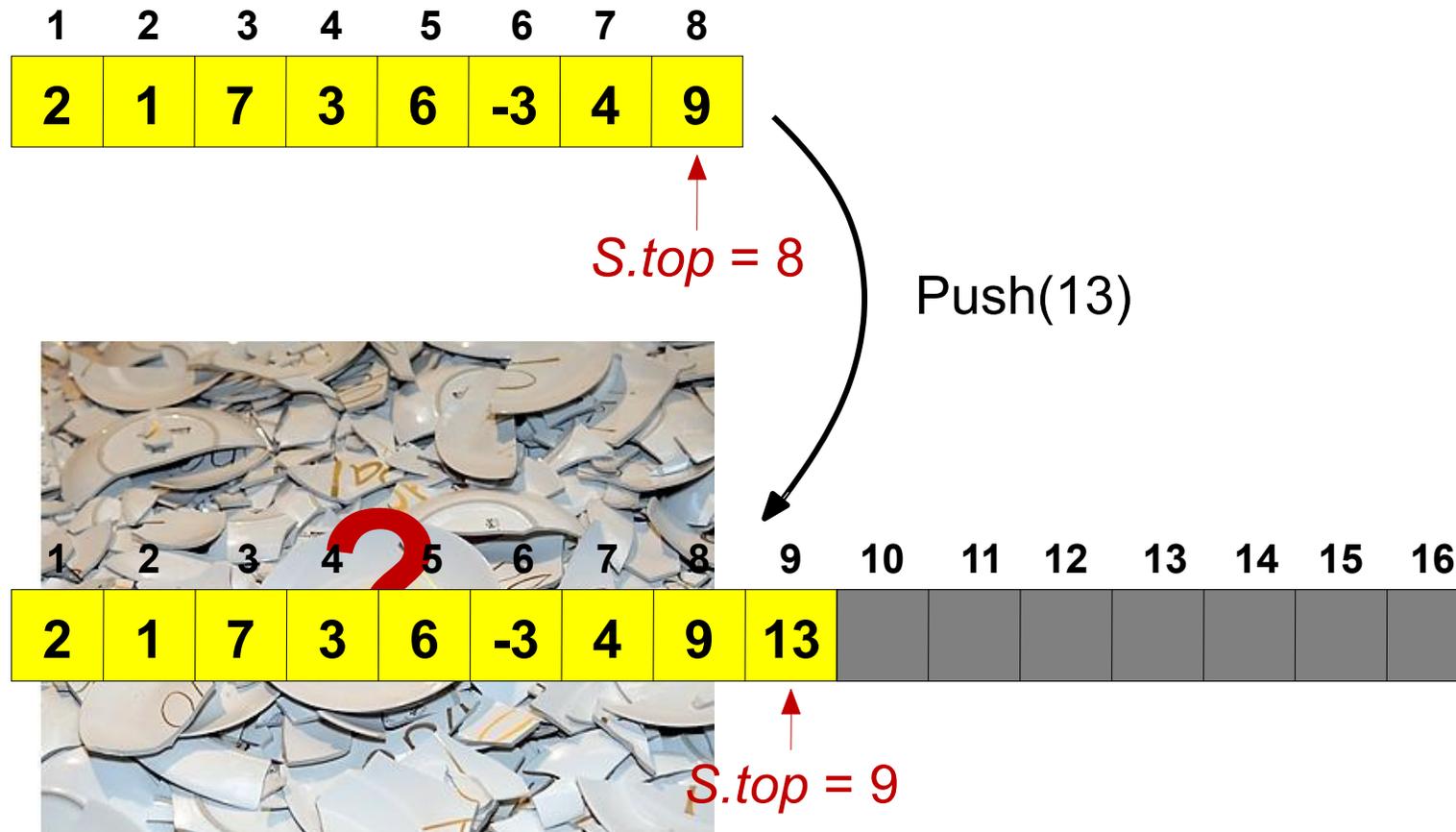
```
1 if  $S.top == S.size$ 
2   error "overflow"
3 else  $S.top = S.top + 1$ 
4    $S[S.top] = x$ 
```

POP( $S$ )

```
1 if STACK-EMPTY( $S$ )
2   error "underflow"
3 else  $S.top = S.top - 1$ 
4   return  $S[S.top + 1]$ 
```

Stack-Empty, Push, Pop : worst-case  $O(1)$  time

# Stak : Overflow



Array doubling :  $O(n)$  time

# Array doubling

**Double** array when it is full

1

2

4

8

16

32

**Time** for  $n$  extensions:  $1+2+4+\dots+n/2+n = O(n)$

**Halve** the array when it is  $<1/4$  full

32

16

16

8

8

16

**Time** for  $n$  extensions/reductions:  $O(n)$

# Array doubling + halving

– a general technique

**Time** for  $n$  extensions/reductions is  $O(n)$

**Space**  $\leq 4 \cdot$  current number of elements

Array implementation of a **stack** :  
 $n$  push and pop operations take time  $O(n)$

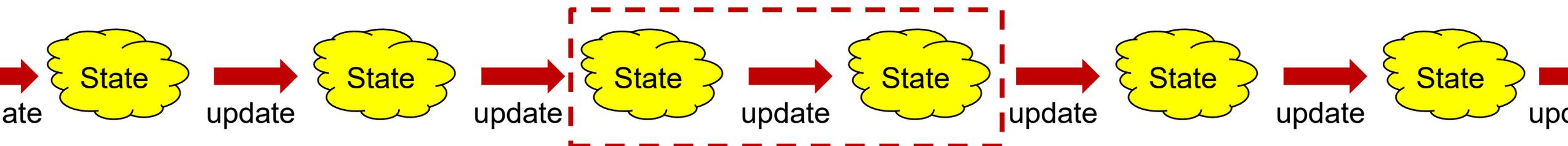
# Wish list for analysis technique...

## Requirements

- Analyze **worst-case** time for a **sequence** of operations
- Only analyze **single operations**

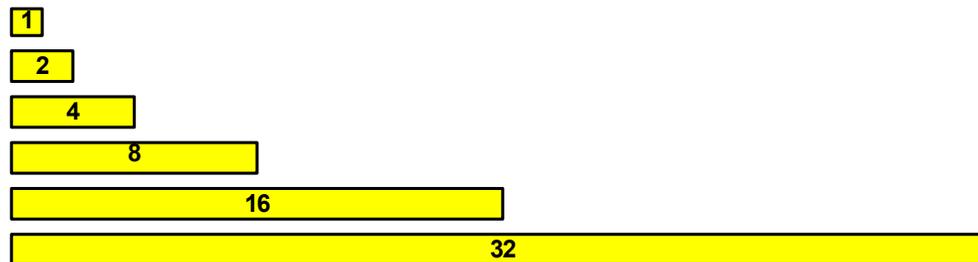
## Advantages

- **Avoids** considering **interactions** between operations in the sequence
- Applies to all sequences with the given operations



# Intuition

- There are **good/balanced** and **bad/unbalanced** states
- Going from a **bad** to a **good** state is **expensive**
- Requires many operations to get from a **good** to a **bad** state
- The (many) **cheap** operations *pay* slightly more to make later **expensive** operations nearly for **free**



# Amortized analysis

- 1 € can pay for  $O(1)$  work
- An operation taking  $O(t)$  time costs  $t$  €
- When to pay/saving up is not important – just need to have sufficient money when needed!
- (Bank) savings = potential =  $\Phi$
- Cannot borrow money, i.e., need to save money before spending money,  $\Phi \geq 0$
- Amortized time for an operation = what we are willing to pay – but we need sufficient savings to be able to pay for the operation
- Use invariants to capture relationship between savings and state

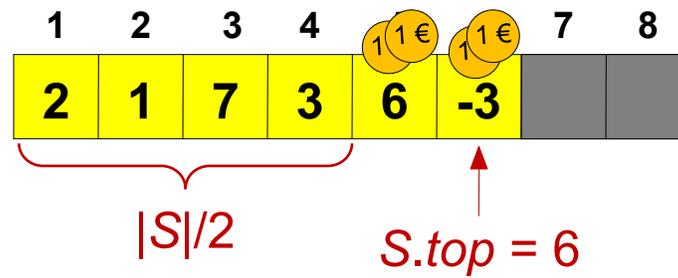
# Relationship between worst-case time and savings $\Phi$



d) Don't know

# Example – stack

- A **good** stack is half full – no savings required
- Invariant :  $\Phi = 2 \cdot |S.top - |S|/2|$
- Assume: Cost 1 € per element inserted / copied
- Amortized time per push  $\leq 3 \text{ € ?}$   
(do we always have money to pay for the operation?)
- If yes:  $n$  push operations cost  $\leq 3n \text{ €}$

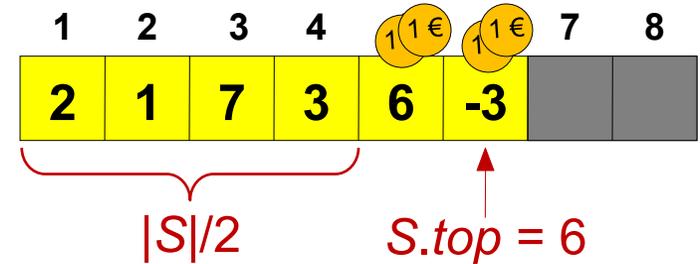


# Example – stack

## push = amortized 3€

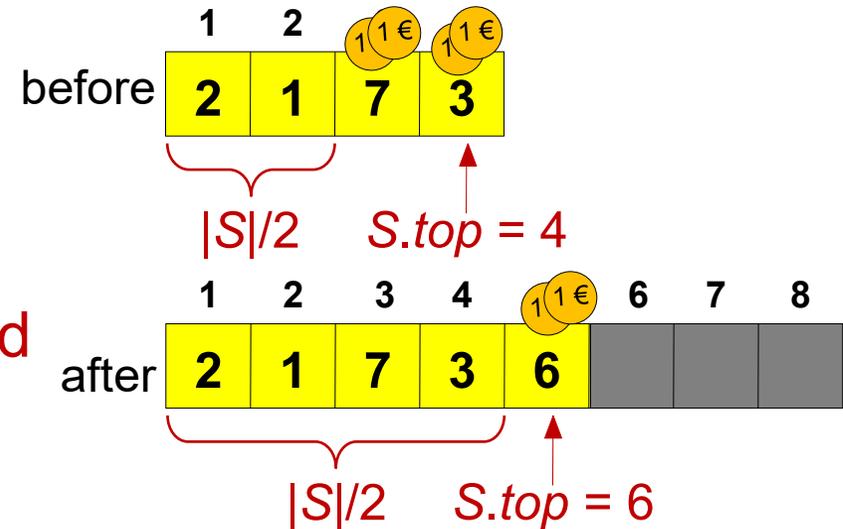
### ■ Push, no copying

- One new element: 1 €
- $\Phi = ||S|/2 - \text{top}[S]|$  increases by at most 1, i.e., invariant satisfied if we save up 2 €
- Amortized time:  $1+2 = 3$  €

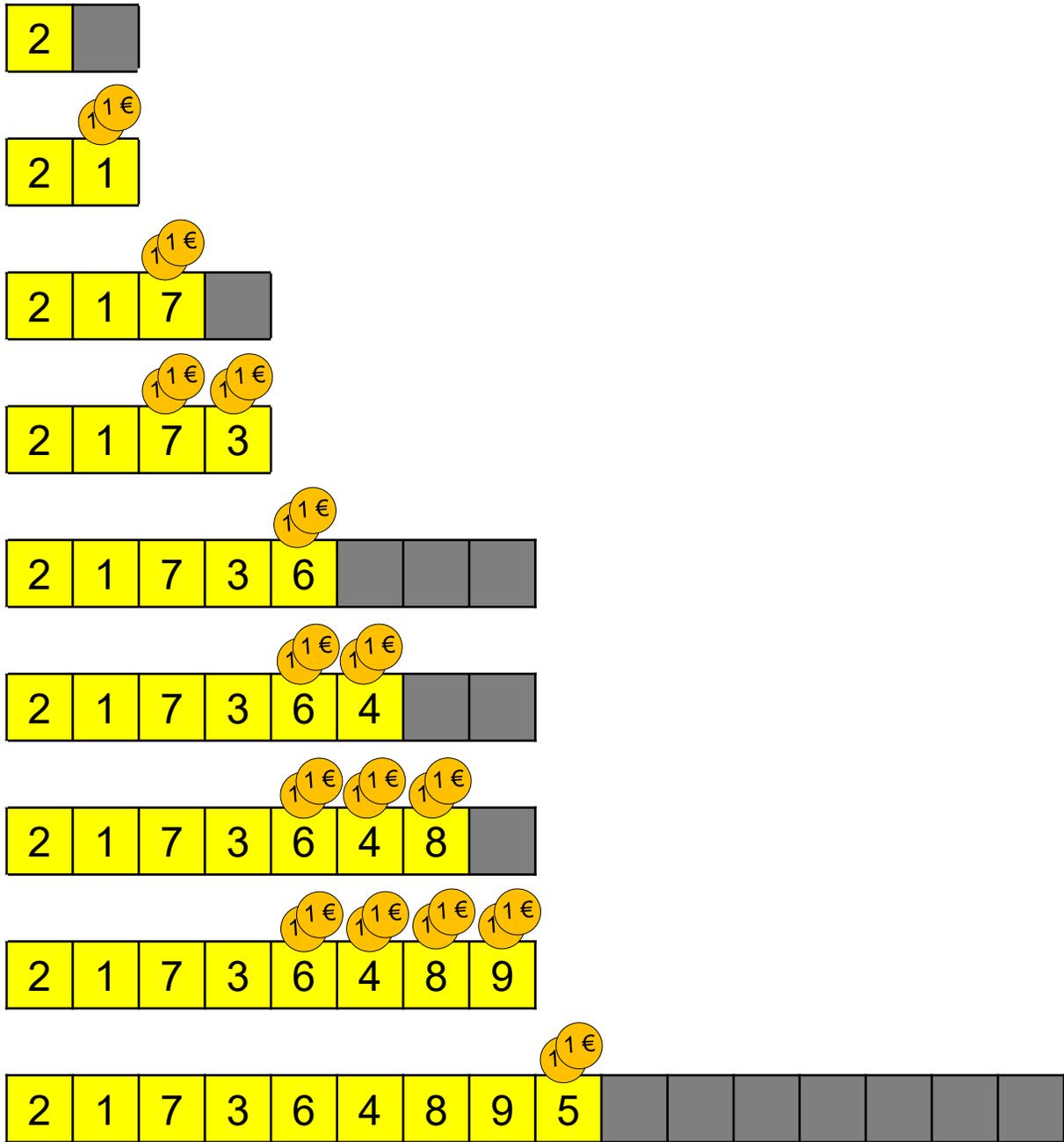


### ■ Push, with copying

- Copy S:  $|S|$  €
- Insert new element: 1 €
- $\Phi$  before =  $|S|$ ,  $\Phi$  after = 2, i.e.,  $|S|-2$  € released
- Amortized time:  $|S|+1-(|S|-2) = 3$  €



$$\text{Invariant : } \Phi = 2 \cdot | S.top - |S|/2 |$$



push(1)  
 push(7)  
 push(4)  
 push(6)  
 push(4)  
 push(8)  
 push(9)  
 push(5)

potential	potential increase	real time	amortized time
0			
2	2	1	$2+1 = 3$
2	0	2+1	$0+2+1 = 3$
4	2	1	$2+1 = 3$
2	-2	4+1	$-2+4+1 = 3$
4	2	1	$2+1 = 3$
6	2	1	$2+1 = 3$
8	2	1	$2+1 = 3$
2	-6	8+1	$-6+8+1 = 3$

# Binary counter

0000000000000000  
0000000000000001 ← 1 bit  
0000000000000010 ← 2 bits  
0000000000000011 ← 1  
0000000000000100 ← 3  
0000000000000101 ← 1  
0000000000000110 ← 2  
0000000000000111 ← 1  
0000000000001000 ← 4

...  
10101110111111  
10101111000000 ← 7

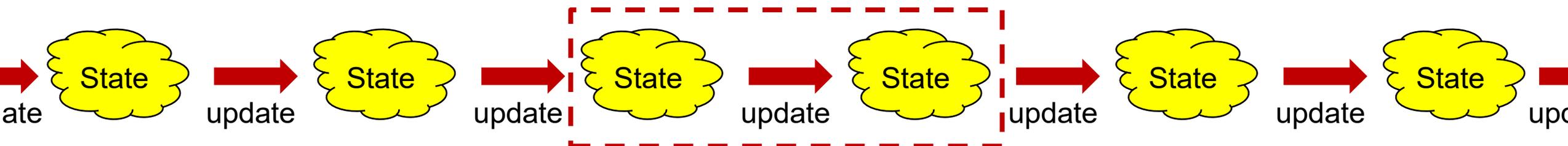
**What is a good savings- / potential- /  $\Phi$ -function ?**

- a) Position of most significant 1-bit
- b) Position of the rightmost 0
- c) # 1's in the binary number
- d) # 0's in the binary number
- e) Don't know



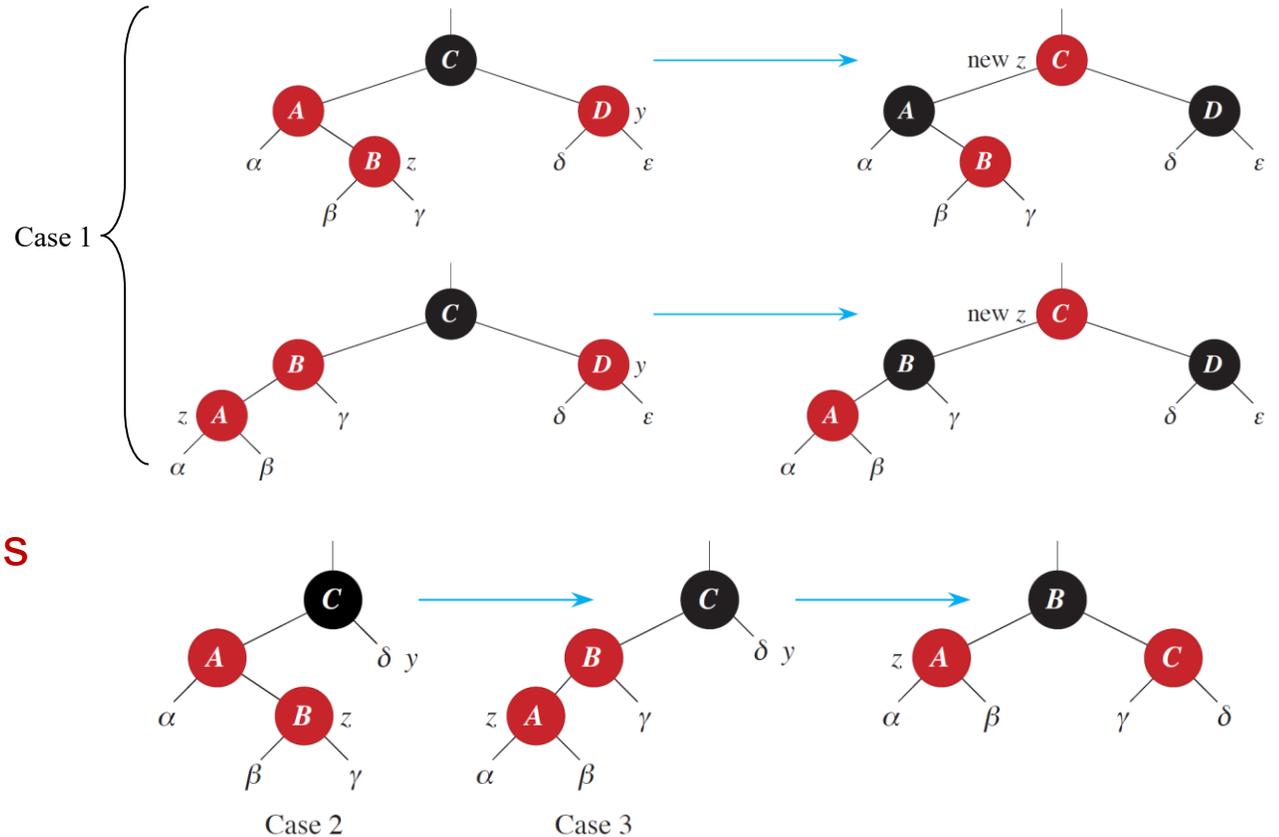
# Amortized analysis

- Analysis technique to argue about the **worst-case** time for a sequence of operations
- Only need to analyze the operations individually
- **The Art** : Find a useful invariant for  $\Phi$



# Example – red-black trees

Insert(x)  
 =  
 Search ←  $O(\log n)$   
 +  
 Create new red leaf ←  $O(1)$   
 +  
 Rebalance ← # transitions



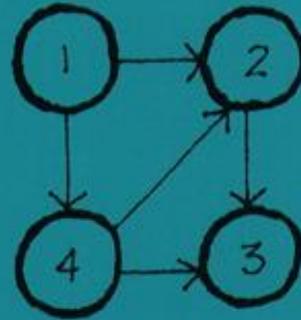
# transitions = *amortized*  $O(1)$

$\Phi = \#$  red nodes

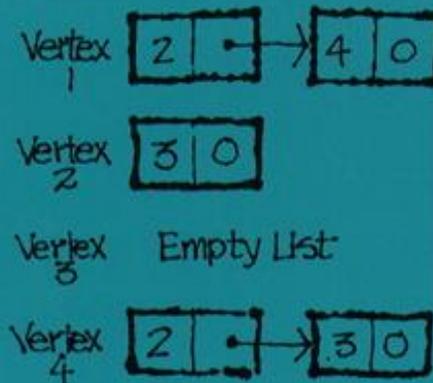
**Corollary:** Insertion in a red-black tree takes *amortized*  $O(1)$  time, if insertion position is known

# The Design and Analysis of Computer Algorithms

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	1	2	3	4
1	0	1	0	1
2	0	0	1	0
3	0	0	0	0
4	0	1	1	0



	Head	Next
Vertices 1		5
Vertices 2		7
Vertices 3		0
Vertices 4		8
Edges 5	2	6
Edges 6	4	0
Edges 7	3	0
Edges 8	2	9
Edges 9	3	0

# Union-Find with path compression (without rank)

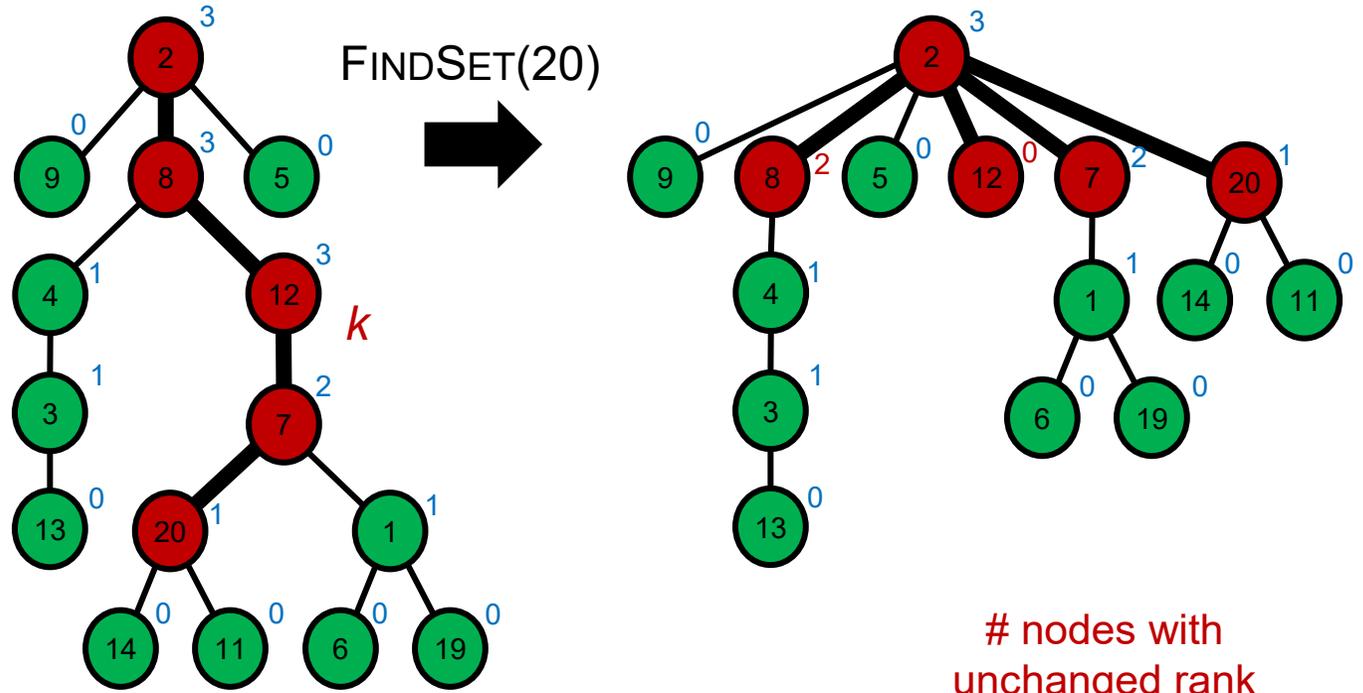
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MAKESET(x)
1  x.p = x

UNION(x, y)
1  LINK(FINDSET(x), FINDSET(y))

LINK(x, y)
1  y.p = x

FINDSET(x)
1  if x ≠ x.p do
2    x.p = FINDSET(x.p)
3  return x.p
    
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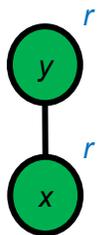
# nodes with unchanged rank

### Amortized analysis

**Definition**  $rank(x) = \lfloor \log_2 |T(x)| \rfloor$

**Lemma**  $rank(x.p) \geq rank(x)$

**Potential**  $\Phi = \sum_x rank(x)$



### Observation

Assume x and y rang r, i.e., both subtrees have size  $[2^r, 2^{r+1}[$

If x is removed, the y gets rank  $< r$

	Real time	$\Delta\Phi$	Amortized time (real time + $\Delta\Phi$ )
MAKESET	$O(1)$	0	$O(1)$
LINK	$O(1)$	$\leq \log n$	$O(\log n)$
FINDSET	$k$	$\leq -k + 2 + \log n$	$O(\log n)$
UNION = 2 x FINDSET + LINK			$O(\log n)$

# Union-Find with path compression and linking-by-rank

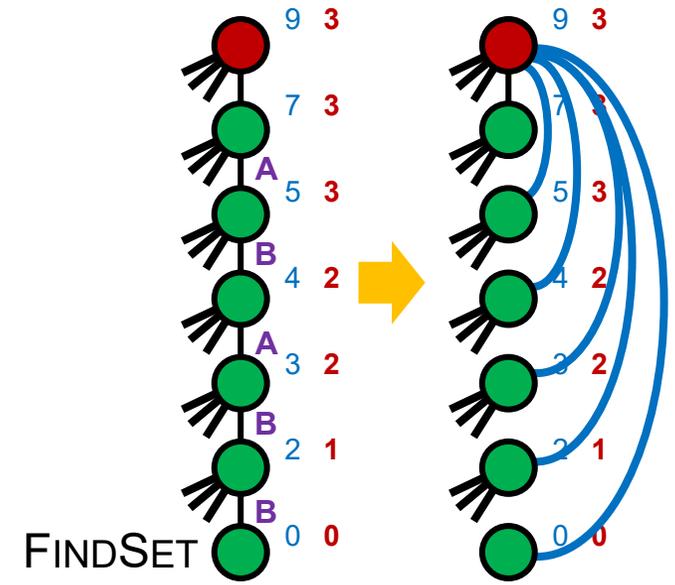
**Theorem**  $n$  MAKESET and  $m$  FINDSET and UNION operations take time  $O((n + m) \cdot \log^* n)$

**Definition**  $\log^* n = \text{smallest } i \text{ where } n \leq r_i = 2^{2^{\cdot^{\cdot^2}}}$  } tower of height  $i$

$r_0 = 1$	$r_3 = 2^4 = 16$
$r_1 = 2^1 = 2$	$r_4 = 2^{16} = 65536$
$r_2 = 2^2 = 4$	$r_5 = 2^{65536}$

## Proof

- Only the rank of a root can change (increase during link)
- A non-root  $x$  never becomes a root again and  $\text{rank}(x.p) > \text{rank}(x)$
- A root with rank  $r$  has subtree size  $\geq 2^r$ , all non-roots rank  $< r$
- Lemma** # nodes with rank  $r \leq n / 2^r$
- Parent change increases rank difference to parent
- Define **layer** of a rank  $r$  as  $\lambda(r) = \log^* r$
- Total time  $O(n + m + \# \text{ parent changes})$

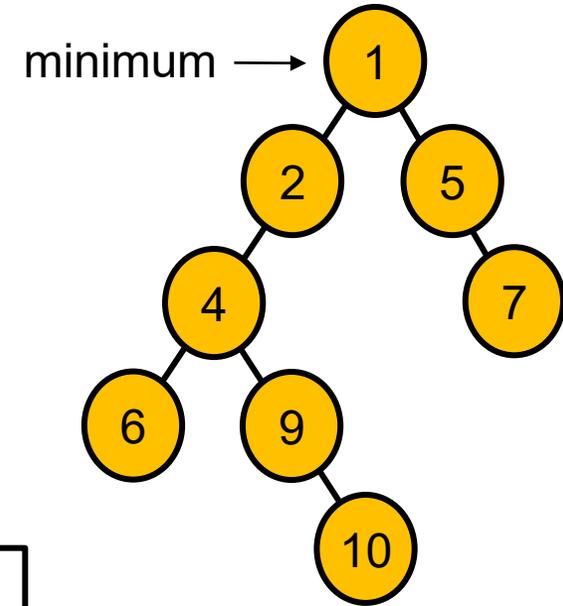


$$O(n + m + \underbrace{m \cdot \log^* n}_{\text{(B) parent is already in different layer}} + \underbrace{\sum_{\text{layer } i} \sum_{r=r_{i-1}+1..r_i} n / 2^r \cdot r_i}_{\substack{\text{(A) parent is in same layer} \\ \text{before parent change}}}) = O(n + m \cdot \log^* n + \sum_{\text{layer } i} n / 2^{r_{i-1}} \cdot r_i) = O((n + m) \cdot \log^* n)$$

# times a node in layer  $i$  can have a parent in layer  $i$ 
||
 $2^{r_{i-1}}$   
(assumes  $r_{-1} = 0$ )

# Skew heaps – “self-balancing” heaps

- Priority queue
  - FindMin, Insert, DeleteMin, Meld
- Heap-ordered binary tree
  - *No requirements to structure or depth*
- Node: left, right, element
- Priority queue = pointer to root



```

proc FindMin(H)
  return H.element

proc Insert(H, e)
  v = new Node(e, Null, Null)
  return Meld(H, v)

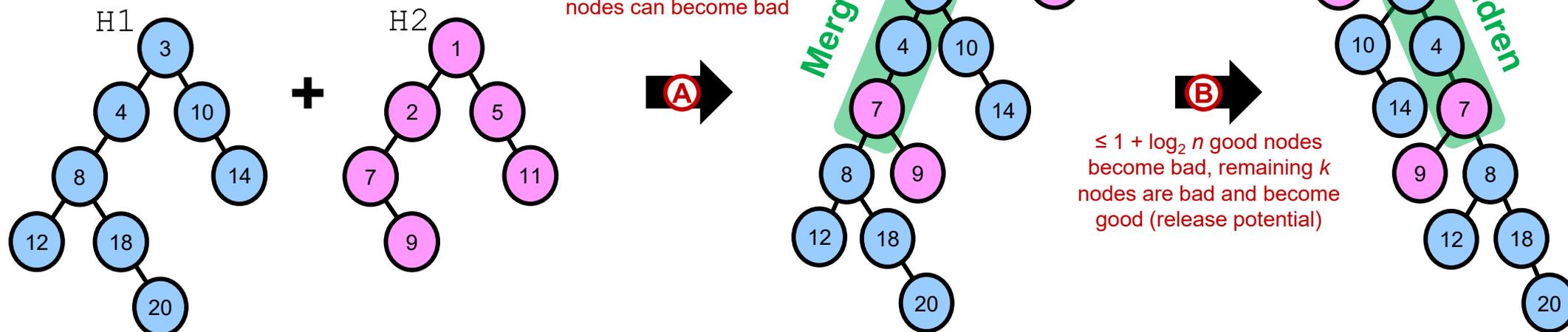
proc DeleteMin(H)
  return Meld(H.left, H.right)
  
```

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# Skew heaps

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## Meld



```

proc Meld(H1, H2)
  if H1 = Null then return H2
  if H2 = Null then return H1
  if H1.element < H2.element then
    return new Node(H1.element, H1.right, Meld(H1.left, H2))
  else
    return new Node(H2.element, H2.right, Meld(H2.left, H1))
  
```

### Amortized analysis

- Definition** Good node  $v$ :  $|v.left| \leq |v| / 2$
- Lemma** # good nodes on left path  $\leq 1 + \log_2 n$
- Potential**  $\Phi = \# \text{ bad nodes}$

Meld amortized time

$$\leq \underbrace{2 + 2 \cdot \log_2 n}_{\Delta\Phi \text{ from (A)}} + \underbrace{1 + \log_2 n - k}_{\Delta\Phi \text{ from (B)}} + \underbrace{k + 1 + \log_2 n}_{\text{real time}} = O(\log n)$$

$\Rightarrow$  All operations amortized time  $O(\log n)$

# Self-balancing data structures

## with amortized running times

	<b>Skew heaps</b>	<b>Fibonacci heaps</b>	<b>Splay trees</b>
Minimum	$O(1)$	$O(1)$	$O_A(1)^*$
Insert	$O_A(\log n)$	$O_A(1)$	$O_A(\log n)$
DeleteMin	$O_A(\log n)$	$O_A(\log n)$	$O_A(1)^*$
Delete		$O_A(\log n)$	$O_A(\log n)$
Meld	$O_A(\log n)$	$O_A(1)$	
DecreaseKey		$O_A(1)$	$O_A(\log n)$
Search			$O_A(\log n)$

**Skew Heaps**

Sleator and Tarjan, SICOMP 1986

$O_A \equiv$  amortized time

**Fibonacci heaps**

Fredman and Tarjan, JACM 1987 [CLRS, 3<sup>rd</sup> edition, Chapter 19]

**Splay trees**

Sleator and Tarjan, JACM 1985 + Cole\*, SICOMP 2006

# **Algorithms and Data Structures**

Divide and conquer

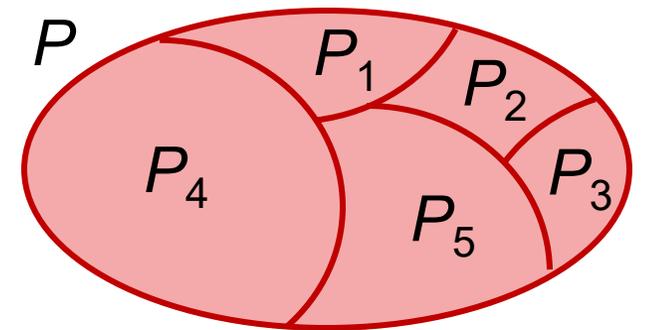
[CLRS, Chapter 2.3, 4.1-4.5, Problem 30.1.c]

# Divide and conquer

## Algorithm design technique

Applicable to some problems (but far from all)

- **Partition** a problem  $P$  into smaller problems  $P_1, \dots, P_k$  of the same type which can be solved independently
- **Recursively** solve subproblems  $P_1, \dots, P_k$  (small problems are solved directly)
- **Combine** solutions for  $P_1, \dots, P_k$  to a solution for  $P$



# Example – Merge-Sort

MERGE-SORT( $A, p, r$ )

Small subproblem  $\rightarrow$  if  $p \geq r$   
(size  $\leq 1$ )

return

$q = \lfloor (p + r) / 2 \rfloor$

② Solve recursively  $\rightarrow$

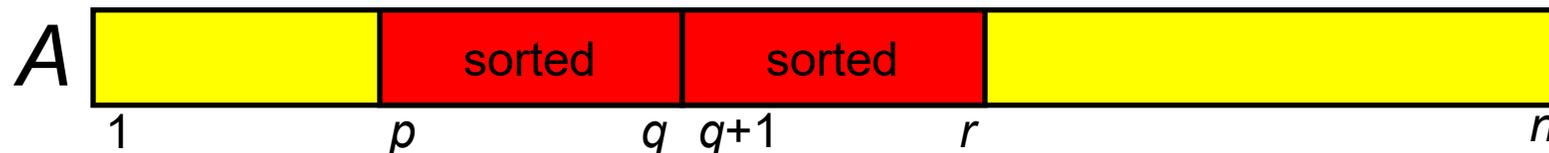
MERGE-SORT( $A, p, q$ )

MERGE-SORT( $A, q + 1, r$ )

③ Combine  $\rightarrow$

MERGE( $A, p, q, r$ )

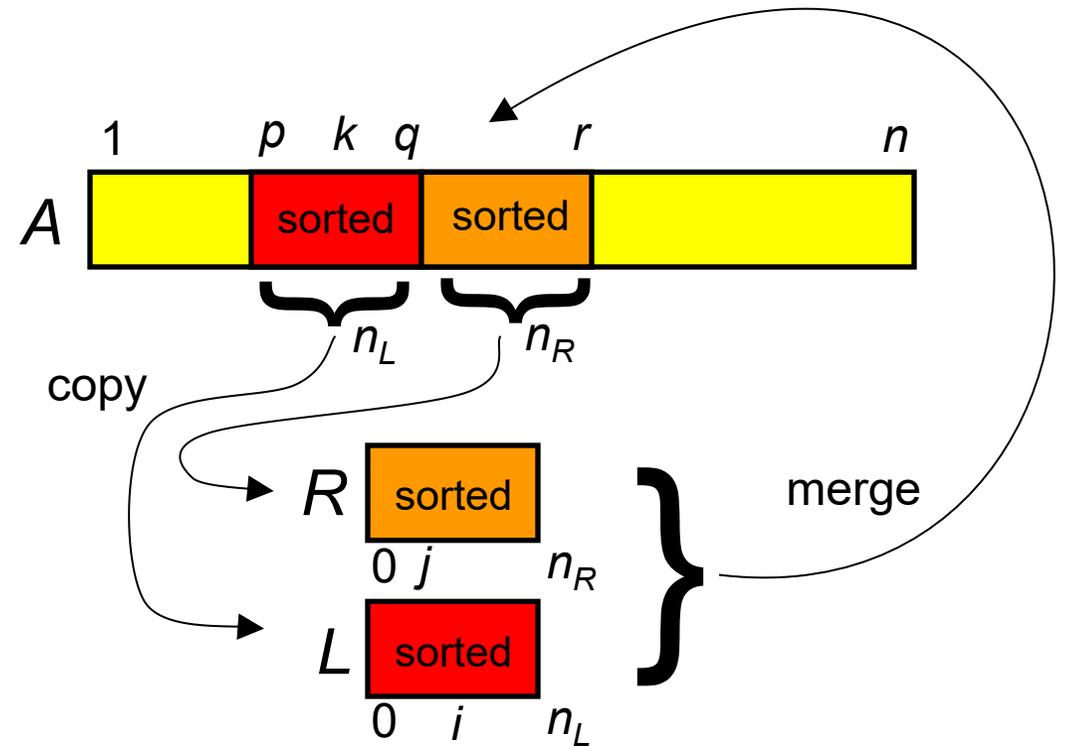
① Two smaller subproblems



MERGE( $A, p, q, r$ )

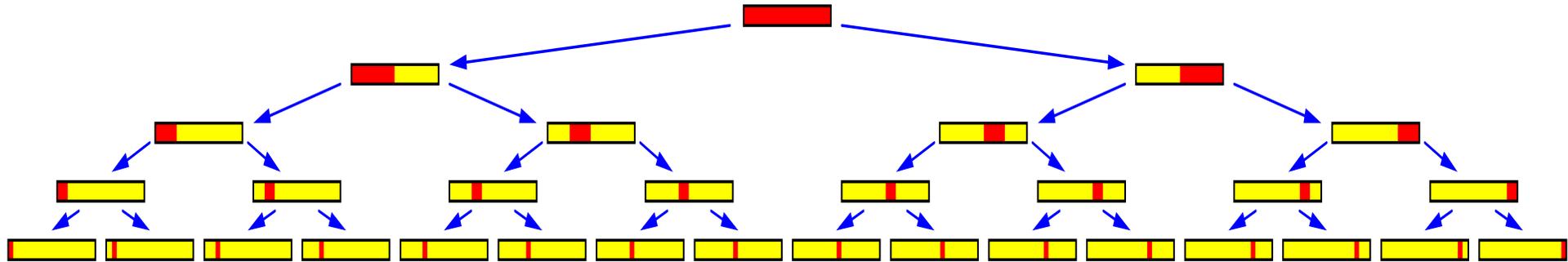
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1   $n_L = q - p + 1$  // length of  $A[p : q]$ 
2   $n_R = r - q$  // length of  $A[q + 1 : r]$ 
3  let  $L[0 : n_L - 1]$  and  $R[0 : n_R - 1]$  be new arrays
4  for  $i = 0$  to  $n_L - 1$  // copy  $A[p : q]$  into  $L[0 : n_L - 1]$ 
5       $L[i] = A[p + i]$ 
6  for  $j = 0$  to  $n_R - 1$  // copy  $A[q + 1 : r]$  into  $R[0 : n_R - 1]$ 
7       $R[j] = A[q + j + 1]$ 
8   $i = 0$  //  $i$  indexes the smallest remaining element in  $L$ 
9   $j = 0$  //  $j$  indexes the smallest remaining element in  $R$ 
10  $k = p$  //  $k$  indexes the location in  $A$  to fill
11 // As long as each of the arrays  $L$  and  $R$  contains an unmerged element,
12 // copy the smallest unmerged element back into  $A[p : r]$ .
13 while  $i < n_L$  and  $j < n_R$ 
14     if  $L[i] \leq R[j]$ 
15          $A[k] = L[i]$ 
16          $i = i + 1$ 
17     else  $A[k] = R[j]$ 
18          $j = j + 1$ 
19          $k = k + 1$ 
20 // Having gone through one of  $L$  and  $R$  entirely, copy the
21 // remainder of the other to the end of  $A[p : r]$ .
22 while  $i < n_L$ 
23      $A[k] = L[i]$ 
24      $i = i + 1$ 
25      $k = k + 1$ 
26 while  $j < n_R$ 
27      $A[k] = R[j]$ 
28      $j = j + 1$ 
29      $k = k + 1$ 
```

### ③ Combine



# Merge-Sort – analysis

## Recursion tree



**Observation** : Total work per level in the tree is  $O(n)$

**Total work** :  $O(n \cdot \# \text{ levels}) = O(n \cdot \log_2 n)$

# Divide and conquer – examples

- **MergeSort**
  - Partition into two equally sized parts
  - Recursively sort
  - Combine = merge sorted lists
- **QuickSort**
  - Partition into two parts around random pivot (**random partition**)
  - Recursively sort
  - Combine = none (concatenation of left and right solutions)
- **QuickSelect**
  - Partition into two parts around random pivot (**random partition**)
  - One recursive call to select
  - Combine = none (return result from recursion)

# Analysis of divide and conquer

= analysis of a recursive procedure

Essentially two approaches

- Argue directly about **recursion tree**  
(depth, #node at each level, work at the nodes/levels/tree)
- Solve a mathematical **recurrence relation**, e.g., by induction

$$T(n) = a \quad \text{if } n \leq c$$

$$T(n) = 2 \cdot T(n / 2) + a \cdot n \quad \text{otherwise}$$

# What is the recurrence relation for MergeSort when sorting recursively 3 parts of size $n/3$ ?



For  $n \geq 3 \dots$

a)  $T(n) = 3 \cdot T(n) + a \cdot n^3$

b)  $T(n) = 3 \cdot T(n) + a \cdot n$



c)  $T(n) = 3 \cdot T(n/3) + a \cdot n$

d)  $T(n) = 3 \cdot T(n/2) + a \cdot n$

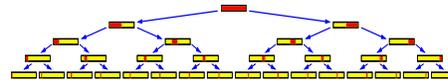
e) Don't know

... and  $T(n) = c$  for  $n < 3$

# Solving a recurrence relation

$$\begin{array}{ll} T(n) = a & \text{if } n \leq c \\ T(n) = 2 \cdot T(n / 2) + a \cdot n & \text{otherwise} \end{array}$$

- Unfold recurrence relation and argue about the **recursion tree**



- Guess a solution and prove by **induction** by increasing  $n$

# Recurrence relations – pitfalls

- Odd partitions ignored ( $n$  odd, recurrence relation calls typically  $\lfloor n/2 \rfloor$  and  $\lceil n/2 \rceil$ ) [CLRS, Chapter 4.7]
- Analysis typically only for  $n = 2^k$
- **Never** use O-notation in recurrence relations – use constants ( ~~$T(n) = O(n) + O(T(n/3))$~~ )  
 $T(n) = c \cdot n + a \cdot T(n / 3)$

# Master theorem

## simplification of [CLRS, Theorem 4.1]

### Theorem

If  $a$ ,  $b$ ,  $c$ ,  $d$  and  $p$  are constants, where  $a$  is an integer and  $b$ ,  $c$ ,  $d$  and  $p$  are real values,  $a \geq 1$ ,  $b > 1$ ,  $c > 0$ ,  $d \geq 1$  and  $p \geq 0$ , then the recurrence

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} c & \text{if } n \leq d \\ a \cdot T(n/b) + c \cdot n^p & \text{if } n > d \end{cases}$$

has the solutions

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} \Theta(n^p) & \text{if } a < b^p \\ \Theta(n^p \cdot \log n) & \text{if } a = b^p \\ \Theta(n^{\log_b a}) & \text{if } a > b^p . \end{cases}$$

Note that  $n^{\log_b a} = a^{\log_b n}$ .

# Solution to the recurrence relation ?

$$\begin{aligned} T(n) &= 4 \cdot T(n/2) + n^3 && \text{for } n > 1 \\ T(n) &= c && \text{for } n = 1 \end{aligned}$$



a)  $T(n) = \Theta(n^3)$

b)  $T(n) = \Theta(n^3 \log n)$

c)  $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_2 4}) = \Theta(n^2)$

d) Don't know

# Solution to the recurrence relation ?

$$T(n) = 4 \cdot T(n / 2) + n \quad \text{for } n > 1$$
$$T(n) = c \quad \text{for } n = 1$$

a)  $T(n) = \Theta(n)$

b)  $T(n) = \Theta(n \log n)$

 c)  $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_2 4}) = \Theta(n^2)$

d) Don't know

# Solution to the recurrence relation ?

$$T(n) = 5 \cdot T(n / 4) + n^2 \quad \text{for } n > 1$$

$$T(n) = c \quad \text{for } n = 1$$



a)  $T(n) = \Theta(n^2)$

b)  $T(n) = \Theta(n^2 \log n)$

c)  $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_4 5}) = \Theta(n^{1.161})$

d) Don't know

# Solution to the recurrence relation ?

$$T(n) = 9 \cdot T(n / 3) + n^2 \quad \text{for } n > 1$$
$$T(n) = c \quad \text{for } n = 1$$

- a)  $T(n) = \Theta(n^2)$
-  b)  $T(n) = \Theta(n^2 \log n)$
- c)  $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_3 9}) = \Theta(n^2)$
- d) Don't know

# Solution to the recurrence relation ?

$$T(n) = 7 \cdot T(n/2) + c \cdot n^2 \quad \text{for } n \geq 2$$

$$T(n) = c \quad \text{for } n = 1$$

a)  $T(n) = \Theta(n^2)$

b)  $T(n) = \Theta(n^2 \cdot \log n)$

c)  $T(n) = \Theta(n^{7/2})$



d)  $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_2 7}) = \Theta(n^{2.81})$

e)  $T(n) = \Theta(n^7)$

f) Don't know

# Depth of recursion ?

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} c & \text{if } n \leq d \\ a \cdot T(n/b) + c \cdot n^p & \text{if } n > d \end{cases}$$

a)  $\log n$

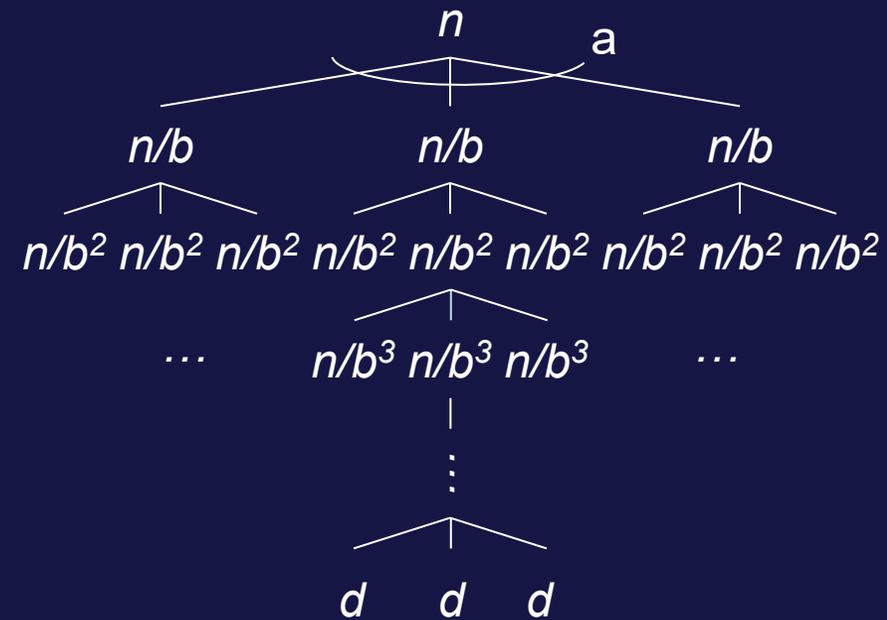
b)  $\log_b n$



c)  $\log_b (n/d)$

d)  $\log_d (n/b)$

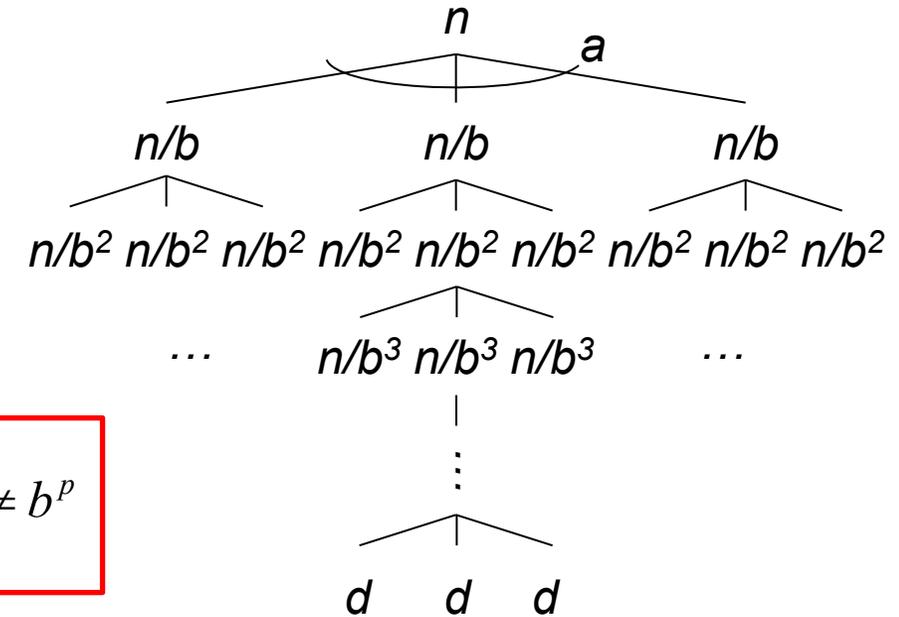
e) Don't know



$$n / b^k \leq d ?$$

Depth	$i = 0.. \log_b(n/d) - 1$	$\log_b(n/d)$
# subproblems	$a^i$	$a^{\log_b(n/d)}$
Size of subproblems	$n/b^i$	$d$
Contribution per subproblem	$c \cdot (n/b^i)^p$	$c$
Contribution per level	$a^i \cdot c \cdot (n/b^i)^p$	$c \cdot a^{\log_b(n/d)}$

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} c & \text{if } n \leq d \\ a \cdot T(n/b) + c \cdot n^p & \text{if } n > d \end{cases}$$



$$T(n) = \Theta \left( c \cdot a^{\log_b(n/d)} + \sum_{i=0}^{\log_b(n/d)-1} a^i \cdot c \cdot (n/b^i)^p \right)$$

(bottom of recursion)      (level  $i = 0.. \log_b(n/d) - 1$ )

$$= \Theta \left( c \cdot a^{\log_b n} + c \cdot n^p \cdot \sum_{i=0}^{\log_b n - 1} (a/b^p)^i \right)$$

$\frac{(a/b^p)^{\log_b n} - 1}{a/b^p - 1} \text{ for } a \neq b^p$

$$= \Theta \left( n^{\log_b a} + n^p \cdot \begin{cases} 1 & \text{for } a < b^p \\ \log n & \text{for } a = b^p \\ (a/b^p)^{\log_b n} & \text{for } a > b^p \end{cases} \right) = \Theta \left( \begin{cases} n^p & \text{for } a < b^p \\ n^p \cdot \log n & \text{for } a = b^p \\ n^{\log_b a} & \text{for } a > b^p \end{cases} \right)$$

$a^{\log_b n} = n^{\log_b a}$

$(b^p)^{\log_b n} = n^p$

# Multiplication of long integers

$$2387 * 3351$$

$$= (23 * 10^2 + 87) * (33 * 10^2 + 51)$$

$$= 23 * 33 * 10^4 + (23 * 51 + 87 * 33) * 10^2 + 87 * 51$$

$$= 759 * 10^4 + (1173 + 2871) * 10^2 + 4437$$

$$= 7590000$$

$$+ 117300$$

$$+ 287100$$

$$+ 4437$$

$$= \underline{\underline{7998837}}$$

# Multiplication integers with $n$ bits

$$I = \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline I_h & I_l \hline \end{array} \quad J = \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline J_h & J_l \hline \end{array}$$

$\overbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}^{n/2}$

$$I \cdot J = I_h \cdot J_h \cdot 2^n + (I_h \cdot J_l + I_l \cdot J_h) \cdot 2^{n/2} + I_l \cdot J_l$$

- a)  $T(n) = 2 \cdot T(n/2) + a \cdot n^2$
- b)  $T(n) = 4 \cdot T(n/4) + a \cdot n$
-  c)  $T(n) = 4 \cdot T(n/2) + a \cdot n$
- d)  $T(n) = 4 \cdot T(n/2) + a \cdot n^2$
- e) Don't know

... and  $T(n) = c$  for  $n = 1$   $\implies T(n) = O(n^2)$

# Multiplication of long integers

[CLRS, Problem 30.1.c]

$$I = \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline I_h & I_l \\ \hline \end{array} \quad J = \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline J_h & J_l \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$\overbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}^{n/2}$

- $I$  and  $J$  both  $n$ -bit integers
- Naïve implementation  $O(n^2)$  bit operations
- $I \cdot J = I_h \cdot J_h \cdot 2^n + ((I_h - I_l) \cdot (J_l - J_h) + I_l \cdot J_l + I_h \cdot J_h) \cdot 2^{n/2} + I_l \cdot J_l$

$$T(n) = 3 \cdot T(n/2) + c \cdot n \quad \text{for } n \geq 2$$

$$T(n) = c \quad \text{for } n = 1$$

- $T(n) = O(n^{\log_2 3}) = O(n^{1.58})$

# Multiplication of long integers

+4000 years	$O(n^2)$
Divide and conquer Karatsuba 1960	$O(n^{\log_2 3})$
Schönhage-Strassen 1971	$O(n \cdot \log n \cdot \log \log n)$
<u>Fürer 2007</u> <u>Harvey, Hoeven 2018</u> <u>Harvey, Hoeven 2019</u>	$O(n \cdot \log n \cdot 2^{O(\log^* n)})$ $O(n \cdot \log n \cdot 2^{2 \cdot \log^* n})$ $O(n \cdot \log n)$

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# Matrices

$m = 3$   
columns

represents linear  
transformations  $\mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$

$$\begin{matrix} n = 4 \\ \text{rows} \end{matrix}
 \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 & -1 \\ 5 & 0 & 4 \\ 7 & -2 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 \end{pmatrix}
 \cdot
 \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix}
 =
 \begin{pmatrix} 3x_1 + 2x_2 - x_3 \\ 5x_1 + 4x_3 \\ 7x_1 - 2x_2 \\ x_1 + 3x_2 + 2x_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$n \times m$  matrix      column vector      column vector  
 $m \times 1$  matrix       $n \times 1$  matrix

## Rules

Matrix addition  
( $n \times m$  matrices)

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 6 \\ 4 & 1 \\ 3 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 & 8 \\ 7 & 5 \\ 8 & 9 \end{pmatrix}$$

$(A + B) + C = A + (B + C)$   
 $A + B = B + A$

Matrix subtraction  
( $n \times m$  matrices)

$$\begin{pmatrix} 6 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 6 \\ 4 & 1 \\ 3 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -4 \\ -1 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$A - (B + C) = (A - B) - C$

Multiplication by a  
constant

$$3 \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -2 & 3 \\ 4 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 6 \\ -6 & 9 \\ 12 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$c(dA) = (cd)A$   
 $c(A + B) = (cA) + (cB)$

# Matrix multiplication

= composition of linear transformations

$$\begin{pmatrix} c_{11} & c_{12} & \cdots & c_{1r} \\ c_{21} & c_{22} & \cdots & c_{2r} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ c_{p1} & c_{p2} & \cdots & c_{pr} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1q} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2q} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{p1} & a_{p2} & \cdots & a_{pq} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} & \cdots & b_{1r} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} & \cdots & b_{2r} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ b_{q1} & b_{q2} & \cdots & b_{qr} \end{pmatrix}$$

$p \times r$  matrix                       $p \times q$  matrix                       $q \times r$  matrix

$$c_{ij} = \sum_{k=1..m} a_{ik} \cdot b_{kj}$$

**Rules**

$$(AB)C = A(BC)$$

$$A(B+C) = (AB)+(AC)$$

$$(A+B)C = (AC)+(BC)$$

$$AB \neq BA$$

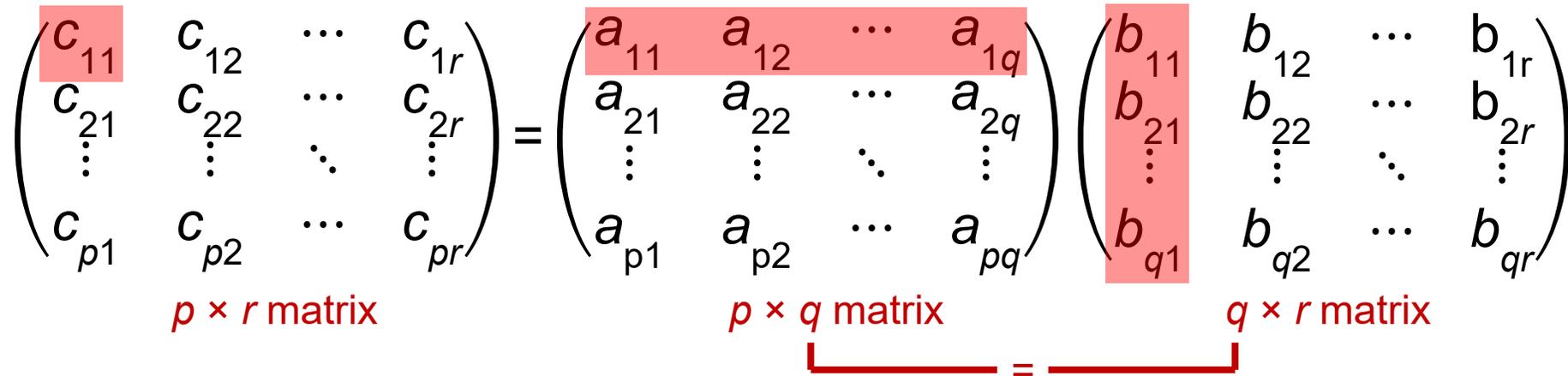
$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 12 & 20 \\ 11 & 15 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 6 & 14 \\ 6 & 8 & 12 \\ 6 & 13 & 12 \end{pmatrix}$$

# Matrix Multiplication

$$\begin{pmatrix} c_{11} & c_{12} & \cdots & c_{1r} \\ c_{21} & c_{22} & \cdots & c_{2r} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ c_{p1} & c_{p2} & \cdots & c_{pr} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1q} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2q} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{p1} & a_{p2} & \cdots & a_{pq} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} & \cdots & b_{1r} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} & \cdots & b_{2r} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ b_{q1} & b_{q2} & \cdots & b_{qr} \end{pmatrix}$$

$p \times r$  matrix                       $p \times q$  matrix                       $q \times r$  matrix

The diagram illustrates the multiplication of two matrices to produce a third. The first matrix is  $p \times r$  with elements  $c_{ij}$ . The second matrix is  $p \times q$  with elements  $a_{ik}$ . The third matrix is  $q \times r$  with elements  $b_{kj}$ . A red box highlights  $c_{11}$  in the first matrix. Another red box highlights the first row of the second matrix,  $a_{11}, a_{12}, \dots, a_{1q}$ . A third red box highlights the first column of the third matrix,  $b_{11}, b_{21}, \dots, b_{q1}$ . A red bracket under the second and third matrices is labeled with an equals sign, indicating that the dot product of the first row of the second matrix and the first column of the third matrix results in the element  $c_{11}$ .

RECTANGULAR-MATRIX-MULTIPLY ( $A, B, C, p, q, r$ )

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1  for  $i = 1$  to  $p$ 
2      for  $j = 1$  to  $r$ 
3          for  $k = 1$  to  $q$ 
4               $c_{ij} = c_{ij} + a_{ik} \cdot b_{kj}$ 
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Naïve implementation  $O(pqr)$  time

# Quadratic matrix multiplication

[CLRS, Chapter 4.1-4.2]

$\frac{n}{2} \times \frac{n}{2}$  matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} I & J \\ K & L \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} E & F \\ G & H \end{pmatrix}$$

$n \times n$  matrix                       $n \times n$  matrix                       $n \times n$  matrix

$$\begin{aligned} I &= A \cdot E + B \cdot G \\ J &= A \cdot F + B \cdot H \\ K &= C \cdot E + D \cdot G \\ L &= C \cdot F + D \cdot H \end{aligned}$$

- $A, B, \dots, K, L$  are  $n/2 \times n/2$ -matrices
- $I, J, K, L$  can be computed using **8 recurrence relation multiplikations** and **4 matrix additions** on  $n/2 \times n/2$ -matricer
- $T(n) = 8 \cdot T(n/2) + c \cdot n^2$  for  $n \geq 2$   
 $T(n) = c$  for  $n = 1$
- $T(n) = O(n^{\log_2 8}) = O(n^3)$

# Strassen's matrix multiplication

$$\begin{pmatrix} I & J \\ K & L \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} E & F \\ G & H \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} I &= S_5 + S_6 + S_4 - S_2 \\ &= (A + D)(E + H) + (B - D)(G + H) + D(G - E) - (A + B)H \\ &= AE + DE + AH + DH + BG - DG + BH - DH + DG - DE - AH - BH \\ &= AE + BG. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} J &= S_1 + S_2 \\ &= A(F - H) + (A + B)H \\ &= AF - AH + AH + BH \\ &= AF + BH. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} K &= S_3 + S_4 \\ &= (C + D)E + D(G - E) \\ &= CE + DE + DG - DE \\ &= CE + DG. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} L &= S_1 - S_7 - S_3 + S_5 \\ &= A(F - H) - (A - C)(E + F) - (C + D)E + (A + D)(E + H) \\ &= AF - AH - AE + CE - AF + CF - CE - DE + AE + DE + AH + DH \\ &= CF + DH. \end{aligned}$$

$S_1$	$=$	$A \cdot (F - H)$
$S_2$	$=$	$(A + B) \cdot H$
$S_3$	$=$	$(C + D) \cdot E$
$S_4$	$=$	$D \cdot (G - E)$
$S_5$	$=$	$(A + D) \cdot (E + H)$
$S_6$	$=$	$(B - D) \cdot (G + H)$
$S_7$	$=$	$(A - C) \cdot (E + F)$

7 recursive multiplications

# Strassen's matrix multiplication

- Uses 18 matrix additions, time  $O(n^2)$ , and 7 recursive matrix multiplications

$$\begin{aligned} T(n) &= 7 \cdot T(n/2) + c \cdot n^2 && \text{for } n \geq 2 \\ T(n) &= c && \text{for } n = 1 \end{aligned}$$

- $T(n) = O(n^{\log_2 7}) = O(n^{2.8074})$

Year	$\omega, O(n^\omega)$
1969	2.8074
1978	2.796
1979	2.780
1981	2.522
1981	2.517
1981	2.496
1986	2.479
1990	2.3755
2010	2.3737
2013	2.3729
2014	2.3728639
2020	2.3728596
2022	2.371866
2023	2.371552
2025	2.371339

# MATHEMATICIANS ARE WEIRD

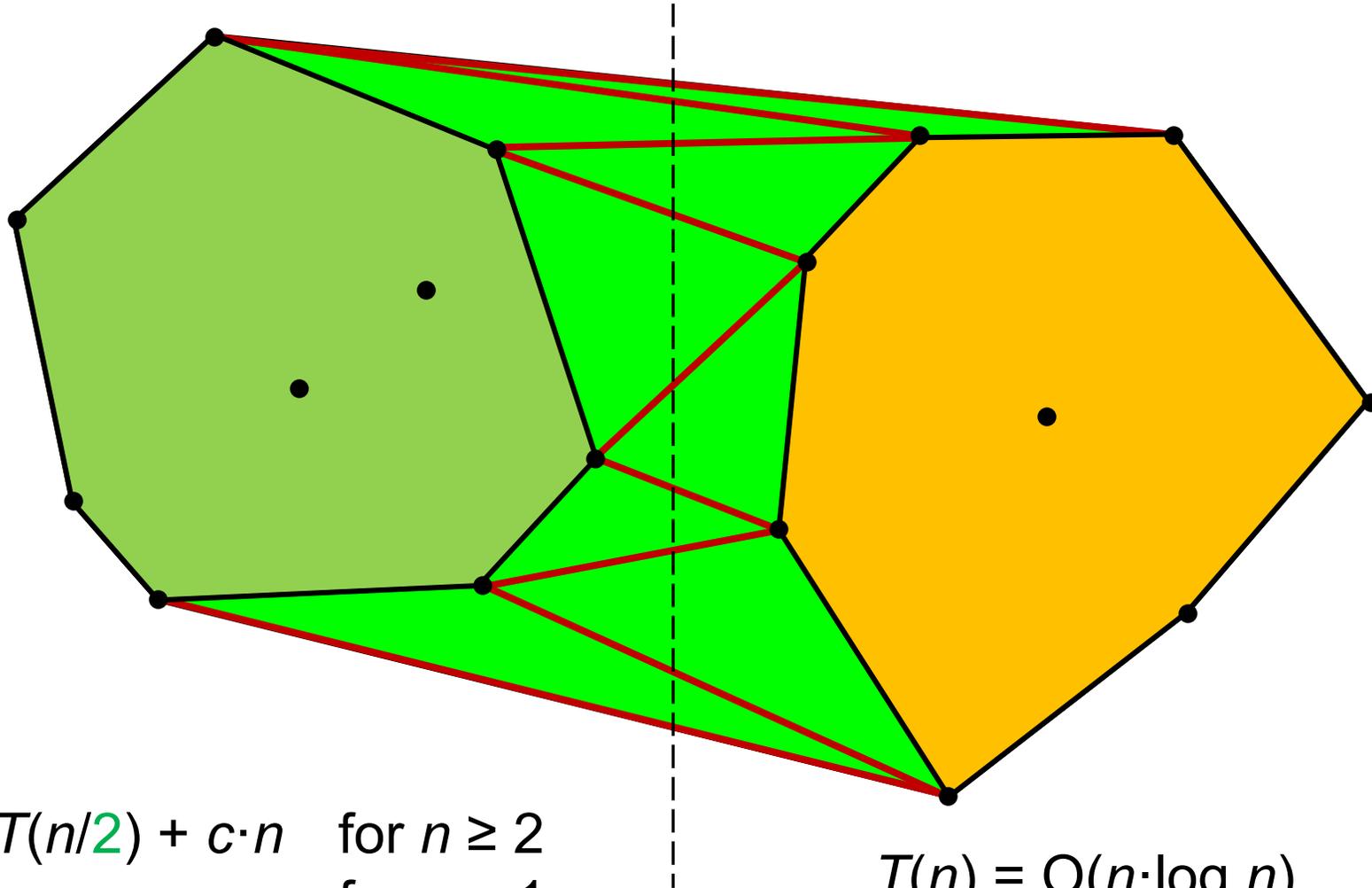
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YES.?

WE GOT  
IT DOWN TO  
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Thunderous applause

# Convex hull

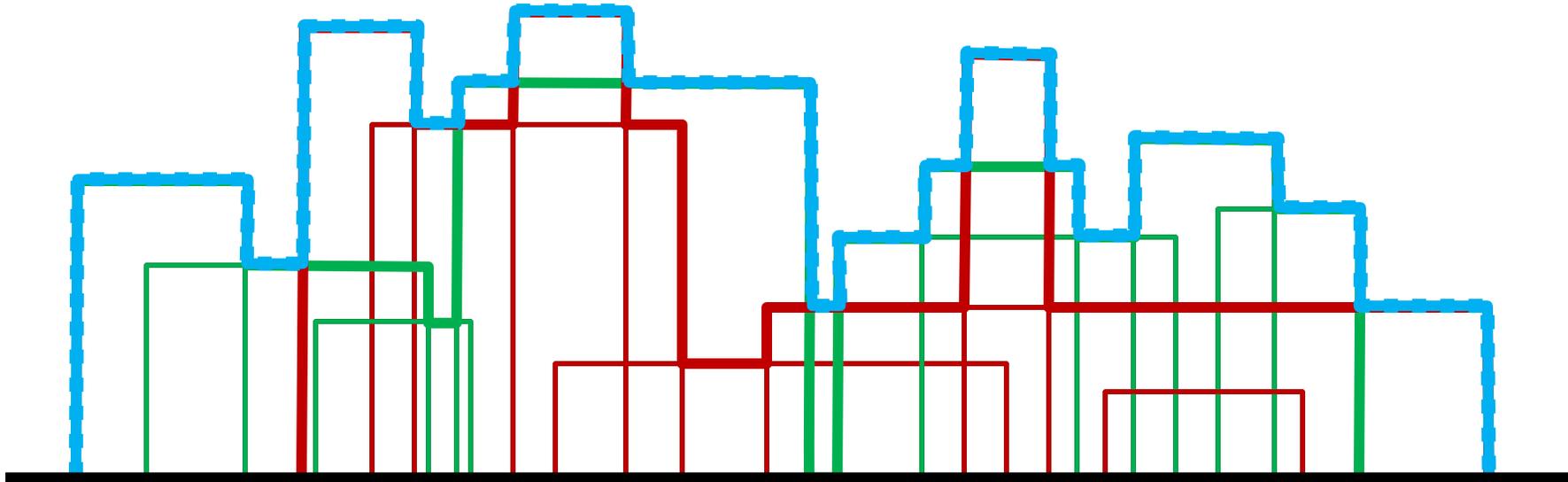


$$\begin{aligned} T(n) &= 2 \cdot T(n/2) + c \cdot n && \text{for } n \geq 2 \\ T(n) &= c && \text{for } n = 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$T(n) = O(n \cdot \log n)$$

# Skyline

(assignment)



$$T(n) = ? \cdot T(n/?) + ? \quad \text{for } n \geq 2$$
$$T(n) = c \quad \text{for } n = 1$$

# Algorithms and Data Structures

Selection in worst-case linear time  
[CLRS, Chapter 9.3]

# Selection

Find the  $i^{\text{th}}$  smallest element in a list

$L =$ 

10	5	12	3	1	7	42	9	15
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$\text{SELECT}(L, 5) = 9$

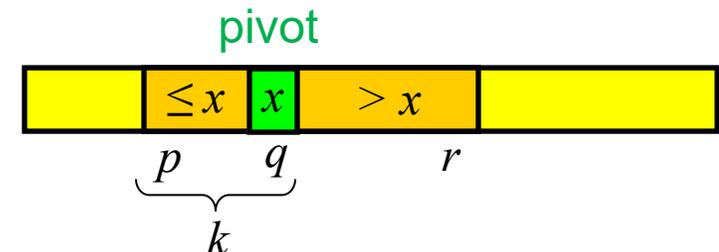
Algorithm	Time
Randomized-Select [CLRS, Chapter 9.2]	$O(n)$ expected $O(n^2)$ worst-case
Deterministic-Select [CLRS, Chapter 9.3]	$O(n)$ worst-case

# Randomized-Select

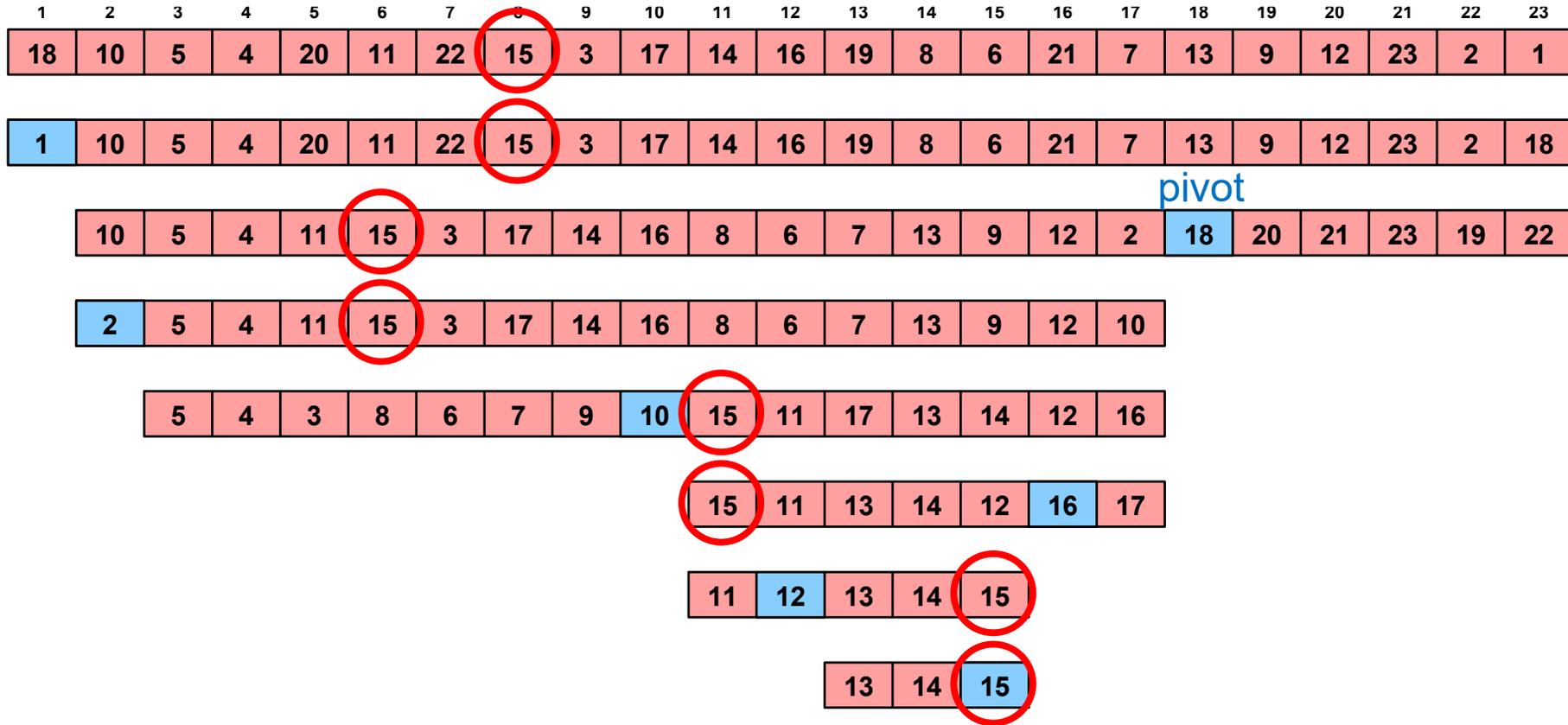
Find the  $i^{\text{th}}$  smallest element in  $A[p..r]$  ( $1 \leq i \leq r-p+1$ )

RANDOMIZED-SELECT( $A, p, r, i$ )

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1  if  $p == r$ 
2      return  $A[p]$            //  $1 \leq i \leq r - p + 1$  when  $p == r$  means that  $i = 1$ 
3   $q = \text{RANDOMIZED-PARTITION}(A, p, r)$ 
4   $k = q - p + 1$ 
5  if  $i == k$ 
6      return  $A[q]$            // the pivot value is the answer
7  elseif  $i < k$ 
8      return RANDOMIZED-SELECT( $A, p, q - 1, i$ )
9  else return RANDOMIZED-SELECT( $A, q + 1, r, i - k$ )
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# Randomized-Select 15



# Randomized-Select

- **Randomized** algorithm (pivot chosen randomly)
  - pivot is in the middle part with constant probability
- Example of **divide and conquer**
  - only 1 smaller subproblem is solved recursively
  - all time is spent in the partition  
(combine step simply returns result from the recursive call)
- Time: worst-case  $O(n^2)$ , **expected  $O(n)$** 
  - Analysis *cannot* be solved using the Master Theorem

# Deterministic-Select

- Same ideas as Randomized-Select
  - Choose one element as pivot
  - Partition w.r.t. the pivot
  - Make at most one recursive call on elements  $<$  or  $>$  pivot
- New idea
  - Recursively use Select to find a **good pivot**
- Analysis
  - Divide and conquer

$$T(n) \leq T(a \cdot n) + T(b \cdot n) + c \cdot n$$

- Cannot use Master Theorem (instead analyze directly)

# Deterministic-Select

**SELECT**( $A, i$ )

small input

1 **if**  $|A| \leq 5$  **then**  
2     sort  $A$  and return  $i$ 'th element

compute pivot

3 partition  $A$  into  $G_1, \dots, G_{\lceil n/5 \rceil}$  where  $|G_i| \leq 5$   
4  $medians = \{ g_i \mid g_i \text{ median of } G_i \}$   
5  $pivot = \text{SELECT}(medians, \lfloor |medians|/2 \rfloor)$

6 partition  $A$  w.r.t.  $pivot$  into  $A_{<}, A_{=}$  and  $A_{>}$

7 **if**  $i \leq |A_{<}|$  **then**

8     **return** **SELECT**( $A_{<}, i$ )

9 **if**  $i > |A_{<}| + |A_{=}|$  **then**

10     **return** **SELECT**( $A_{>}, i - |A_{<}| - |A_{=}|$ )

11 **return**  $pivot$

make 1 recursive call  
(like randomized select)

# Example

$A = 30, 37, 91, 78, 34, 76, 22, 72, 99, 63, 57, 57, 83, 97, 78, 44, 3, 25, 44, 86, 44, 82, 52, 26, 53, 90, 70, 17, 9, 56, 76, 89, 9, 37, 39, 80, 84, 23, 42, 97, 72, 26$

$G_1$	$G_2$	$G_3$	$G_4$	$G_5$	...			$G_{\lceil n/5 \rceil}$
30	76	57	44	44	90	76	80	
37	22	57	3	82	70	89	84	72
91	72	83	25	52	17	9	23	26
78	99	97	44	26	9	37	42	
34	63	78	86	53	56	39	97	

consider input as  $\lceil n/5 \rceil$  groups

sort each group independently

30	22	57	3	26	9	9	23	
34	63	57	25	44	17	37	42	26
37	72	78	44	52	56	39	80	72
78	76	83	44	53	70	76	84	
91	99	97	86	82	90	89	97	

$pivot = median(medians)$

recursively find median

medians

## Quality of $pivot$ ?

groups permuted such that medians are partitioned w.r.t.  $pivot$

30	3	26	9	9	22	57	23	
34	25	44	37	17	63	57	42	26
37	44	52	39	56	72	78	80	72
78	44	53	76	70	76	83	84	
91	86	82	89	90	99	97	97	

$\leq pivot$

$\sim \frac{3}{10}$  of  $A$

$\geq pivot$

# Maximum size of $A_{<}$ ?

$A_{<}$  are all elements in  $A$  smaller than the pivot

a)  $\sim 3/10 \cdot |A|$

b)  $\sim 1/4 \cdot |A|$

c)  $\sim 1/2 \cdot |A|$



d)  $\sim 7/10 \cdot |A|$

e)  $\sim 3/4 \cdot |A|$

f) Don't know

$\leq pivot$

30	3	26	9	9	22	57	23	
34	25	44	37	17	63	57	42	26
37	44	52	39	56	72	78	80	72
78	44	53	76	70	76	83	84	
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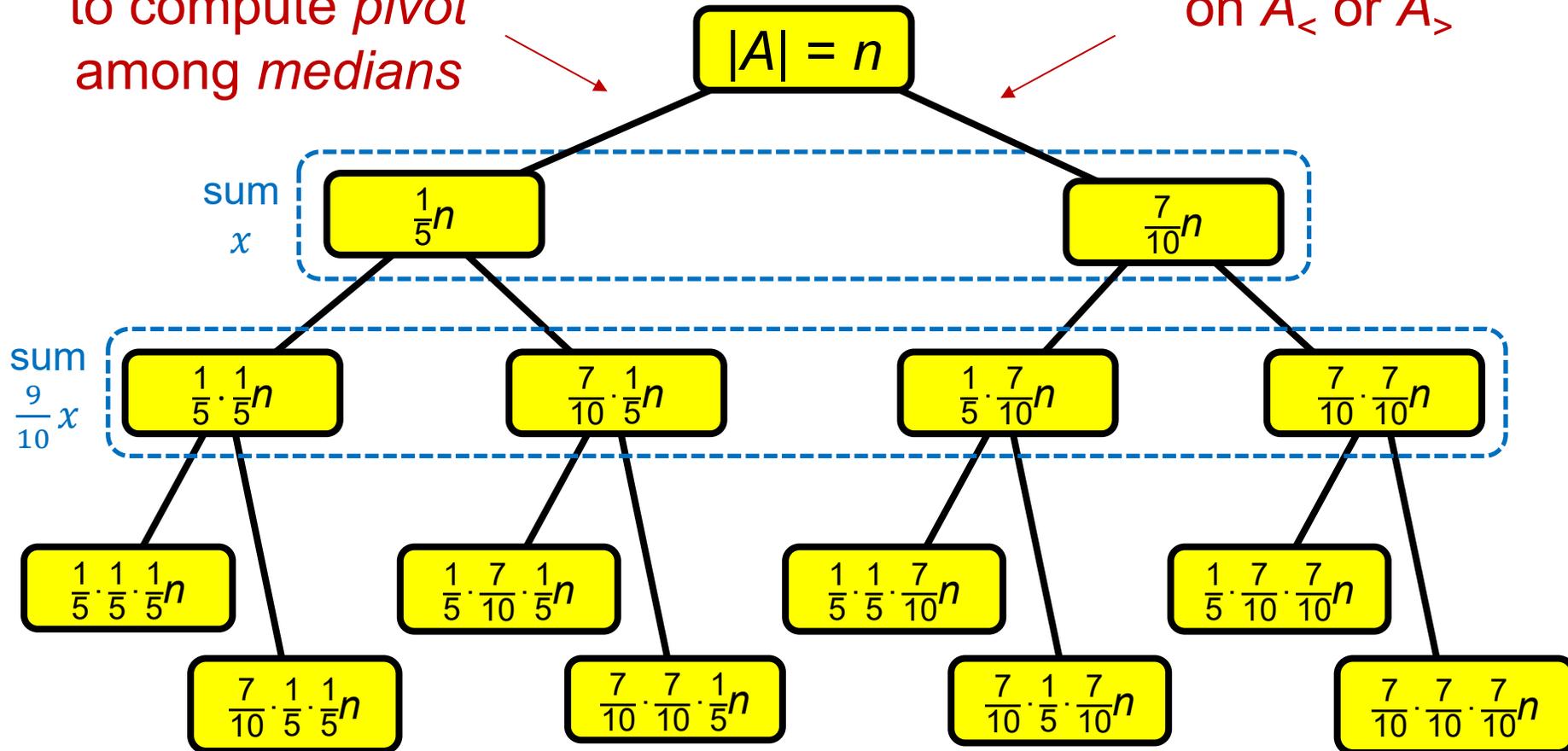
$\geq pivot$

$\sim \frac{3}{10}$  of  $A$

# Recursion tree $\text{SELECT}(A, i)$

Left recursive call  
to compute *pivot*  
among *medians*

right recursive call  
on  $A_{<}$  or  $A_{>}$



Note: Proof ignores that there can be  $O(1)$  additional elements to each recursive call

# Analysis (recurrence)

recursive call to compute *pivot*

recursive call on  $A_{<}$  or  $A_{>}$  (upper bound)

time to compute the median of each group and to create partition  $A_{<}$ ,  $A_{=}$  and  $A_{>}$

$$T(n) \leq \begin{cases} T\left(\frac{1}{5}n\right) + T\left(\frac{7}{10}n\right) + c \cdot n & \text{for } n > 5 \\ c & \text{for } 1 \leq n \leq 5 \end{cases}$$

time to sort  $\leq 5$  elements

Note: Proof ignores that there can be  $O(1)$  additional elements to each recursive call

# Analysis (considering recursion tree)

$$T(n) \leq \begin{cases} T\left(\frac{1}{5}n\right) + T\left(\frac{7}{10}n\right) + c \cdot n & \text{for } n > 5 \\ c & \text{for } 1 \leq n \leq 5 \end{cases}$$

Note: The sum of subproblem sizes from depth  $i + 1$  to depth  $i$  decreases by at least a factor  $\frac{1}{5} + \frac{7}{10} = \frac{9}{10}$

$$T(n) \leq \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} c \cdot n \cdot \left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^i = c \cdot n \cdot \frac{1}{1 - 9/10} = 10 \cdot c \cdot n$$

Note: Proof ignores that there can be  $O(1)$  additional elements to each recursive call

# Analysis (by induction)

$$T(n) \leq \begin{cases} T\left(\frac{1}{5}n\right) + T\left(\frac{7}{10}n\right) + c \cdot n & \text{for } n > 5 \\ c & \text{for } 1 \leq n \leq 5 \end{cases}$$

Prove  $T(n) \leq k \cdot n$  for some  $k$

**Proof**

Base case  $1 \leq n \leq 5$ :

$$T(n) = c \leq k \cdot n \text{ if } c \leq k$$

$$T(n) \leq 10 \cdot c \cdot n$$

Induction step  $n > 5$ :

$$T(n) \leq T\left(\frac{1}{5}n\right) + T\left(\frac{7}{10}n\right) + c \cdot n \stackrel{\text{i.h.}}{\leq} k \cdot \frac{1}{5}n + k \cdot \frac{7}{10}n + c \cdot n = \left(k \frac{9}{10} + c\right)n \leq k \cdot n$$

$$\text{if } k \frac{9}{10} + c \leq k \Leftrightarrow c \leq k \left(1 - \frac{9}{10}\right) \Leftrightarrow 10 \cdot c \leq k$$

Note: Proof ignores that there can be  $O(1)$  additional elements to each recursive call

# Precise analysis

(tighter analysis than CLRS)

*medians*

$\max\{|A_{<}|, |A_{>}|\}$

$$T(n) \leq \begin{cases} T\left(\left\lceil \frac{n}{5} \right\rceil\right) + T\left(n - 3 \left\lfloor \frac{\lceil n/5 \rceil}{2} \right\rfloor + 2\right) + c \cdot n & \text{for } n > 5 \\ c & \text{for } n \leq 5 \end{cases}$$

**Solution**  $T(n) \leq c \cdot \max\{1, 10n - 30\}$

**Proof:** For  $1 \leq n \leq 15$  compute recurrence

$n$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
$T(n) / c \leq$	1	1	1	1	1	8	16	25	35	46	28	38	49	61	44
$\max\{1, 10n - 30\}$	1	1	1	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	120

(continues)

# Precise analysis (continued)

For  $n \geq 16$  proof by **induction**

**Induction hypothesis** (assume already proved)

$$T(k) \leq c \cdot \max\{1, 10k - 30\} \text{ for } 1 \leq k \leq n - 1$$

**Induction step** (prove for  $n$ )

$$\begin{aligned} T(n) &\leq T\left(\left\lceil \frac{n}{5} \right\rceil\right) + T\left(n - 3 \left\lfloor \frac{\lceil n/5 \rceil}{2} \right\rfloor + 2\right) + c \cdot n \\ &\leq c \cdot \left( 10 \left\lceil \frac{n}{5} \right\rceil - 30 + 10 \left( n - 3 \left\lfloor \frac{\lceil n/5 \rceil}{2} \right\rfloor + 2 \right) - 30 + n \right) \\ &\leq c \cdot \left( 10 \left( \frac{n}{5} + 1 \right) + 10 \left( n - 3 \frac{n/5}{2} + 2 \right) - 60 + n \right) \\ &= c \cdot (10n - 30) \end{aligned}$$

□

# Worst-case # comparisons for Select $n = 5$ ?

a) 1

b) 2

c) 3

d) 4

e) 5

f) 6



g) 7

h) 8

i) 9

j) Don't know

# Even more precise analysis – # comparisons

$$T(n) \leq \begin{cases} T\left(\left\lceil \frac{n}{5} \right\rceil\right) + T\left(n - 3 \left\lfloor \frac{\lceil n/5 \rceil}{2} \right\rfloor + 2\right) + 7 \left\lceil \frac{n}{5} \right\rceil + n - 1 & \text{for } n > 5 \\ \frac{n}{T(n) \leq} \begin{matrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 5 & 7 \end{matrix} & \text{for } n \leq 5 \end{cases}$$

compute medians compute  $|A_{<}|$ ,  $|A_{=}|$  and  $|A_{>}|$

**Solution**  $T(n) \leq \max\{n, 24n - 72\}$

Proof:  $n \leq 15$  check manually,  $n \geq 16$  by induction.

$n$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
$T(n) \leq$	0	1	3	5	7	21	38	57	79	103	66	88	112	138	104
$\max\{n, 24n - 72\}$	1	2	3	24	48	72	96	120	144	168	192	216	240	264	268

# Selection

Algorithm	Time
Randomized-Select [CLRS, Chapter 9.2] Hoare 1961	$O(n)$ expected $O(n^2)$ worst-case
Deterministic-Select [CLRS, Chapter 9.3] Blum et al. 1973	$O(n)$ worst-case
Median worst-case comparisons Dor, Zwick 1995, 1996	$\leq 2.95n$ $\geq (2 + \epsilon)n$ $\epsilon \approx 2^{-80}$

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# **Algorithms and Data Structures**

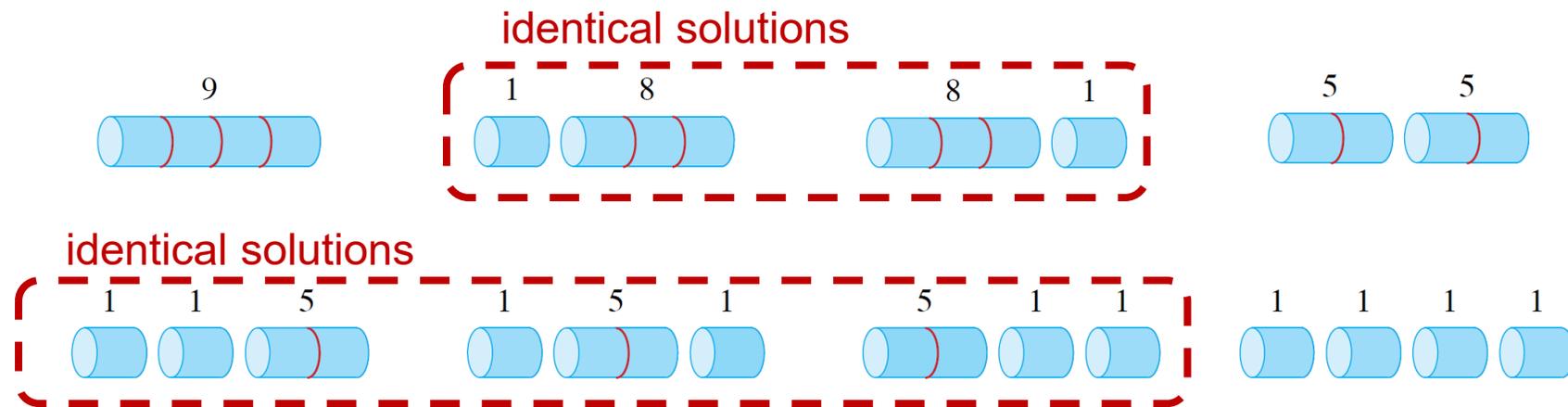
Dynamic programming  
[CLRS, Chapter 14]

# Dynamic programming

- **General algorithm design technique**
  - Works for a long sequence of problems
  - A solution can be computed from solutions to **subproblems**
- **Recursive solution**
  - Typical exponential time
- **Dynamic programming**
  - **Reuse solutions** to already considered subproblems
  - Approaches: **recursive with memoization** or **systematic tabulation**
  - Typically, polynomial time

# Example – rod cutting

**Problem:** Cut a rod into smaller pieces, where each piece has a price, **maximizing** the sum of prices



A rod of length 4 can be partitioned in 8 ways – but only 5 different results

length $i$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
price $p_i$	1	5	8	9	10	17	17	20	24	30

# Maximum price for cutting rod of length 12?

a) 12

b) 30

c) 32

d) 34



e) 35

f) 36

g) Don't know

length $i$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
price $p_i$	1	5	8	9	10	17	17	20	24	30

# Optimal cutting of rods of length 1..10

best price

$$\begin{aligned}r_1 &= 1 \\r_2 &= 5 \\r_3 &= 8 \\r_4 &= 10 \\r_5 &= 13 \\r_6 &= 17 \\r_7 &= 18 \\r_8 &= 22 \\r_9 &= 25 \\r_{10} &= 30\end{aligned}$$

cutting

$$\begin{aligned}1 &= 1 \quad (\text{no cuts}), \\2 &= 2 \quad (\text{no cuts}), \\3 &= 3 \quad (\text{no cuts}), \\4 &= 2 + 2, \\5 &= 2 + 3, \\6 &= 6 \quad (\text{no cuts}), \\7 &= 1 + 6 \quad \text{or} \quad 7 = 2 + 2 + 3, \\8 &= 2 + 6, \\9 &= 3 + 6, \\10 &= 10 \quad (\text{no cuts}).\end{aligned}$$

length $i$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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# Optimal rod cutting – recursive solution

$$r_n = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } n = 0 \\ \max_{i=1..n} (p_i + r_{n-i}) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

CUT-ROD( $p, n$ )

```
1  if  $n == 0$ 
2      return 0
3   $q = -\infty$ 
4  for  $i = 1$  to  $n$ 
5       $q = \max \{q, p[i] + \text{CUT-ROD}(p, n - i)\}$ 
6  return  $q$ 
```

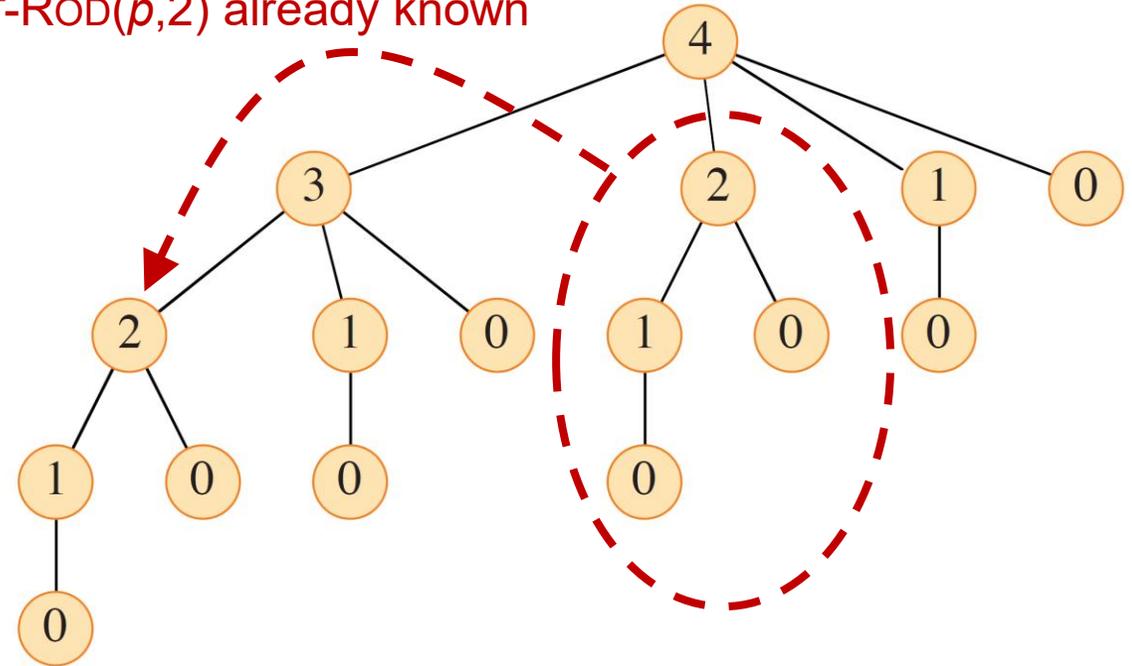
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```

CUT-ROD( $p, 2$ ) already known



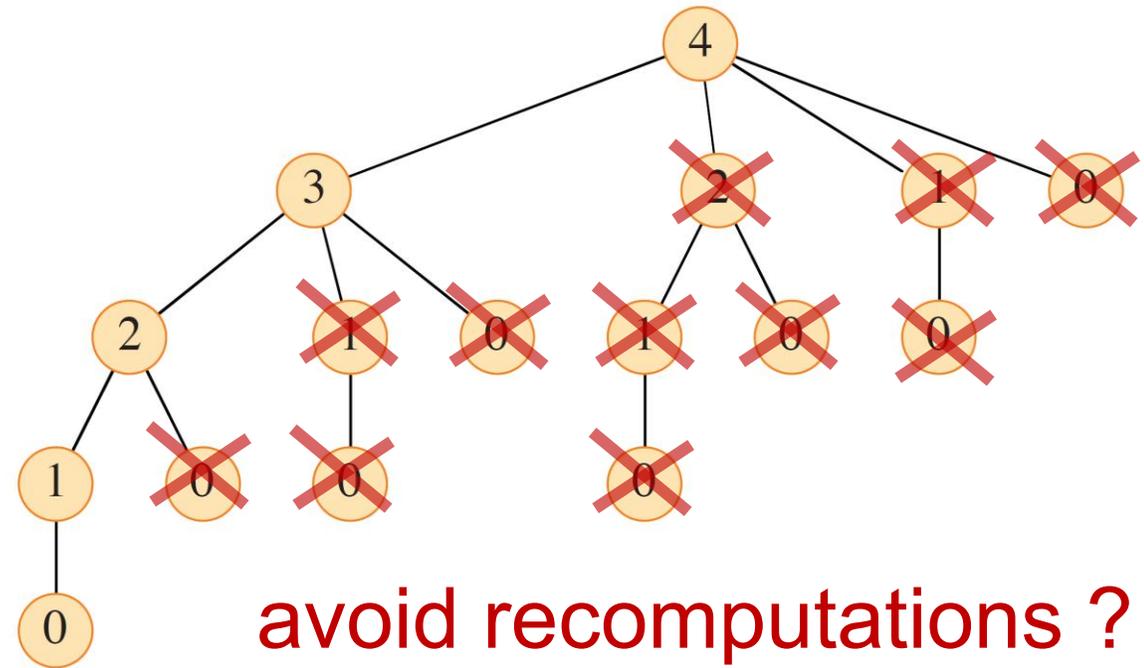
Time  $O(2^n)$

# Optimal rod cutting – recursive solution

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6  return  $q$ 
```



# Optimal rod cutting – memoized recursion

MEMOIZED-CUT-ROD( $p, n$ )

```
1 let  $r[0:n]$  be a new array
2 for  $i = 0$  to  $n$ 
3    $r[i] = -\infty$ 
4 return MEMOIZED-CUT-ROD-AUX( $p, n, r$ )
```

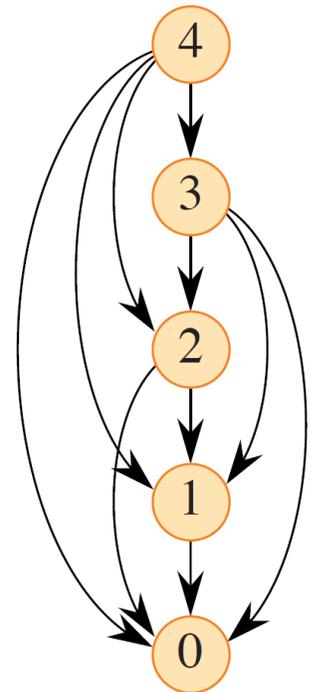
MEMOIZED-CUT-ROD-AUX( $p, n, r$ )

```
1 if  $r[n] \geq 0$ 
2   return  $r[n]$ 
3 if  $n == 0$ 
4    $q = 0$ 
5 else  $q = -\infty$ 
6   for  $i = 1$  to  $n$ 
7      $q = \max\{q, p[i] + \text{MEMOIZED-CUT-ROD-AUX}(p, n - i, r)\}$ 
8    $r[n] = q$ 
9   return  $q$ 
```

recurrence

remember result

subproblem  
dependency



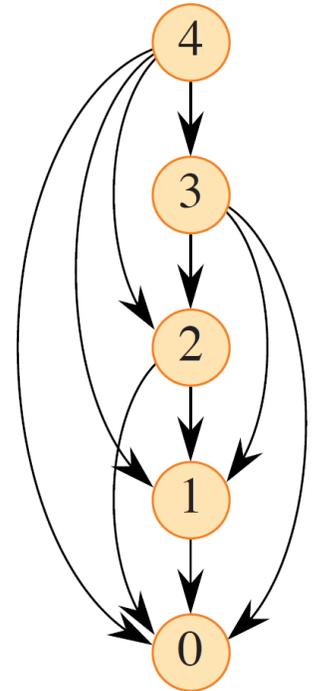
Time  $O(n^2)$

# Optimal rod cutting – systematic tabulation

BOTTOM-UP-CUT-ROD( $p, n$ )

```
1 let  $r[0:n]$  be a new array
2  $r[0] = 0$ 
3 for  $j = 1$  to  $n$  ← order crucial !
4      $q = -\infty$ 
5     for  $i = 1$  to  $j$ 
6          $q = \max\{q, p[i] + r[j - i]\}$ 
7      $r[j] = q$ 
8 return  $r[n]$ 
```

subproblem  
dependency



$i$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
$r[i]$	0	1	5	8	10	13	17	18	22	25	30

Time  $O(n^2)$

# Optimal rod cutting – printing solution

EXTENDED-BOTTOM-UP-CUT-ROD( $p, n$ )

```
1  let  $r[0:n]$  and  $s[1:n]$  be new arrays
2   $r[0] = 0$ 
3  for  $j = 1$  to  $n$ 
4       $q = -\infty$ 
5      for  $i = 1$  to  $j$ 
6          if  $q < p[i] + r[j - i]$ 
7               $q = p[i] + r[j - i]$ 
8               $s[j] = i$ 
9       $r[j] = q$ 
10 return  $r$  and  $s$ 
```

$i$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
$r[i]$	0	1	5	8	10	13	17	18	22	25	30
$s[i]$	0	1	2	3	2	2	6	1	2	3	10

PRINT-CUT-ROD-SOLUTION( $p, n$ )

```
1  ( $r, s$ ) = EXTENDED-BOTTOM-UP-CUT-ROD( $p, n$ )
2  while  $n > 0$ 
3      print  $s[n]$ 
4       $n = n - s[n]$ 
```

Time  $O(n^2)$

# Output for $n = 7$ ?

PRINT-CUT-ROD-SOLUTION( $p, n$ )

```
1  ( $r, s$ ) = EXTENDED-BOTTOM-UP-CUT-ROD( $p, n$ )
2  while  $n > 0$ 
3      print  $s[n]$ 
4       $n = n - s[n]$ 
```

$i$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
$r[i]$	0	1	5	8	10	13	17	18	22	25	30
$s[i]$	0	1	2	3	2	2	6	1	2	3	10



a) 18 17

b) 17 18

c) 6 1



d) 1 6

e) 7 6

f) Don't know

# Maximum weight for an increasing subsequence?

Let  $X = x_1, \dots, x_n$  and  $W = w_1, \dots, w_n$  be sequences, where each element  $x_i$  is assigned a weight  $w_i$ .

Find an **increasing subsequence** of  $X$  with **maximum weight**, i.e., find positions  $i_1 < i_2 < \dots < i_l$  where  $x_{i_1} < x_{i_2} < \dots < x_{i_l}$  and  $w_{i_1} + w_{i_2} + \dots + w_{i_l}$  is maximized.

$i$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
$x_i$	6	8	7	<u>5</u>	3	<u>9</u>	4	<u>10</u>	5
$w_i$	1	1	2	<u>4</u>	1	<u>1</u>	2	<u>4</u>	3

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a) 4

b) 5

c) 6

d) 7

e) 8



f) 9

g) 10

h) 11

i) 12

j) Don't know

# MEH(6) ?

We let **MEH(i)** (max-ending-here) denote the maximum weight of an increasing subsequence ending with  $x_i$ .

$$MEH(i) = \begin{cases} w_i + \max\{MEH(j) \mid 1 \leq j < i \wedge x_j < x_i\} & \text{if there exists } 1 \leq j < i \wedge x_j < x_i \\ w_i & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$i$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
$MEH(i)$	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>?</b>			

$i$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
$x_i$	6	8	7	5	3	9	4	10	5
$w_i$	1	1	2	4	1	1	2	4	3

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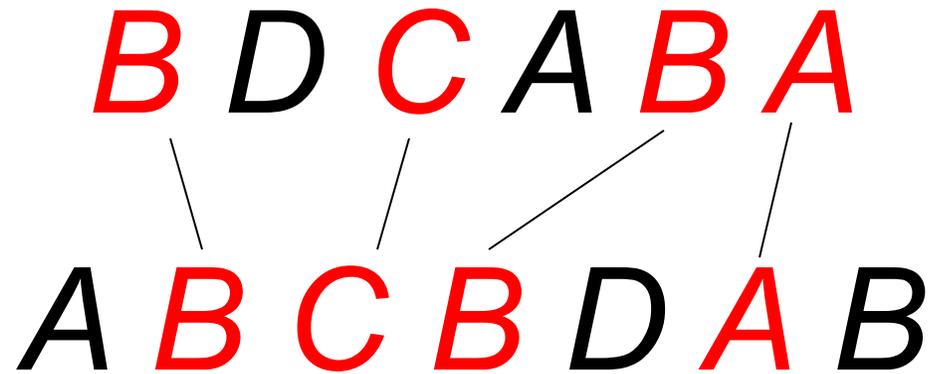
```

msf = -∞
for i = 1 to n
  m = 0
  for j = 1 to i - 1
    if  $x_j < x_i$  and  $MEH(j) > m$  then  $m = MEH(j)$ 
   $MEH(i) = m + w_i$ 
  if  $MEH(i) > msf$  then  $msf = MEH(i)$ 
return msf
    
```

(answer subquestion b)

- a) 1
- b) 2
- c) 3
- d) 4
- e) 5 
- f) 6
- g) 7
- h) 8
- i) 9
- j) Don't know

# Longest common subsequence



# Longest common subsequence ?

*ABABGACBABAD*

*BACABAABABC*



a) BACBABA

b) BABBAB



c) BAABABA

d) BACABAB

e) Don't know

Answer not unique

Easy to check  
subsequence (greedy)

Exponential many  
possible subsequences

# Longest common subsequence

$Y =$  **B** D **C** A **B**  <sup>$j$</sup> **A**

$X =$  A **B** **C** **B** D **A** **B**

$i$

$$c[i, j] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = 0 \text{ or } j = 0, \\ c[i - 1, j - 1] + 1 & \text{if } i, j > 0 \text{ and } x_i = y_j, \\ \max \{c[i, j - 1], c[i - 1, j]\} & \text{if } i, j > 0 \text{ and } x_i \neq y_j. \end{cases}$$

length of longest common subsequence of  $x_1 \cdots x_i$  and  $y_1 \cdots y_j$

c[5,3] ?



a) 1

b) 2

c) 3

d) 4

e) 5

f) 6

g) 7

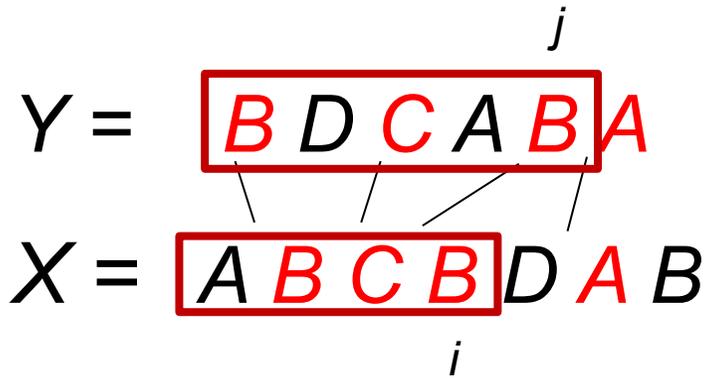
h) Don't know

Y = **ABA**BGACBABAD  
X = **BACABA**AABABC

A A  
B A  
A B  
A A  
B A  
B A  
A B  
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$$c[i, j] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = 0 \text{ or } j = 0, \\ c[i - 1, j - 1] + 1 & \text{if } i, j > 0 \text{ and } x_i = y_j, \\ \max \{c[i, j - 1], c[i - 1, j]\} & \text{if } i, j > 0 \text{ and } x_i \neq y_j. \end{cases}$$

# Longest common subsequence



	$j$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
$i$	$y_j$		$B$	$D$	$C$	$A$	$B$	$A$
0	$x_i$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	$A$	0	↑	↑	↑	↖	←	↖
2	$B$	0	↖	←	←	↑	↖	←
3	$C$	0	↑	↑	↖	←	↑	↑
4	$B$	0	↖	↑	↑	↑	↖	←
5	$D$	0	↑	↖	↑	↑	↑	↑
6	$A$	0	↑	↑	↑	↖	↑	↖
7	$B$	0	↖	↑	↑	↑	↖	↑

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# Longest common subsequence

LCS-LENGTH( $X, Y, m, n$ )

```

1  let  $b[1:m, 1:n]$  and  $c[0:m, 0:n]$  be new tables
2  for  $i = 1$  to  $m$ 
3       $c[i, 0] = 0$ 
4  for  $j = 0$  to  $n$ 
5       $c[0, j] = 0$ 
6  for  $i = 1$  to  $m$ 
7      for  $j = 1$  to  $n$ 
8          if  $x_i == y_j$ 
9               $c[i, j] = c[i - 1, j - 1] + 1$ 
10              $b[i, j] = \text{“}\swarrow\text{”}$ 
11          elseif  $c[i - 1, j] \geq c[i, j - 1]$ 
12              $c[i, j] = c[i - 1, j]$ 
13              $b[i, j] = \text{“}\uparrow\text{”}$ 
14          else  $c[i, j] = c[i, j - 1]$ 
15              $b[i, j] = \text{“}\leftarrow\text{”}$ 
16  return  $c$  and  $b$ 

```

		$j$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
$i$	$y_j$		B	D	C	A	B	A	
	0	$x_i$							
1	A		0	0	0	0	1	1	1
2	B		0	1	1	1	1	2	2
3	C		0	1	1	2	2	2	2
4	B		0	1	1	2	2	3	3
5	D		0	1	2	2	2	3	3
6	A		0	1	2	2	3	3	4
7	B		0	1	2	2	3	4	4

Time  $O(n \cdot m)$

# Longest common subsequence

PRINT-LCS( $b, X, i, j$ )

```

1  if  $i == 0$  or  $j == 0$ 
2      return
3  if  $b[i, j] == \swarrow$ 
4      PRINT-LCS( $b, X, i - 1, j - 1$ )
5      print  $x_i$ 
6  elseif  $b[i, j] == \uparrow$ 
7      PRINT-LCS( $b, X, i - 1, j$ )
8  else PRINT-LCS( $b, X, i, j - 1$ )
    
```

	$j$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
$i$	$y_j$		B	D	C	A	B	A
0	$x_i$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	A	0	↑	↑	↑	↖	←	↖
2	B	0	↖	←	←	↑	↖	←
3	C	0	↑	↑	↖	←	↑	↑
4	B	0	↖	↑	↑	↑	↖	←
5	D	0	↑	↖	↑	↑	↑	↑
6	A	0	↑	↑	↑	↖	↑	↖
7	B	0	↖	↑	↑	↑	↖	↑

Time  $O(n + m)$

# Space usage for LCS algorithm to find an LCS ?

a)  $O(n + m)$



b)  $O(n \cdot m)$

c) Don't know

## LCS length

Fill out table row-by-row, only remember previous row

$O(\min(n, m))$  space

$j$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
$i$	$y_j$	B	D	C	A	B	A
0	$x_i$	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	A	0	↑	↑	↖	←	↖
2	B	0	↖	←	←	↑	↖
3	C	0	↑	↑	↖	←	↑
4	B	0	↖	↑	↑	↑	←
5	D	0	↑	↖	↑	↑	↑
6	A	0	↑	↑	↑	↖	↖
7	B	0	↖	↑	↑	↑	↑

$m = |X|$        $n = |Y|$

# Computation of an LCS in $O(n + m)$ space

## Idea

Compute path **without storing** the full dynamic programming table

- 1) Compute where the path crosses the middle row
- 2) Recursively solve the two subproblems

Time  $O(n \cdot m)$

Space  $O(n + m)$

Example of **divide and conquer** used inside a **dynamic programming** algorithm

		$j$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
$i$	$y_j$		$B$	$D$	$C$	$A$	$B$	$A$	
	$x_i$								
0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	$A$	0	↑ 0	↑ 0	↑ 0	↖ 1	← 1	↖ 1	↖ 1
2	$B$	0	↖ 1	← 1	← 1	↑ 1	↖ 2	← 2	← 2
3	$C$	0	↑ 1	↑ 1	↖ 2	← 2	↑ 2	↑ 2	↑ 2
4	$B$	- 0	↖ 0 1	↑ 2 1	↑ 3 2	↑ 4 2	↖ 4 3	← 4 3	← 4 3
5	$D$	- 0	↑ 0 1	↖ 0 2	↑ 3 2	↑ 4 2	↑ 4 3	↑ 4 3	↑ 4 3
6	$A$	- 0	↑ 0 1	↑ 0 2	↑ 3 2	↖ 3 3	↑ 4 3	↖ 4 4	↖ 4 4
7	$B$	- 0	↖ - 1	↑ 0 2	↑ 3 2	↑ 3 3	↖ 3 4	↑ 4 4	↑ 4 4

$m = |X|$        $n = |Y|$

# Longest common subsequence

$O(n \cdot m)$ time	dynamic programming
$O(n+m)$ space	dynamic programming and divide and conquer [Hirschberg 1975]

## Open problem

Is it possible to compute the longest common subsequence of two strings of length  $n$  in worst-case  $O(n^{2-\epsilon})$  time ?

– Would break with the "Strong Exponential Time Hypothesis"

# Hunt-Szymanski algorithm

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	
	$y_j$	B	A	B	C	A	B	$L$
0	$x_i$	0	0	0	0	0	0	
1	A	0	0	1	1	1	1	[2]
2	B	0	1	1	2	2	2	[1, 3]
3	A	0	1	2	2	3	3	[1, 2, 5]
4	C	0	1	2	2	3	3	[1, 2, 4]
5	B	0	1	2	3	3	4	[1, 2, 3, 6]

Assume **few pairwise matches**

$$r = |\{(i, j) \mid x_i = y_j\}| \ll n \cdot m$$

$$r = \overset{A}{2 \cdot 2} + \overset{B}{2 \cdot 3} + \overset{C}{1 \cdot 1} = 11$$

(1,5) (1,2) (2,6) (2,3) (2,1) (3,5) (3,2) (4,4) (5,6) (5,3) (5,1)

- LCS table *not* explicitly computed; only consider **matches**
- **Observation:  $\text{LCS}(X, Y) = \text{LIS}(\text{Matches}(X, Y))$** , LIS = longest increasing subsequence  
Sort increasing  $i$ , decreasing  $j$ ; time  $O((m + n + r) \cdot \log \min(n, m))$ , space  $O(r + m + n)$
- $|\text{LCS}|$ : Compute for each row  $L =$  first column with 1, 2, 3, ...  
and only **changes** to  $L$  for each row – total  $r$  binary searches in  $L$   
Time  $O((r + m + n) \cdot \log \min(n, m))$ , space  $O(\min(n, m))$

# Text formatting – line breaks

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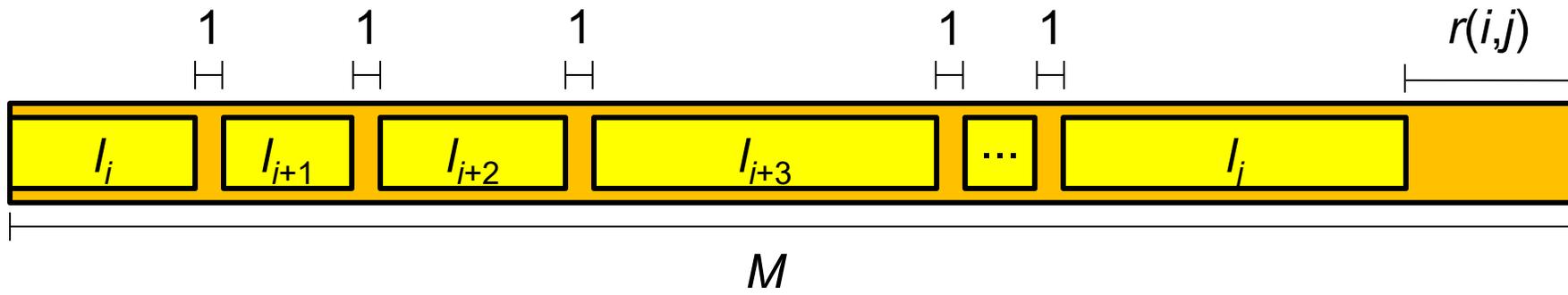
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# Printing neatly [CLRS Problem 14-4]

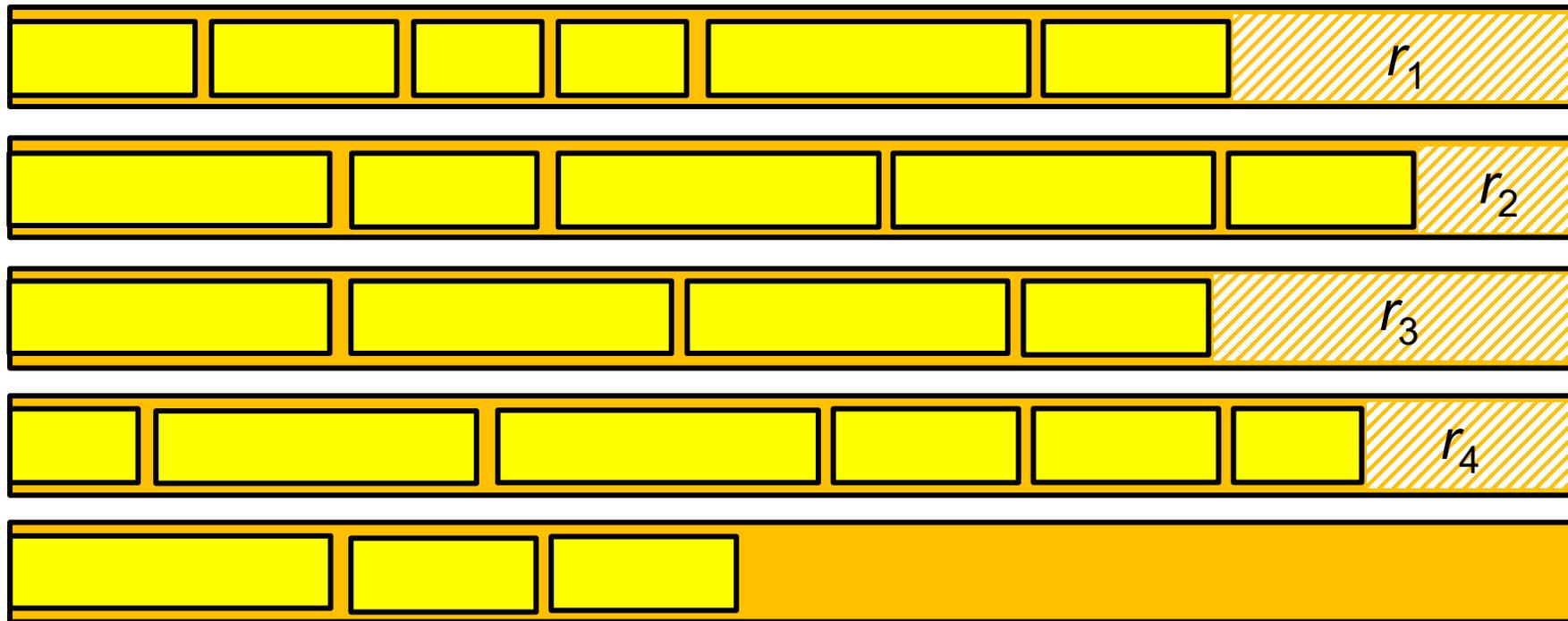
“Consider the problem of neatly printing a paragraph with a monospaced font (all characters having the same width) on a printer. The input text is a sequence of  $n$  words of lengths  $l_1, l_2, \dots, l_n$ , measured in characters. We want to print this paragraph neatly on a number of lines that hold a maximum of  $M$  characters each. Our criterion of “neatness” is as follows. If a given line contains words  $i$  through  $j$ , where  $i \leq j$ , and we leave exactly one space between words, the number of *extra space characters* at the end of the line is

$$M - j + i - \sum_{k=i..j} l_k,$$

which must be nonnegative so that the words fit on the line. We wish to **minimize** the sum, over all lines except the last, of **the cubes of the numbers of extra space characters at the ends of lines**. Give a dynamic-programming algorithm to print a paragraph of  $n$  words neatly on a printer. Analyze the running time and space requirements of your algorithm.“



$$r(i, j) = M - j + i - \sum_{k=i..j} l_k$$



$$\text{penalty} = r_1^3 + r_2^3 + r_3^3 + r_4^3$$

# Printing neatly

Place the first  $j$  words on full lines

$$C[j] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } j = 0 \\ \min\{C[i-1] + r(i, j)^3 \mid 1 \leq i \leq j \wedge r(i, j) \geq 0\} & \text{if } j > 0 \end{cases}$$

Best solution

$$\min\{C[j] \mid 0 \leq j < n \wedge r(j+1, n) \geq 0\}$$

remaining words  $j+1, j+2, \dots, n$   
on last line without penalty

# Printing neatly

```
1 // compute r
2 for i = 1 to n
3   sum = 0
4   for j = i to n
5     sum = sum + l[j]
6     r[i,j] = M - j + i - sum

7 // compute C
8 C[0] = 0
9 for j = 1 to n
10  C[j] = +∞
11  for i = 1 to j
12    if r[i,j]>=0 and C[i-1] + r[i,j]^3<C[j] then
13      C[j] = C[i-1] + r[i,j]^3
14      I[j] = i

15 // print best solution
16 proc report(j)
17   if j > 0 then
18     i = I[j]
19     report(i - 1)
20     print word[i]..word[j] <newline>

21 k = n - 1
22 for j = 0 to n - 2
23   if r[j+1,n]>=0 and C[j]<C[k] then
24     k = j
25 report(k)
26 print word[k+1]..word[n] <newline>
```

Time and space  $O(n^2)$

$$C[j] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } j = 0 \\ \min\{C[i-1] + r(i,j)^3 \mid 1 \leq i \leq j \wedge r(i,j) \geq 0\} & \text{if } j > 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\min\{C[j] \mid 0 \leq j < n \wedge r(j+1, n) \geq 0\}$$

# Matrix multiplication

$$\begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} C \\ \end{matrix} \\ \begin{pmatrix} c_{11} & c_{12} & \dots & c_{1r} \\ c_{21} & c_{22} & \dots & c_{2r} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ c_{p1} & c_{p2} & \dots & c_{pr} \end{pmatrix} & = & \begin{matrix} A \\ \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1q} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2q} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{p1} & a_{p2} & \dots & a_{pq} \end{pmatrix} \\ \begin{matrix} B \\ \end{matrix} \\ \begin{pmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} & \dots & b_{1r} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} & \dots & b_{2r} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ b_{q1} & b_{q2} & \dots & b_{qr} \end{pmatrix} \\ \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} p \times r \\ p \times q \\ q \times r \end{matrix} \end{matrix}$$

RECTANGULAR-MATRIX-MULTIPLY ( $A, B, C, p, q, r$ )

```
1  for  $i = 1$  to  $p$ 
2      for  $j = 1$  to  $r$ 
3          for  $k = 1$  to  $q$ 
4               $c_{ij} = c_{ij} + a_{ik} \cdot b_{kj}$ 
```

Multiplication of two matrices  $A$  and  $B$  with dimensions  $p \times q$  and  $q \times r$  takes time  $O(p \cdot q \cdot r)$

# Matrix-chain multiplication

$(A \cdot B) \cdot C$  or  $A \cdot (B \cdot C)$  ?

Matrix multiplication is associative (can place parenthesis arbitrary), but not commutative (one cannot change the order of the matrices)

# What multiplication order makes fewest (primitive) multiplications ?



a)  $(A \cdot B) \cdot C$

$$2 \cdot 10 \cdot 50 + 2 \cdot 50 \cdot 20 = 3000$$

b)  $A \cdot (B \cdot C)$

$$10 \cdot 50 \cdot 20 + 2 \cdot 10 \cdot 20 = 10400$$

c) Both do the same

d) Don't know

$$A = 2 \times 10$$

$$B = 10 \times 50$$

$$C = 50 \times 20$$

# Matrix-chain multiplication

**Problem:** Find the best placement of parenthesis to multiply  $n$  matrices

$$A_1 \cdot A_2 \cdots A_n$$

where  $A_i$  is a  $p_{i-1} \times p_i$  matrix

**Note:** There are  $\Omega(4^n / n^{3/2})$  possible ways to place  $n$  pairs of parenthesis ( $n$ 'th Catalan number)

# Matrix-chain multiplication

$m[i, j]$  = minimum number of (primitive) multiplications to compute  $A_i \cdots A_j$

$$\begin{matrix} p_{i-1} \times p_k & p_k \times p_j \\ (A_i \cdots A_k) & \cdot (A_{k+1} \cdots A_j) \end{matrix}$$

$$m[i, j] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = j \\ \min \{m[i, k] + m[k + 1, j] + p_{i-1}p_kp_j : i \leq k < j\} & \text{if } i < j \end{cases}$$

RECURSIVE-MATRIX-CHAIN( $p, i, j$ )

```
1  if  $i == j$ 
2      return 0
3   $m[i, j] = \infty$ 
4  for  $k = i$  to  $j - 1$ 
5       $q =$  RECURSIVE-MATRIX-CHAIN( $p, i, k$ )
           + RECURSIVE-MATRIX-CHAIN( $p, k + 1, j$ )
           +  $p_{i-1}p_kp_j$ 
6      if  $q < m[i, j]$ 
7           $m[i, j] = q$ 
8  return  $m[i, j]$ 
```

Time  $\Omega(4^n/n^{3/2})$

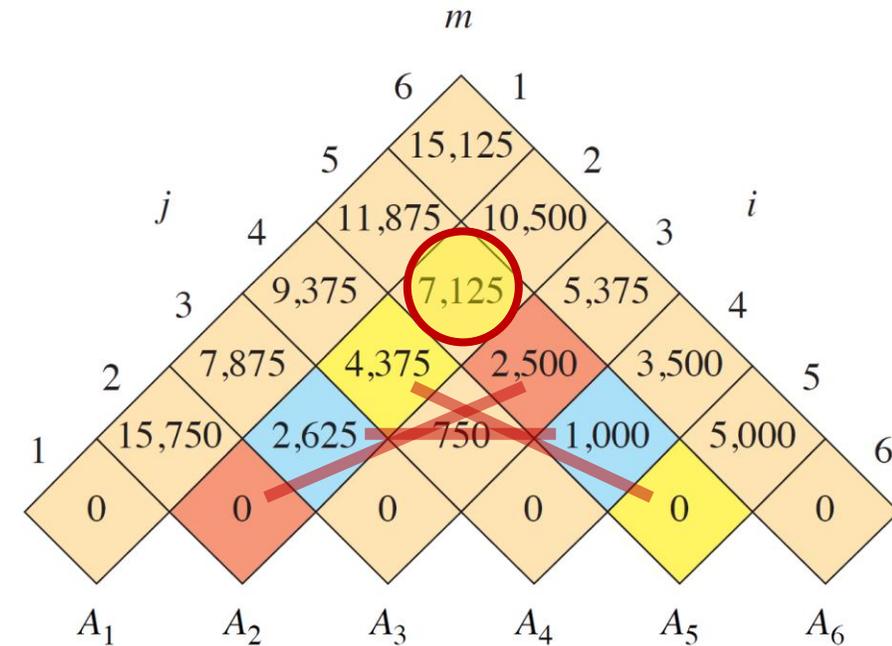
# Matrix-chain multiplication

MATRIX-CHAIN-ORDER( $p, n$ )

```

1  let  $m[1:n, 1:n]$  and  $s[1:n-1, 2:n]$  be new tables
2  for  $i = 1$  to  $n$ 
3       $m[i, i] = 0$ 
4  for  $l = 2$  to  $n$ 
5      for  $i = 1$  to  $n - l + 1$ 
6           $j = i + l - 1$ 
7           $m[i, j] = \infty$ 
8          for  $k = i$  to  $j - 1$ 
9               $q = m[i, k] + m[k + 1, j] + p_{i-1}p_kp_j$ 
10             if  $q < m[i, j]$ 
11                  $m[i, j] = q$ 
12                  $s[i, j] = k$ 
13  return  $m$  and  $s$ 

```

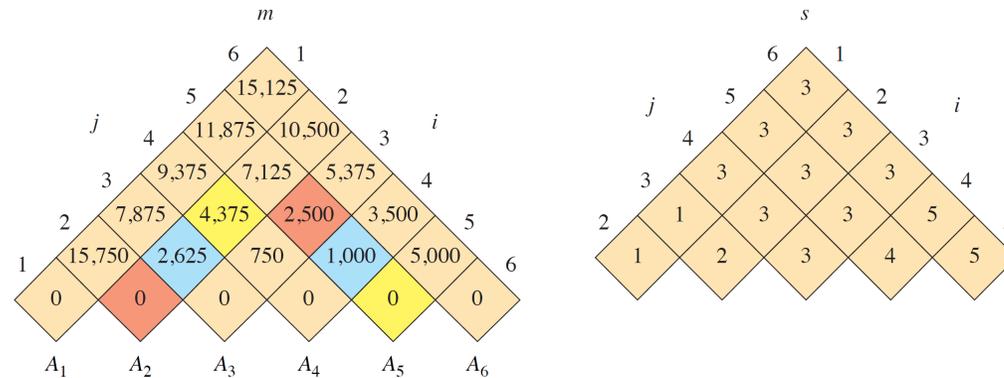


Time  $O(n^3)$

$$m[i, j] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = j \\ \min \{m[i, k] + m[k + 1, j] + p_{i-1}p_kp_j : i \leq k < j\} & \text{if } i < j \end{cases}$$



# Matrix-chain multiplication



PRINT-OPTIMAL-PARENS( $s, i, j$ )

```

1  if  $i == j$ 
2      print " $A$ " $_i$ 
3  else print "("
4      PRINT-OPTIMAL-PARENS( $s, i, s[i, j]$ )
5      PRINT-OPTIMAL-PARENS( $s, s[i, j] + 1, j$ )
6      print ")"
    
```

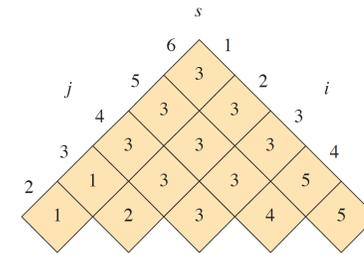
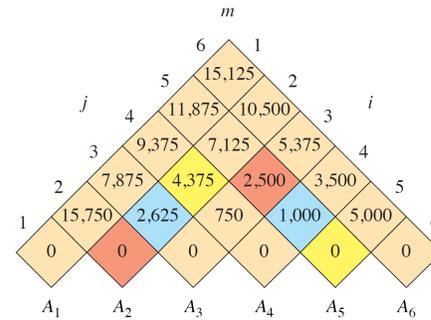
Time  $O(n)$

# What is printed for $i = 1$ and $j = 6$ ?

PRINT-OPTIMAL-PARENS( $s, i, j$ )

```

1  if  $i == j$ 
2      print " $A$ "; $i$ 
3  else print "("
4      PRINT-OPTIMAL-PARENS( $s, i, s[i, j]$ )
5      PRINT-OPTIMAL-PARENS( $s, s[i, j] + 1, j$ )
6  print ")"
    
```



a)  $((A_1A_2)(A_3(A_4A_5)A_6))$

b)  $((A_1((A_2A_3)((A_4A_5)A_6))))$



c)  $((A_1(A_2A_3))((A_4A_5)A_6))$

d)  $((A_1(A_2(A_3(A_4(A_5A_6))))))$

e) Don't know

# Memoized matrix-chain multiplication

MEMOIZED-MATRIX-CHAIN( $p, n$ )

```
1 let  $m[1:n, 1:n]$  be a new table
2 for  $i = 1$  to  $n$ 
3   for  $j = i$  to  $n$ 
4      $m[i, j] = \infty$ 
5 return LOOKUP-CHAIN( $m, p, 1, n$ )
```

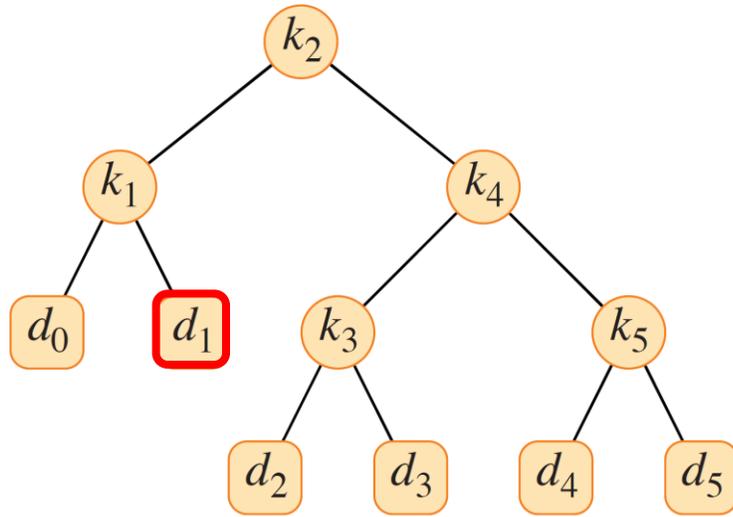
$$m[i, j] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = j \\ \min \{m[i, k] + m[k + 1, j] + p_{i-1}p_kp_j : i \leq k < j\} & \text{if } i < j \end{cases}$$

LOOKUP-CHAIN( $m, p, i, j$ )

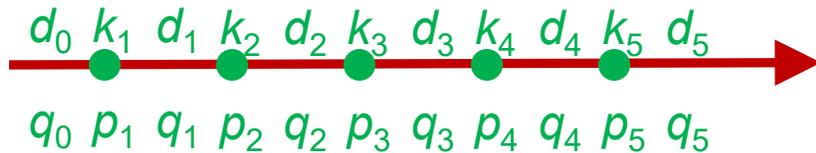
```
1 if  $m[i, j] < \infty$ 
2   return  $m[i, j]$ 
3 if  $i == j$ 
4    $m[i, j] = 0$ 
5 else for  $k = i$  to  $j - 1$ 
6    $q = \text{LOOKUP-CHAIN}(m, p, i, k)$ 
       +  $\text{LOOKUP-CHAIN}(m, p, k + 1, j) + p_{i-1}p_kp_j$ 
7   if  $q < m[i, j]$ 
8      $m[i, j] = q$ 
9 return  $m[i, j]$ 
```

Time  $O(n^3)$

# Optimal binary search trees



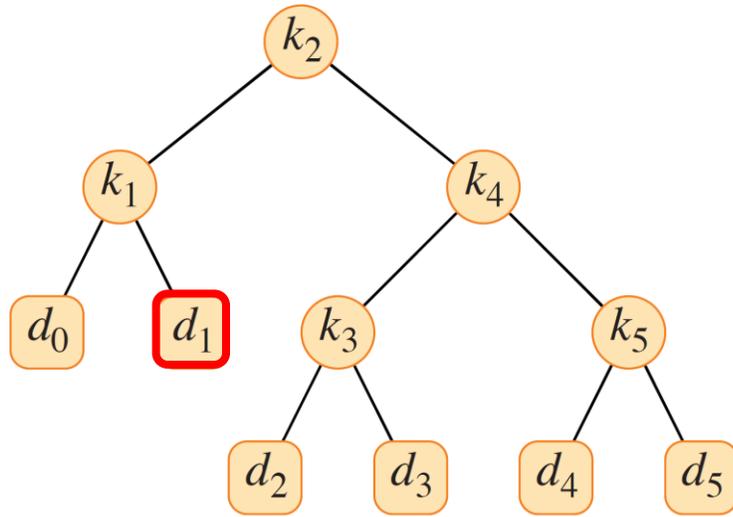
Expected search time 2.80



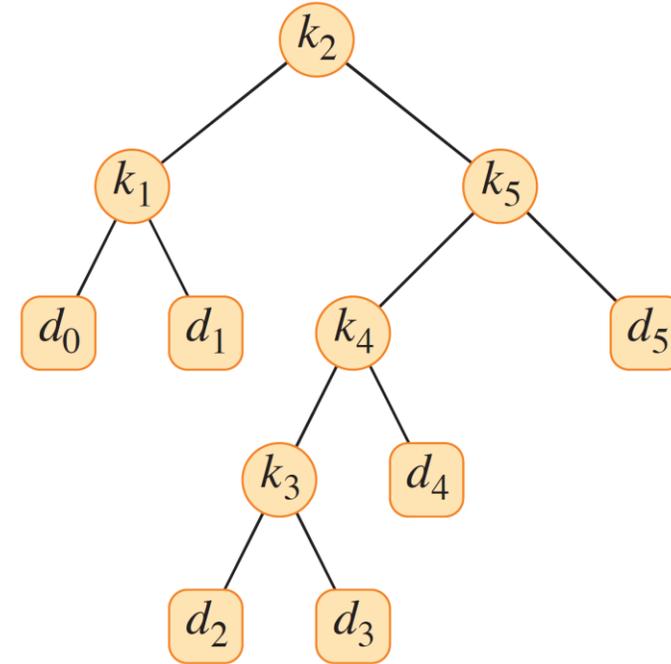
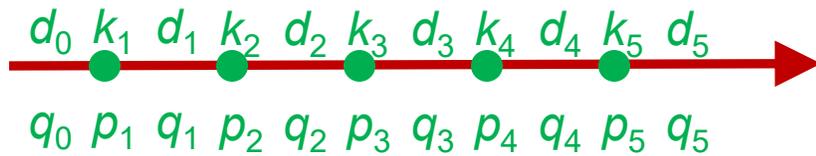
node	depth	probability	contribution
$k_1$	1	0.15	0.30
$k_2$	0	0.10	0.10
$k_3$	2	0.05	0.15
$k_4$	1	0.10	0.20
$k_5$	2	0.20	0.60
$d_0$	2	0.05	0.15
$d_1$	$(2 + 1) \times$	$0.10$	$= 0.30$
$d_2$	3	0.05	0.20
$d_3$	3	0.05	0.20
$d_4$	3	0.05	0.20
$d_5$	3	0.10	0.40
Total			2.80

$i$	0	1	2	3	4	5
$p_i$		0.15	0.10	0.05	0.10	0.20
$q_i$	0.05	0.10	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.10

# Optimal binary search trees



Expected search time 2.80



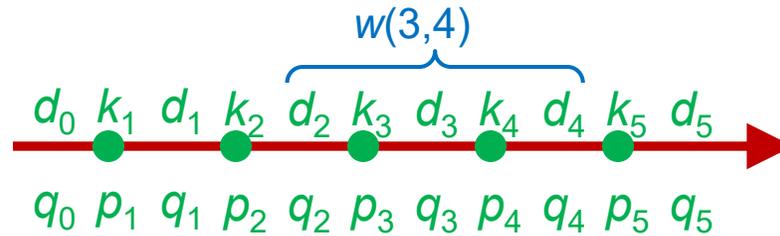
Expected search time 2.75

$i$	0	1	2	3	4	5
$p_i$		0.15	0.10	0.05	0.10	0.20
$q_i$	0.05	0.10	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.10

# Optimal binary search trees

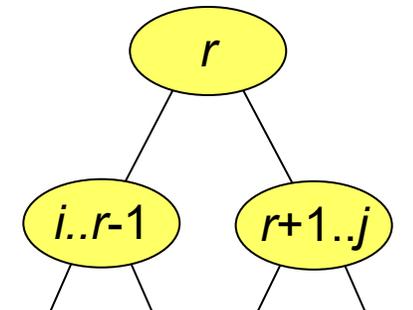
$$\sum_{i=1}^n p_i + \sum_{i=0}^n q_i = 1$$

$$w(i, j) = \sum_{l=i}^j p_l + \sum_{l=i-1}^j q_l$$



$$\begin{aligned} E[\text{search cost in } T] &= \sum_{i=1}^n (\text{depth}_T(k_i) + 1) \cdot p_i + \sum_{i=0}^n (\text{depth}_T(d_i) + 1) \cdot q_i \\ &= 1 + \sum_{i=1}^n \text{depth}_T(k_i) \cdot p_i + \sum_{i=0}^n \text{depth}_T(d_i) \cdot q_i \end{aligned}$$

$$e[i, j] = \begin{cases} q_{i-1} & \text{if } j = i - 1 \\ \min \{e[i, r - 1] + e[r + 1, j] + w(i, j) : i \leq r \leq j\} & \text{if } i \leq j \end{cases}$$



optimal expected time for a search tree containing  $k_j, \dots, k_j$  and  $d_{j-1}, \dots, d_j$

# Optimal binary search trees

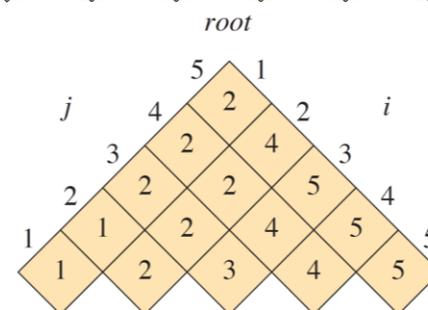
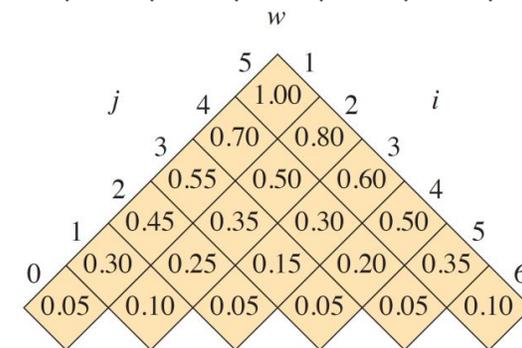
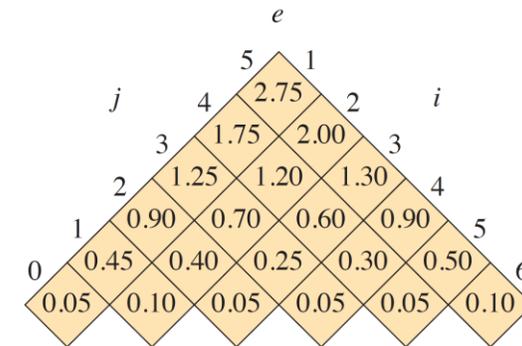
OPTIMAL-BST( $p, q, n$ )

```

1  let  $e[1:n+1, 0:n], w[1:n+1, 0:n]$ ,
    and  $root[1:n, 1:n]$  be new tables
2  for  $i = 1$  to  $n + 1$ 
3       $e[i, i - 1] = q_{i-1}$ 
4       $w[i, i - 1] = q_{i-1}$ 
5  for  $l = 1$  to  $n$ 
6      for  $i = 1$  to  $n - l + 1$ 
7           $j = i + l - 1$ 
8           $e[i, j] = \infty$ 
9           $w[i, j] = w[i, j - 1] + p_j + q_j$ 
10         for  $r = i$  to  $j$ 
11              $t = e[i, r - 1] + e[r + 1, j] + w[i, j]$ 
12             if  $t < e[i, j]$ 
13                  $e[i, j] = t$ 
14                  $root[i, j] = r$ 
15  return  $e$  and  $root$ 

```

$$e[i, j] = \begin{cases} q_{i-1} & \text{if } j = i - 1 \\ \min \{e[i, r - 1] + e[r + 1, j] + w(i, j) : i \leq r \leq j\} & \text{if } i \leq j \end{cases}$$

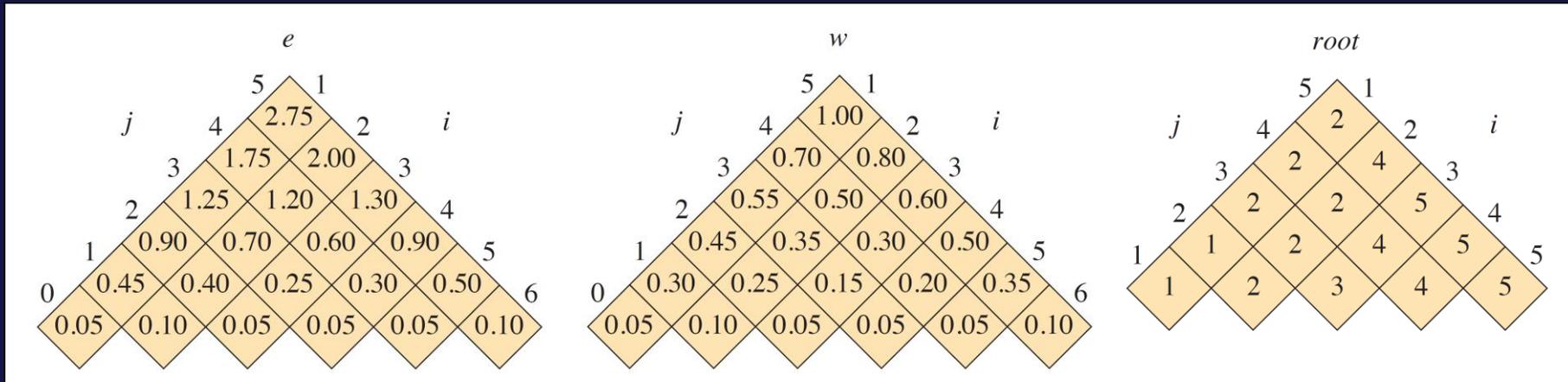


Time  $O(n^3)$

# Root of an optimal binary search tree ?



- a)  $k_1$
- b)  $k_2$
- c)  $k_3$
- d)  $k_4$
- e)  $k_5$
- f) Don't know



# Dynamic programming

- **General algorithm design technique**
  - Works for a long sequence of problems
  - A solution can be computed from solutions to **subproblems**
- **Recurrence**
- **Examples**
  - Rod cutting
  - Longest common subsequence
  - Printing neatly
  - Matrix-chain multiplication
  - Optimal binary search trees

# **Algorithms and Data Structures**

Greedy algorithms  
[CLRS, Chapter 15.1-15.3]

# Greedy algorithms

- Problems where a solution can be constructed from the solution to **one smaller subproblem**
- Subproblem can be identified efficiently

(simpler than divide and conquer  
and dynamic programming)

# Longest common subsequence ?

*ABABGACBABAD*

*BACABAABABC*



a) BACBABA

b) BABBAB



c) BAABABA

d) BACABAB

e) Don't know

Answer not unique

Easy to check  
subsequence (greedy)

Exponential many  
possible subsequences

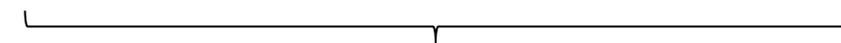
Is **BACBABA** a subsequence of  
**ABABGACBABAD** ?

Possible occurrence **ABABGACBABAD**



**Observation** If there is an occurrence, then there also exists an occurrence matching the first **B** in the string (**greedy-choice property**)

**ABABGACBABAD**



Find recursively **ACBABA**

Time  $O(n)$

# Solution found by the greedy algorithm ?

a) ABABGACCBABAD



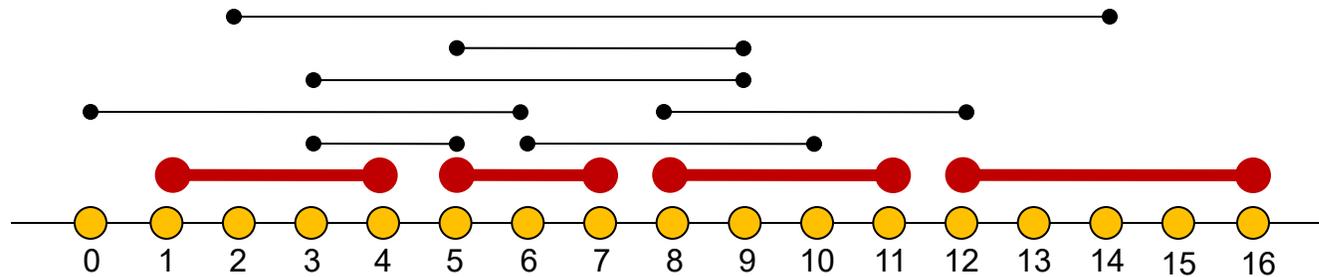
b) ABABGACCBABAD

c) ABBGACCBABAD

d) Don't know

# Activity selection

$i$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
$s_i$	1	3	0	5	3	5	6	7	8	2	12
$f_i$	4	5	6	7	9	9	10	11	12	14	16

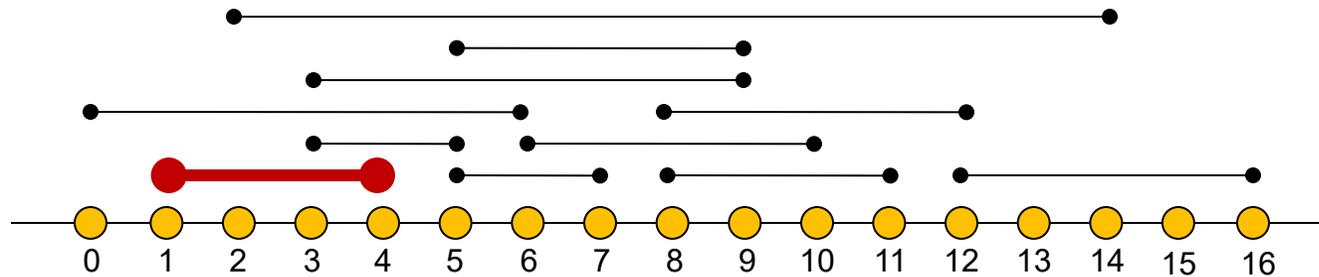


**Input**  $n$  activities with start time  $s_i$  and finishing time  $f_i$

**Output** Maximal subset of non-overlapping activities

# Activity selection

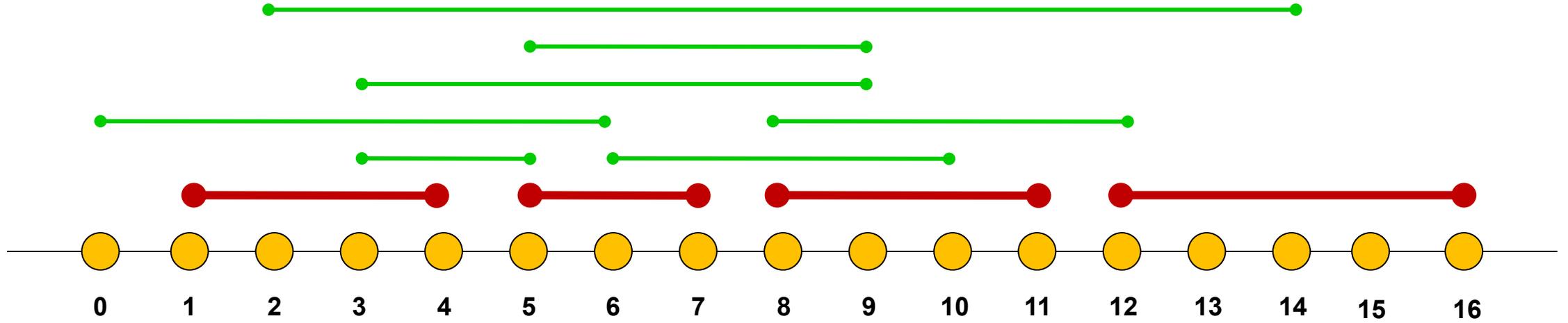
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$s_i$	1	3	0	5	3	5	6	7	8	2	12
$f_i$	4	5	6	7	9	9	10	11	12	14	16



**Observation** There always exists a maximal solution containing an activity with **earliest finishing time (greed-choice property)**

**Preprocessing** Sort activities by finishing time

# Greedy deletions



# Activity selection

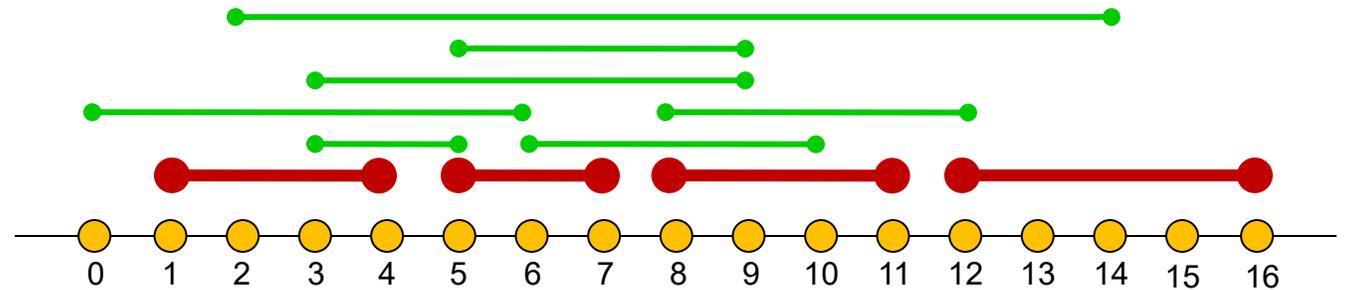
$i$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
$s_i$	1	3	0	5	3	5	6	7	8	2	12
$f_i$	4	5	6	7	9	9	10	11	12	14	16

← sorted

GREEDY-ACTIVITY-SELECTOR( $s, f, n$ )

```

1   $A = \{a_1\}$ 
2   $k = 1$ 
3  for  $m = 2$  to  $n$ 
4      if  $s[m] \geq f[k]$ 
5           $A = A \cup \{a_m\}$ 
6           $k = m$ 
7  return  $A$ 
    
```



Time  $O(n \cdot \log n)$

# Huffman codes

# ASCII table

$$83_{10} = 53_{16} = 101\ 0011_2$$

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
0	NUL	DLE	space	0	@	P	`	p
1	SOH	DC1 XON	!	1	A	Q	a	q
2	STX	DC2	"	2	B	R	b	r
3	ETX	DC3 XOFF	#	3	C	S	c	s
4	EOT	DC4	\$	4	D	T	d	t
5	ENQ	NAK	%	5	E	U	e	u
6	ACK	SYN	&	6	F	V	f	v
7	BEL	ETB	'	7	G	W	g	w
8	BS	CAN	(	8	H	X	h	x
9	HT	EM	)	9	I	Y	i	y
A	LF	SUB	*	:	J	Z	j	z
B	VT	ESC	+	;	K	[	k	{
C	FF	FS	,	<	L	\	l	
D	CR	GS	-	=	M	]	m	}
E	SO	RS	.	>	N	^	n	~
F	SI	US	/	?	O	_	o	del

# The string "AU" as binary ?

- a) 00010010101101
- b) 11000011110101
-  c) 10000011010101
- d) 00011100101110
- e) Don't know

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
0	NUL	DLE	space	0	@	P	`	p
1	SOH	DC1 XON	!	1	A	Q	a	q
2	STX	DC2	"	2	B	R	b	r
3	ETX	DC3 XOFF	#	3	C	S	c	s
4	EOT	DC4	\$	4	D	T	d	t
5	ENQ	NAK	%	5	E	U	e	u
6	ACK	SYN	&	6	F	V	f	v
7	BEL	ETB	'	7	G	W	g	w
8	BS	CAN	(	8	H	X	h	x
9	HT	EM	)	9	I	Y	i	y
A	LF	SUB	*	:	J	Z	j	z
B	VT	ESC	+	;	K	[	k	{
C	FF	FS	,	<	L	\	l	
D	CR	GS	-	=	M	]	m	}
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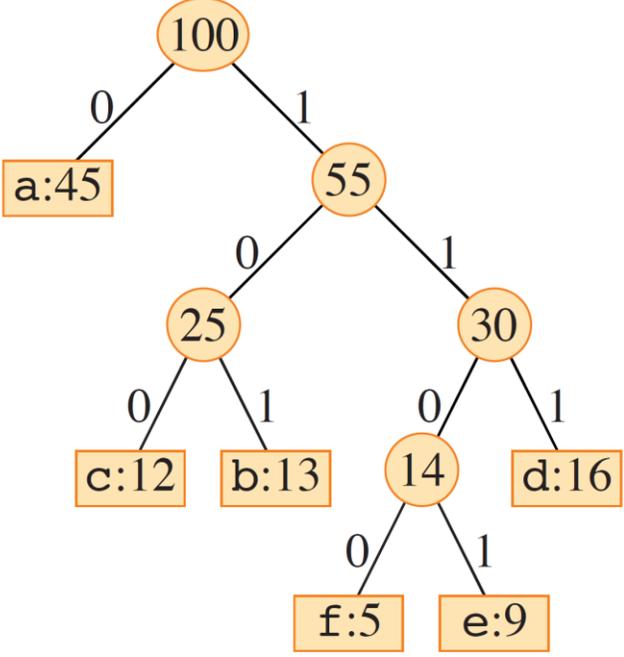
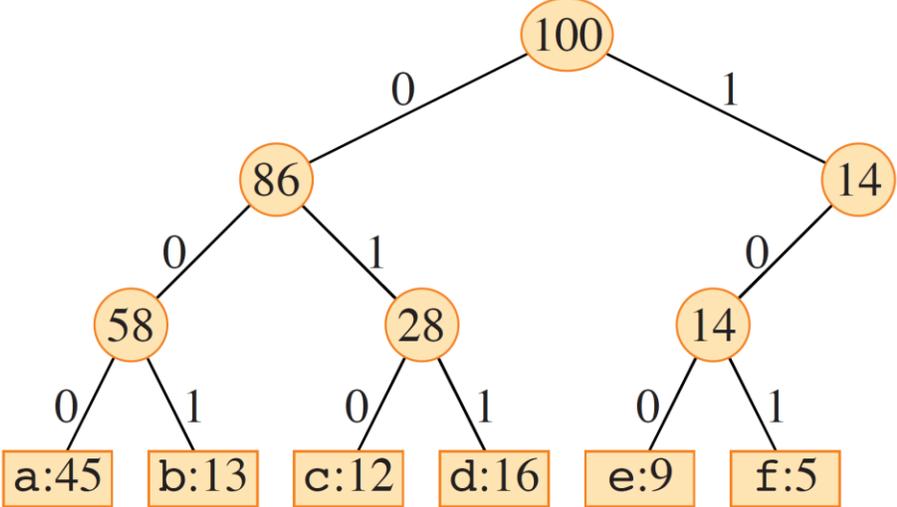
# Compression

Given the frequencies of the occurrences of the symbols in the input, replace input symbols with **shorter bit strings** (fixed-length or variable-length codes)

	a	b	c	d	e	f
Frequency (in thousands)	45	13	12	16	9	5
Fixed-length codeword	000	001	010	011	100	101
Variable-length codeword	0	101	100	111	1101	1100

**Note** Variable-length codes must be **prefix free**

# Fixed-length vs variable-length codes

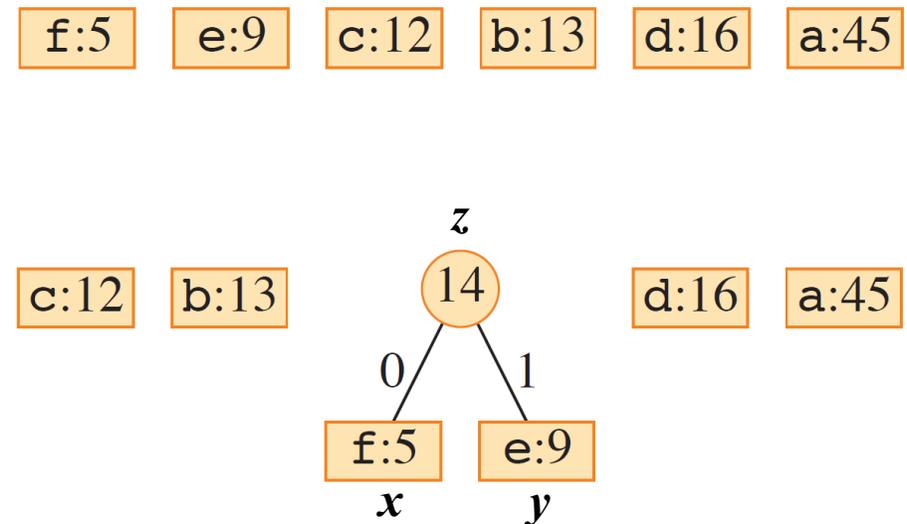


	a	b	c	d	e	f	
Frequency (in thousands)	45	13	12	16	9	5	
Fixed-length codeword	000	001	010	011	100	101	$3 * (45+13+12+16+9+5) = 300$ bits
Variable-length codeword	0	101	100	111	1101	1100	$1*45+3*(13+12+16)+4*(9+5) = 224$ bits

# Huffman codes

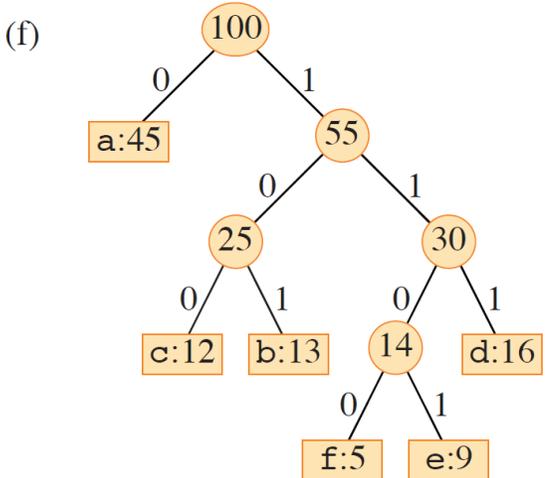
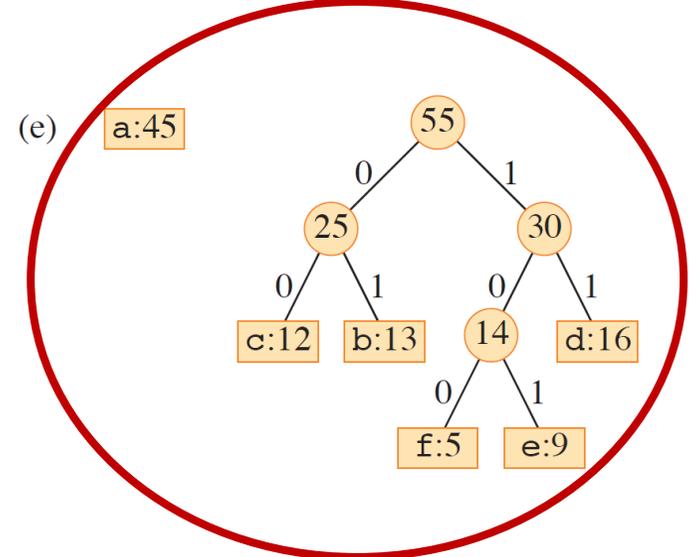
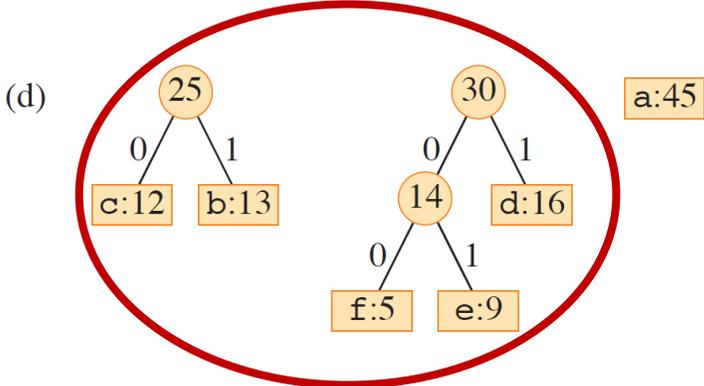
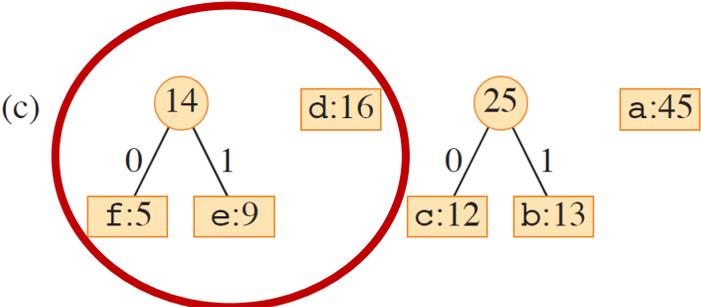
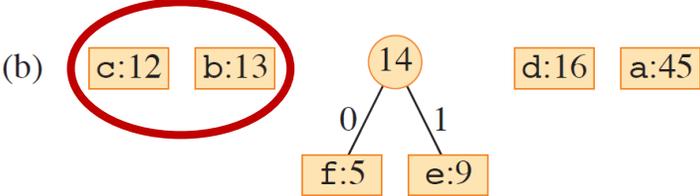
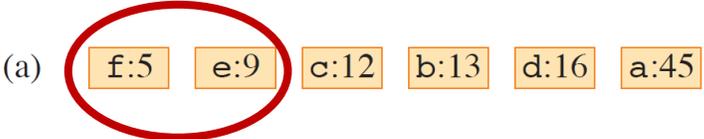
HUFFMAN( $C$ )

```
1   $n = |C|$ 
2   $Q = C$ 
3  for  $i = 1$  to  $n - 1$ 
4      allocate a new node  $z$ 
5       $x = \text{EXTRACT-MIN}(Q)$ 
6       $y = \text{EXTRACT-MIN}(Q)$ 
7       $z.\text{left} = x$ 
8       $z.\text{right} = y$ 
9       $z.\text{freq} = x.\text{freq} + y.\text{freq}$ 
10     INSERT( $Q, z$ )
11 return EXTRACT-MIN( $Q$ )
```



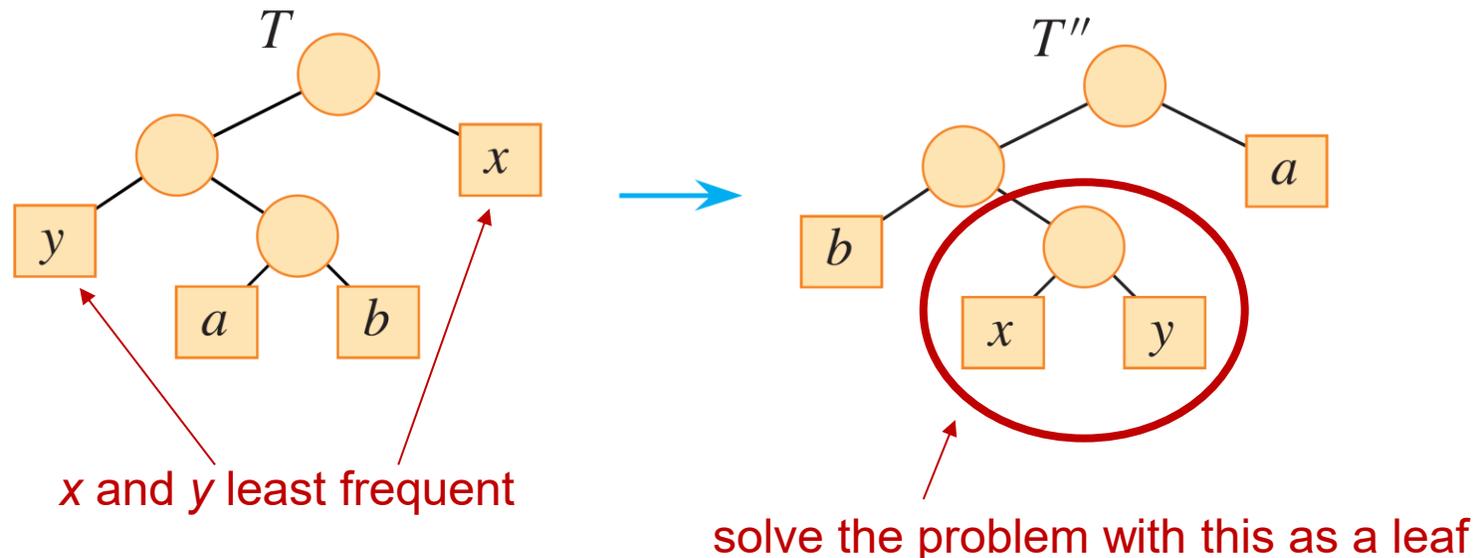
Time  $O(n \cdot \log n)$

# Huffman codes



# Correctness of Huffman codes

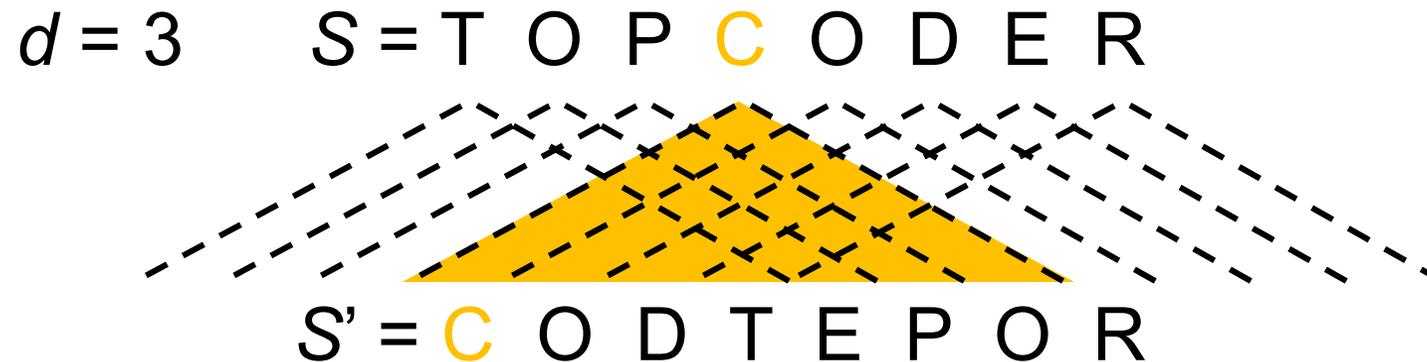
**Theorem** There always exist an optimal prefix code where the two least frequent symbols ( $x$  and  $y$ ) have the same code length and are identical except for the last bit



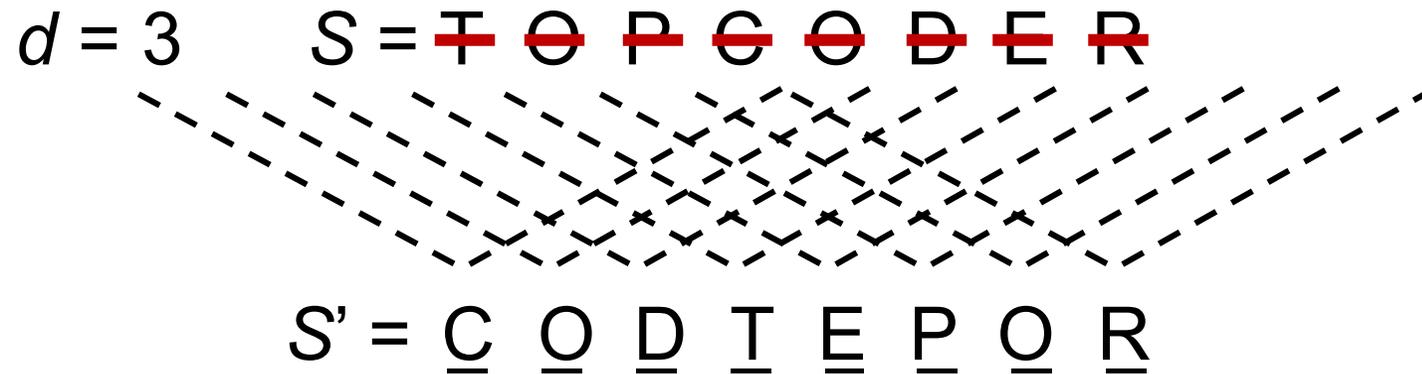
# [tco14] TopCoder Open 2014 – Round 1A (500 point)

**Input** A string  $S$ , distance  $d$

**Output** A string  $S'$  = lexicographically smallest permutation of  $S$ , where no character is moved more than  $d$  positions



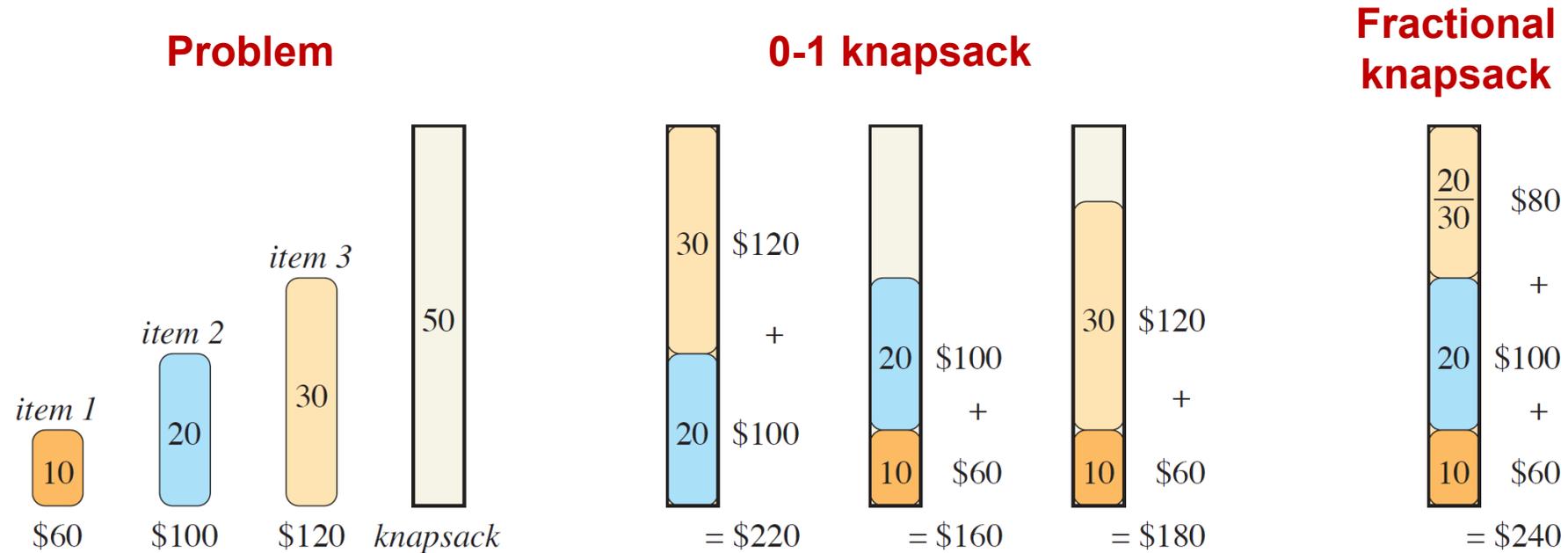
# Greedy solution



**Algorithm** Construct  $S'$  from left to right

- take the character furthest to the left in the window, if not used
- otherwise take lexicographically smallest symbol in window (leftmost is multiple)

# Dynamic programming vs greedy



# 0-1 knapsack – maximum value for volume 11 ?

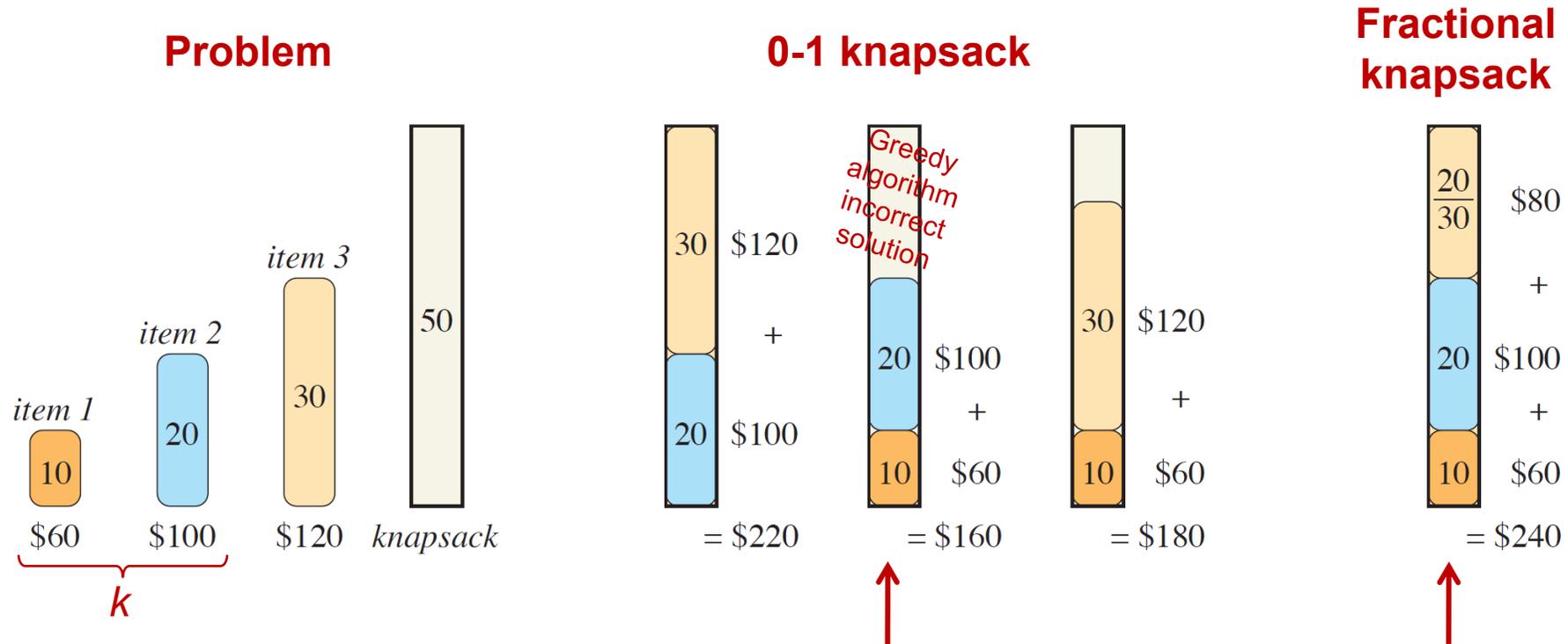
Volume	2	3	4	5
Value	3	5	4	6



- a) 10
- b) 11
- c) 12
- d) 13
- e) 14
- f) 15
- g) Don't know

A solution with maximum value is not necessarily a solution with maximum volume

# Dynamic programming vs greedy



$c(k, v)$  = best value among  $k$  first items for volume  $v$

$$= \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } k = 0 \\ c(k - 1, v) & \text{if } \text{volume}_k > v \\ \max \{ c(k - 1, v), \text{value}_k + c(k - 1, v - \text{volume}_k) \} & \text{if } \text{volume}_k \leq v \end{cases}$$

Greedly fill by decreasing value/volume

# 0-1-knapsack

Volume	2	3	4	5
Value	3	5	4	6

$c(k,v)$

	$v$											
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
2	0	0	3	5	5	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
3	0	0	3	5	5	8	8	9	9	12	12	12
4	0	0	3	5	5	8	8	9	11	12	14	14

Systematic tabulation

$c(k,v)$

	$v$											
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	0
1	-	-	3	3	3	-	3	3	3	-	-	3
2	-	-	3	-	-	-	8	8	-	-	-	8
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4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14

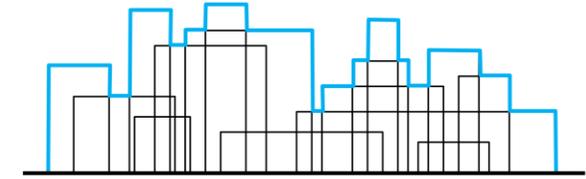
Recursion + memoization

# General algorithm design techniques

- **Divide and conquer**

- Disjoint subproblems

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} c & \text{if } n \leq d \\ a \cdot T(n/b) + c \cdot n^p & \text{if } n > d \end{cases}$$



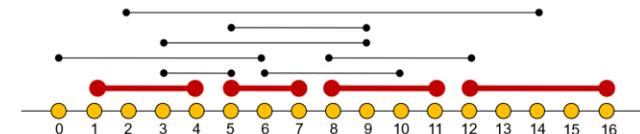
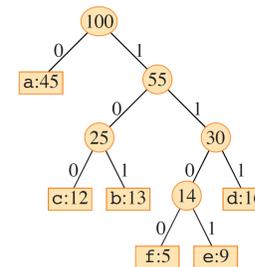
- **Dynamic programming**

- Subproblems overlap
- Remember already computed results for subproblems
- Systematic tabulation or recursion with memoization

	<i>j</i>	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
<i>i</i>	<i>y<sub>j</sub></i>	B	D	C	A	B	A	
0	<i>x<sub>i</sub></i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	A	0	↑	↑	↑	↘	↘	↘
2	B	0	↑	←	←	↑	↘	↘
3	C	0	↑	↑	↘	←	↑	↑
4	B	0	↘	↑	↑	↑	↘	↘
5	D	0	↑	↘	↑	↑	↑	↑
6	A	0	↑	↑	↑	↘	↑	↑
7	B	0	↘	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑

- **Greedy algorithms**

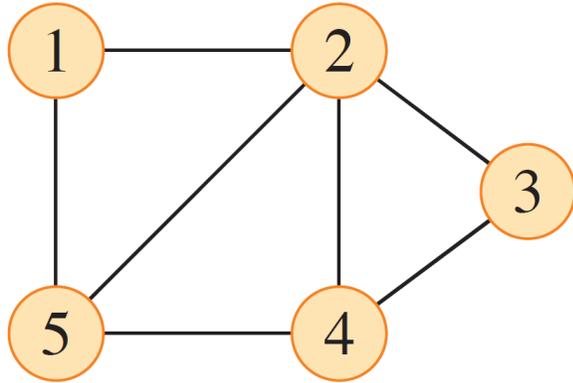
- Only one subproblem



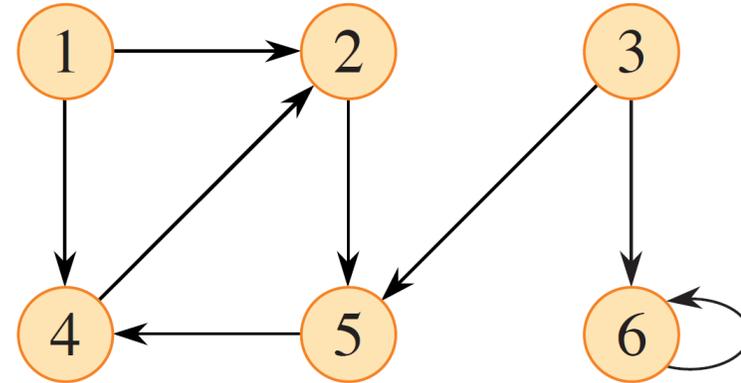
# **Algorithms and Data Structures**

Graph representations, breadth first search (BFS)  
[CLRS, Chapter 20.1-20.2]

# Graphs



**Undirected graph**



**Directed graph** (a.k.a. digraph)

$G = (V, E)$  graph with nodes  $V$  and edges  $E$

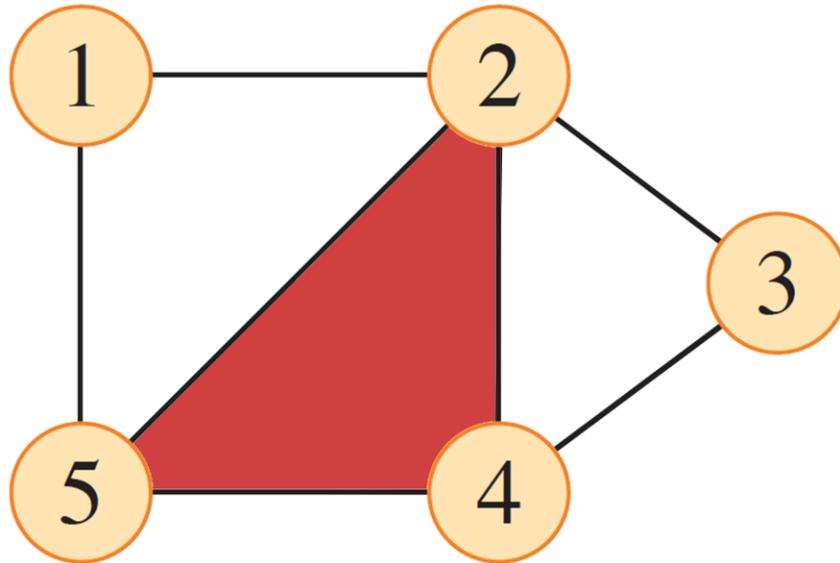
$E : \{u, v\}$  an undirected edge between  $u$  and  $v$

$(u, v)$  a directed edge from  $u$  to  $v$

$n = |V| = \#$  nodes

$m = |E| = \#$  edges (connections between nodes)

# Planar graphs – Euler's formula



$$\begin{aligned} |V| &= 5 \\ |E| &= 7 \\ \# \text{ faces} &= 4 \end{aligned}$$

For a connected planar graph:

Euler's formula:  $|V| - |E| + \# \text{ faces} = 2$

Corollary:  $|E| \leq 3|V| - 6$  (for  $|V| \geq 3$ , no self-loops, no parallel edges)

# Solution found by the greedy algorithm ?

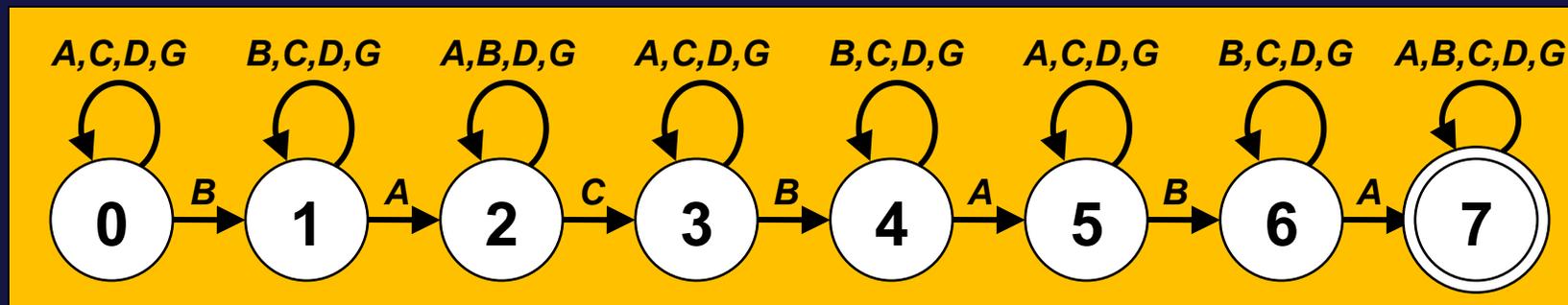
a) ABABGACBABAD



b) ABABGACBABAD

c) ABABGACBABAD

d) Don't know



	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
1	Initial loan:	10000						
2	Yearly interest rate:	5%						
3	Yearly payment:	800						
4								
5	<b>Payment number</b>	<b>Payment</b>	<b>Interest</b>	<b>Balance</b>				
6				10000				
7	1	800	500	9700				
8	2	800	485	9385				
9	3	800	469	9054				
10	4	800	453	=D9+C10-B10				
11	5	800	435	8342				

# Which computation order ?

	A	B	C
1	10	20	$= A1+B1$
2	50	30	$= A2+B2$
3	$= (A1+A2)/C3$	$= (B1+B2)/C3$	$= C1+C2$

a) C1 C2 A3 B3 C3

b) A3 B3 C2 C1 C3



c) C2 C1 C3 B3 A3

d) Don't know

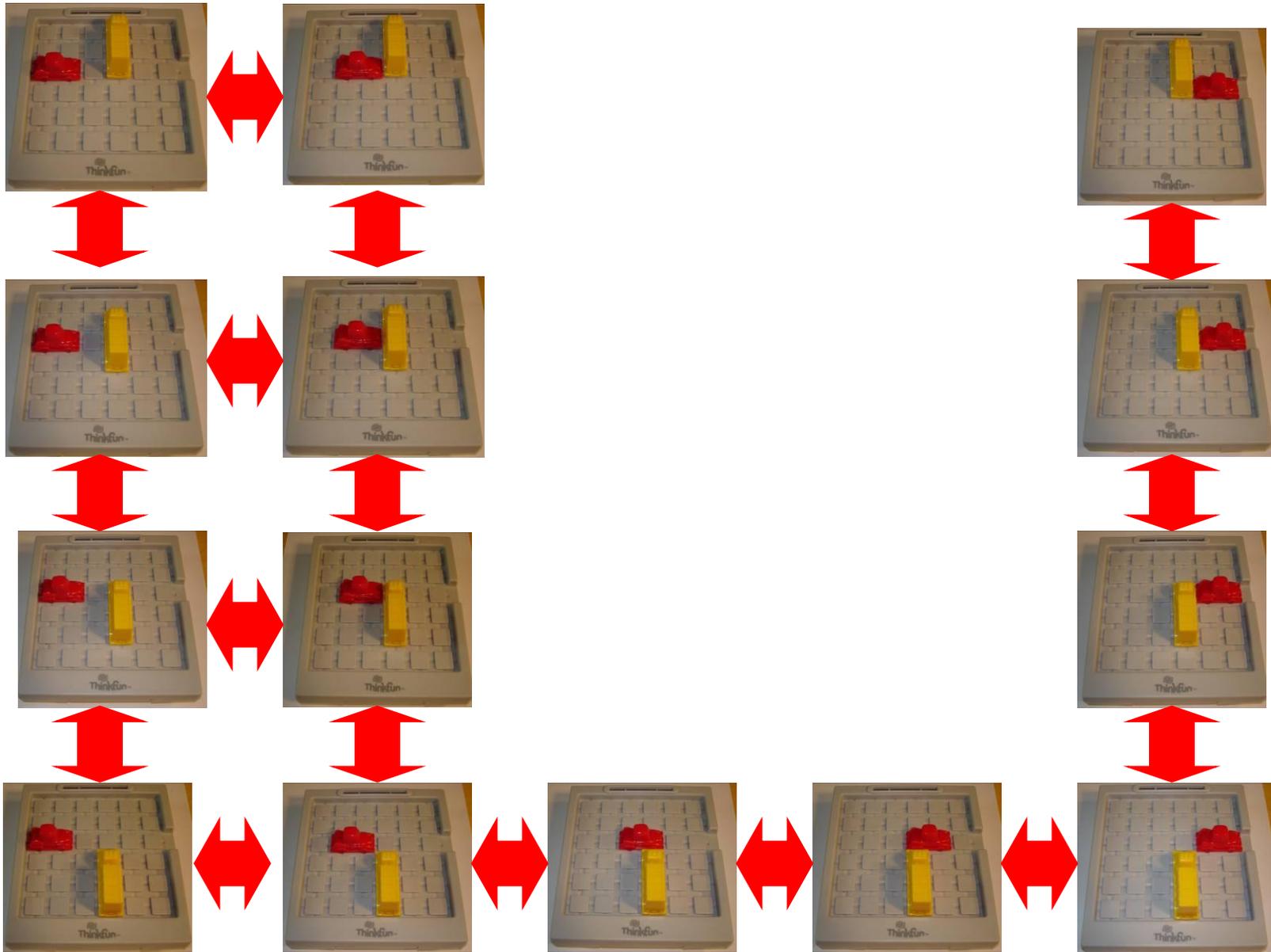
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
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2							
3		3					
4							
5							
6							
7							
8							
9							
10							

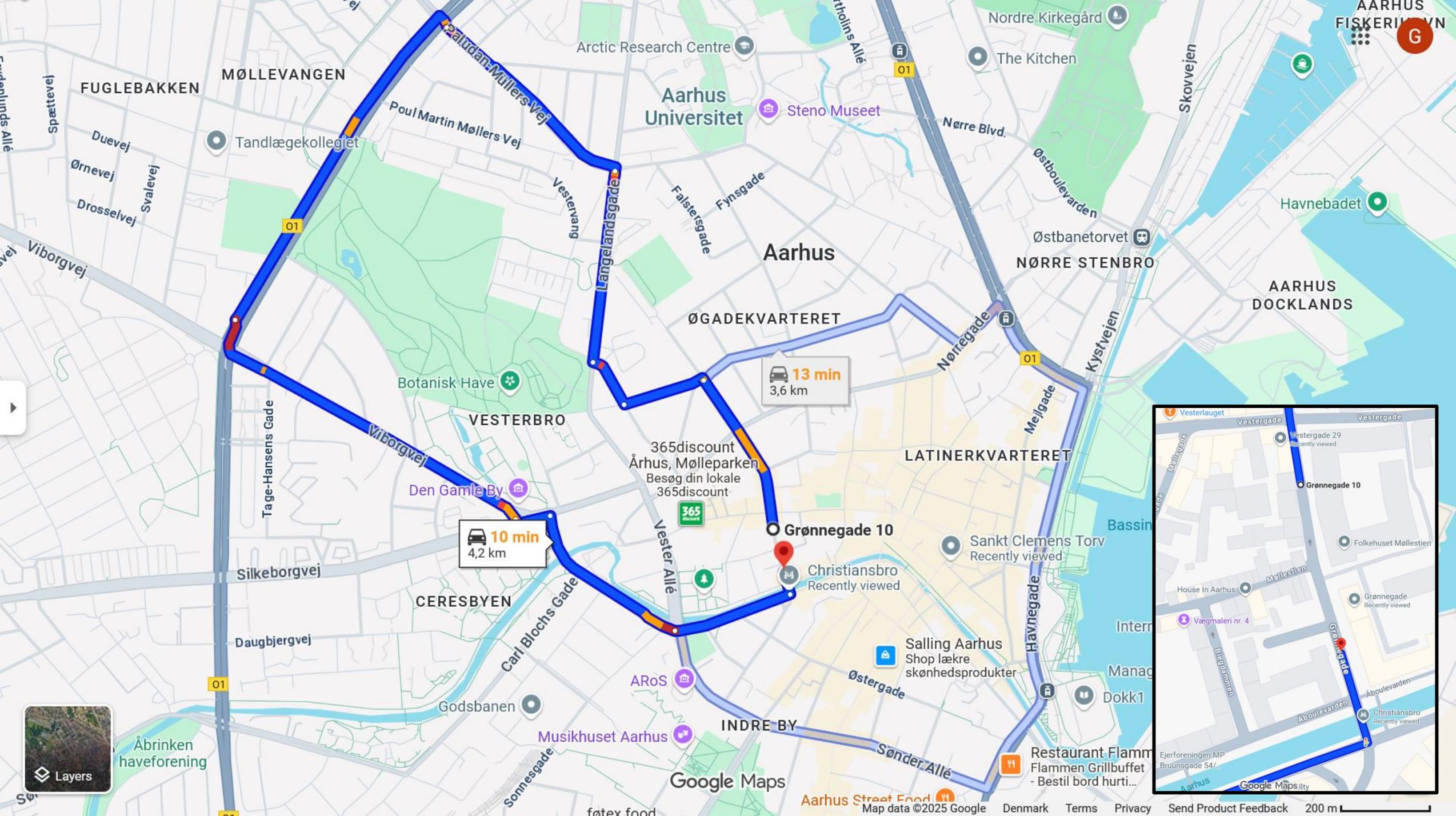
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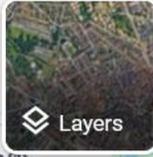
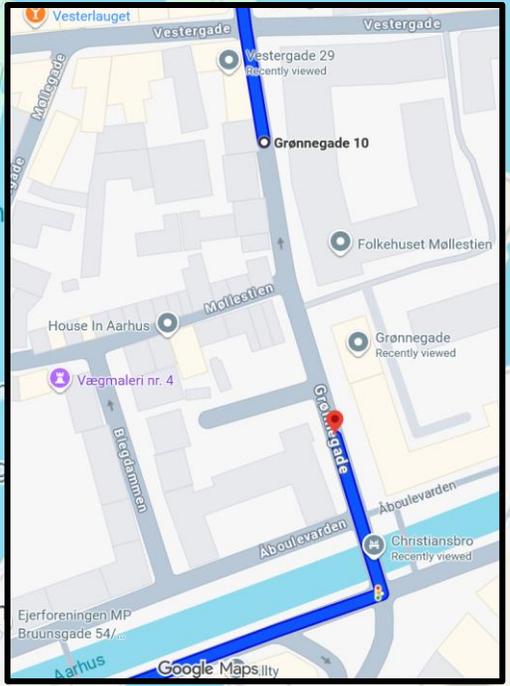
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13 min  
3,6 km

10 min  
4,2 km



# How many nodes are required to represent a road crossing ?



- a) 1
- b) 2
- c) 4
- d) 5
- e) 8
- f) 9
- g) 12
- h) Don't know

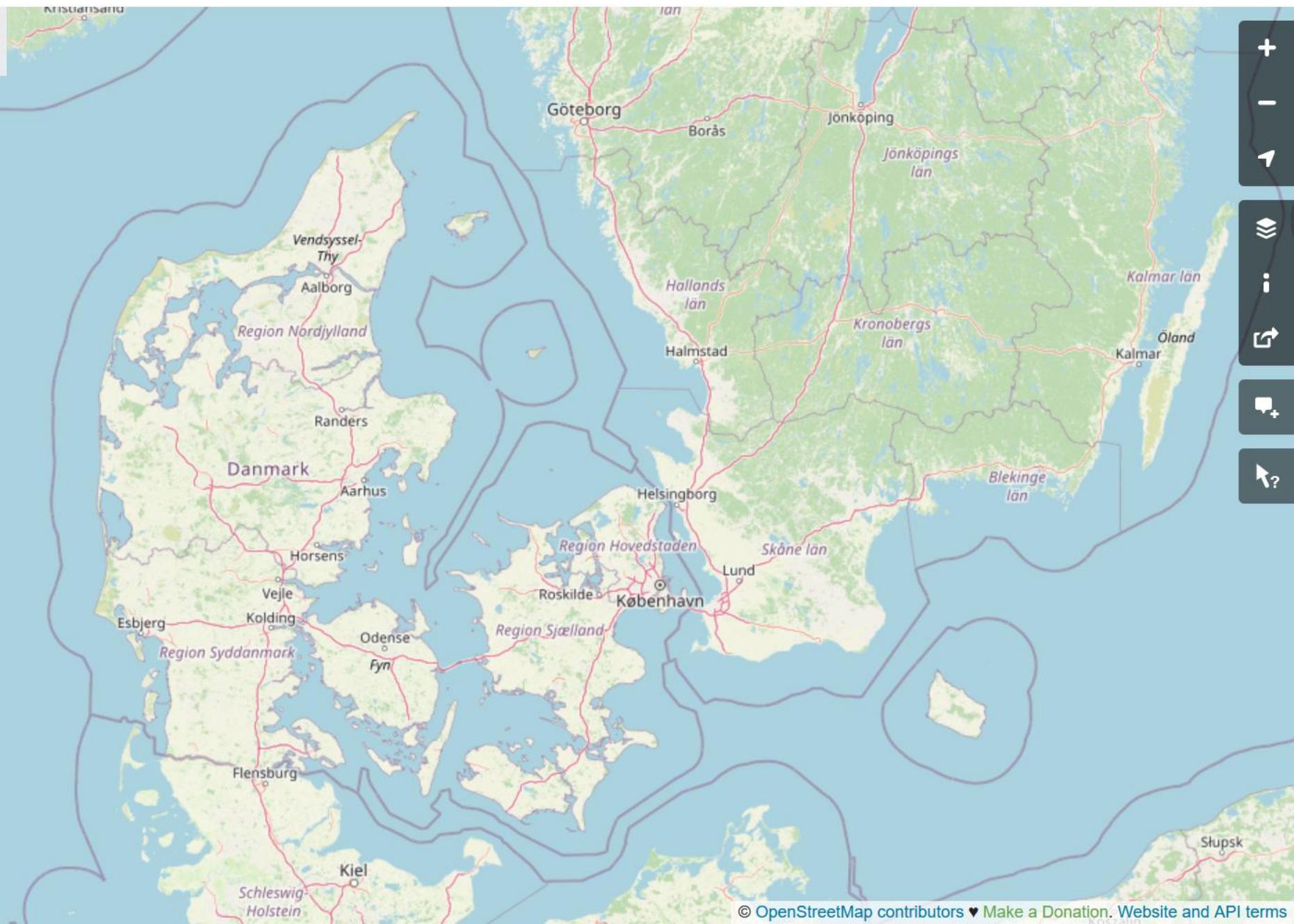


old picture of Vesterbro Torv



Search

Where is this?



# OpenStreetMap

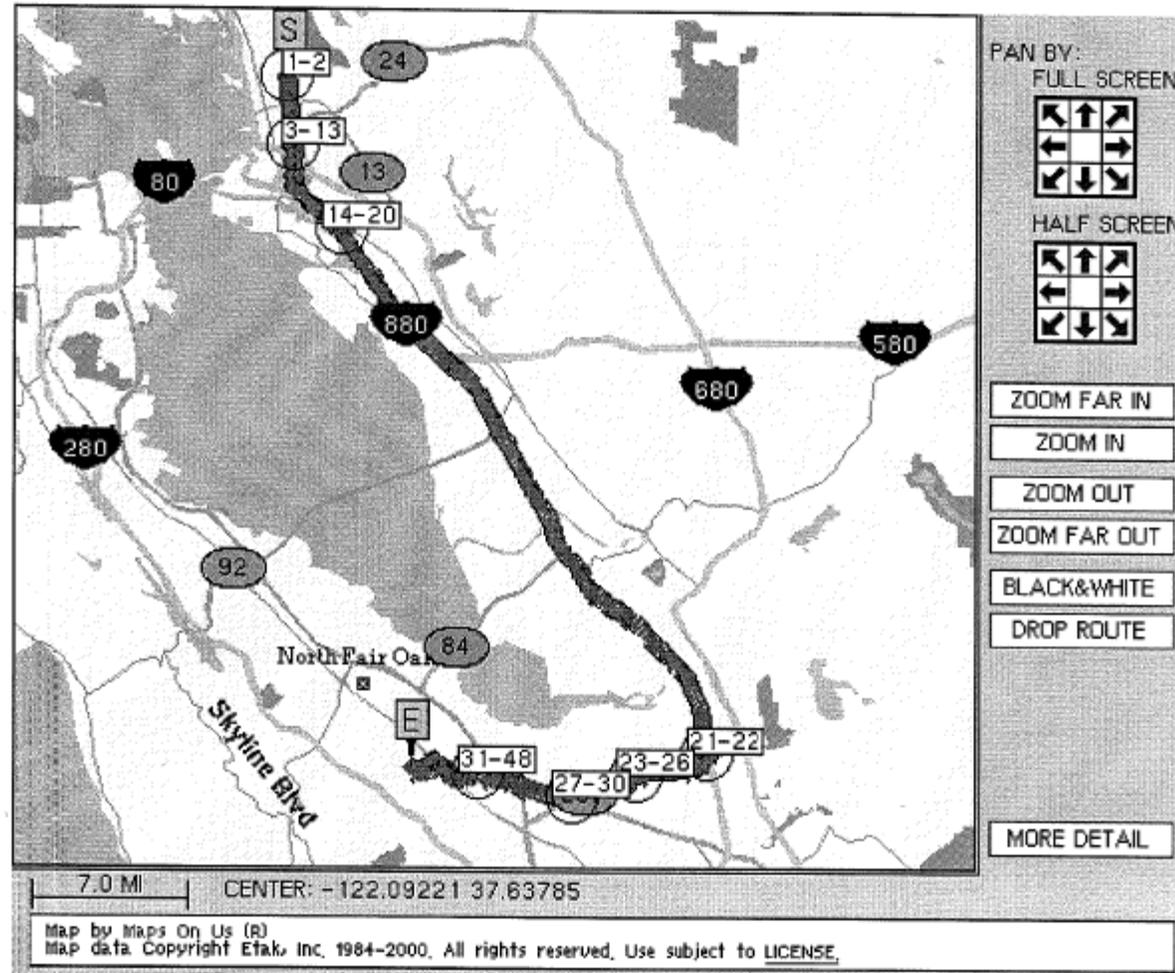
Street network of Denmark

≈ 2 M vertices

≈ 4 M edges

50 km

30 mi



*“However, because of the size of the routing data, we have to use heuristics when planning routes. As a result, sometimes a Favor Highways route will be slightly faster than the Fastest route.”*

— MapsOnUs

Find connection: in Denmark

A Skagen St.

Departure 10.11 08:30

B Rødby Færge

Options

Find



Public Transport

Mon. 11/10/2025

Earlier

08:42 17:49

75 973X ICL ... IC 5... Re ... 710R 720R

9 h 7 min., 6 Transfers

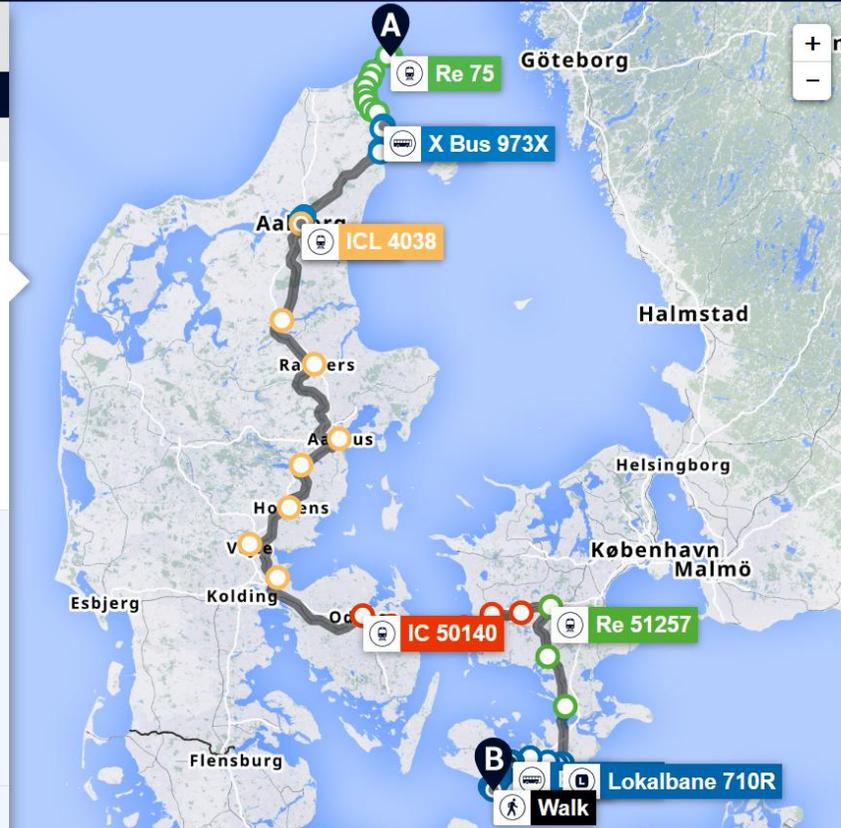
Price & buy Details

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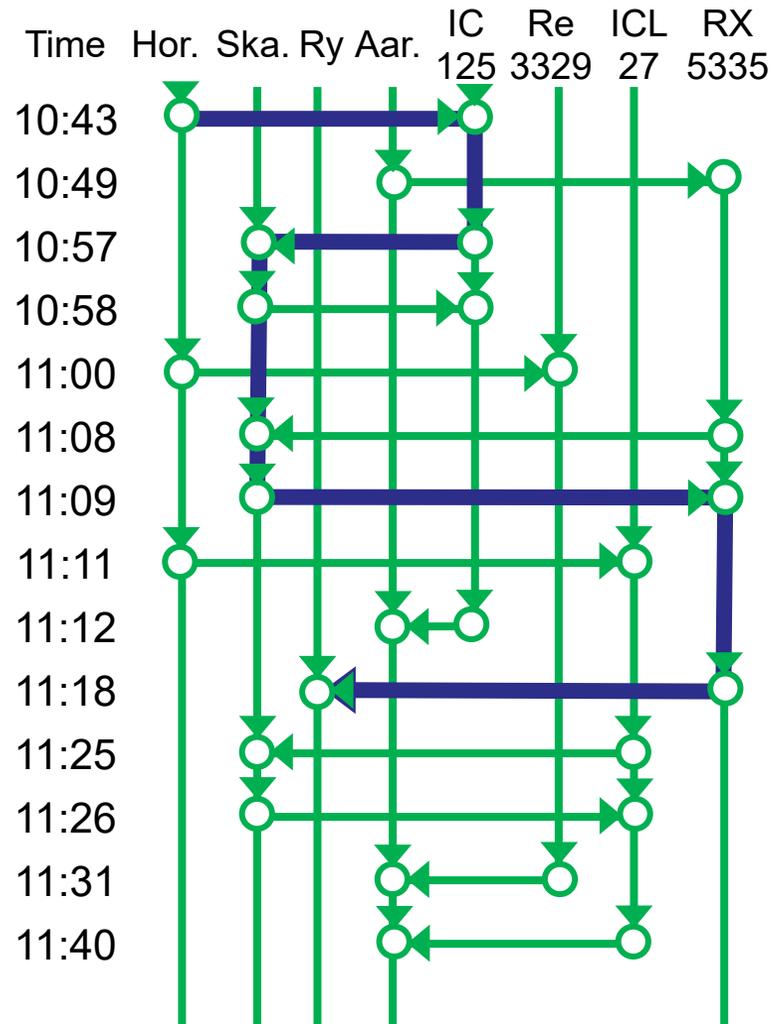
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9 h 37 min., 7 Transfers

Price & buy Details



# Travel plan (Horsens to Ry)



Train	Arr	Dep	Station
		10:43	Horsens
IC125	10:57	10:58	Skanderborg St
		11:12	Aarhus H
Re3329		11:00	Horsens
	11:31		Aarhus H
		11:11	Horsens
ICL27	11:25	11:26	Skanderborg St
		11:40	Aarhus H
		10:49	Aarhus H
RX5335	11:08	11:09	Skanderborg St
		11:18	Ry St



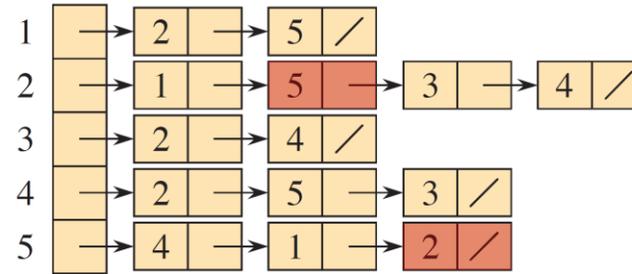
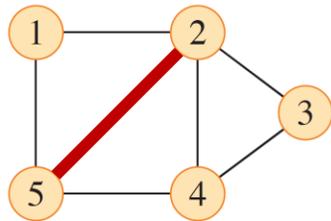
part of train schedule

## Algorithm

Find earliest node for **Ry** reachable from a given start node in **Horsens**

# Graph representations

## – adjacency-lists and adjacency-matrices

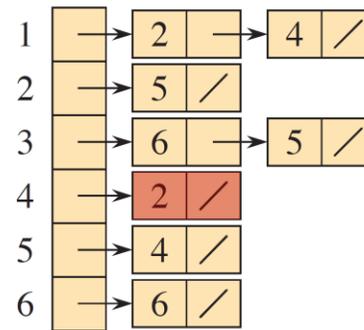
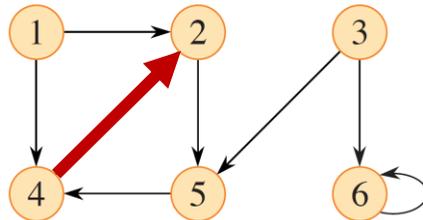


	1	2	3	4	5
1	0	1	0	0	1
2	1	0	1	1	1
3	0	1	0	1	0
4	0	1	1	0	1
5	1	1	0	1	0

Undirected graph

Space  $O(n+m)$

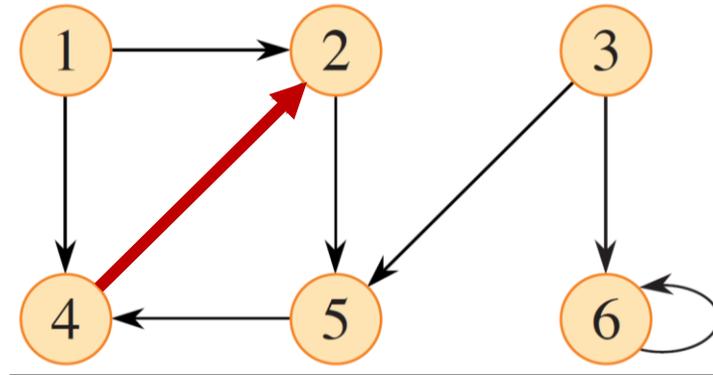
Space  $O(n^2)$



	1	2	3	4	5	6
1	0	1	0	1	0	0
2	0	0	0	0	1	0
3	0	0	0	0	1	1
4	0	1	0	0	0	0
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6	0	0	0	0	0	1

Directed graph (a.k.a. digraph)

# Graph representations – more alternatives



## Edge list

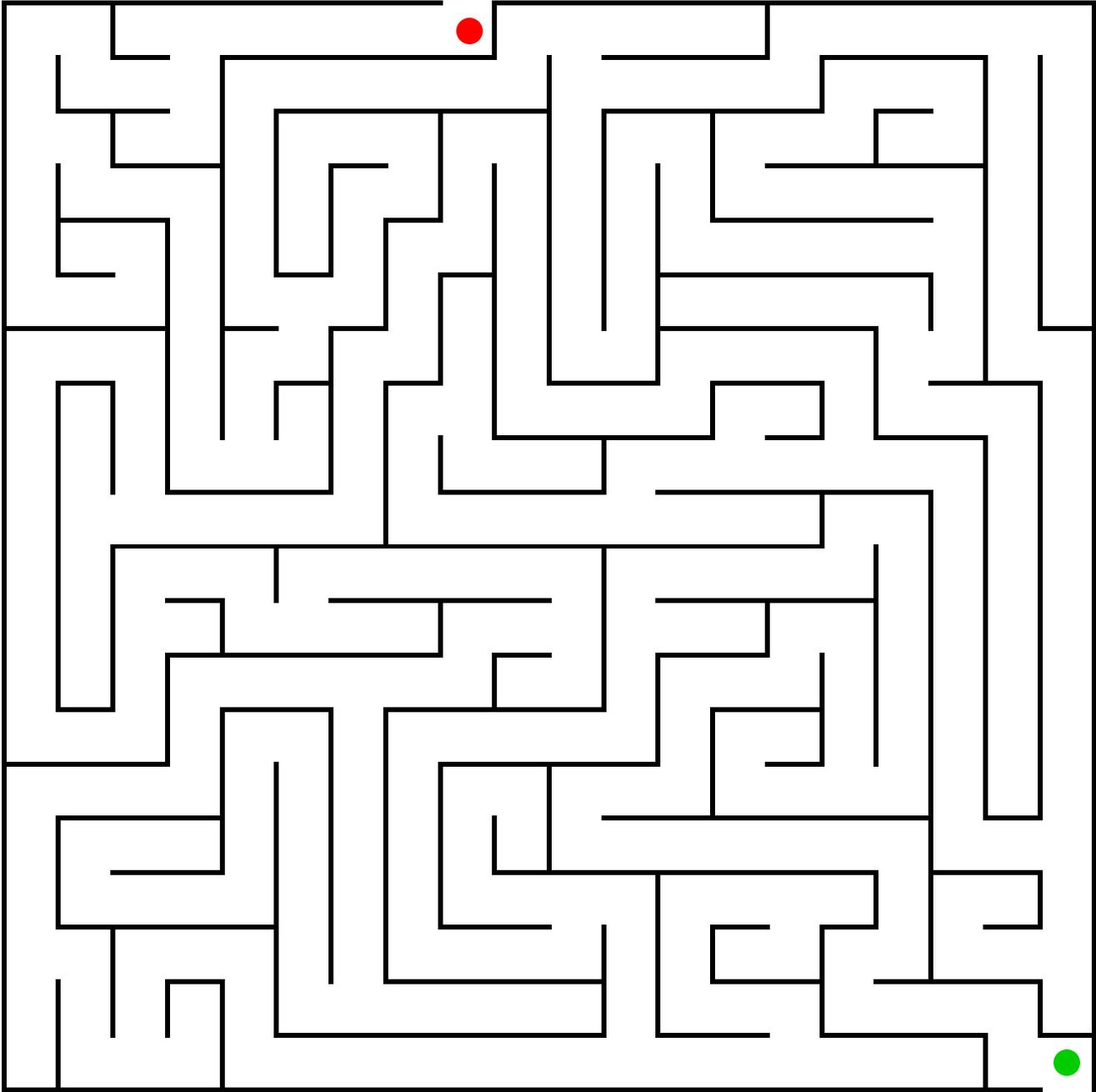
(list/array with pairs of integers)

(1, 2)	(1, 4)	(2, 5)	(3, 5)	(3, 6)	(4, 2)	(5, 4)	(6, 6)
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## Compact adjacency lists

(two arrays with integers)

	1	2	3	4	5	6		
V	1	3	4	6	7	8		
E	2	4	5	5	6	2	4	6



# Breadth first search (BFS)

BFS( $G, s$ )

```
1 for each vertex  $u \in G.V - \{s\}$ 
2    $u.color = WHITE$ 
3    $u.d = \infty$ 
4    $u.\pi = NIL$ 
5  $s.color = GRAY$ 
6  $s.d = 0$ 
7  $s.\pi = NIL$ 
8  $Q = \emptyset$ 
9 ENQUEUE( $Q, s$ )
10 while  $Q \neq \emptyset$ 
11    $u = DEQUEUE(Q)$ 
12   for each vertex  $v$  in  $G.Adj[u]$ 
13     if  $v.color == WHITE$ 
14        $v.color = GRAY$ 
15        $v.d = u.d + 1$ 
16        $v.\pi = u$ 
17       ENQUEUE( $Q, v$ )
18    $u.color = BLACK$ 
```

$u.color$

WHITE = nodes not visited yet

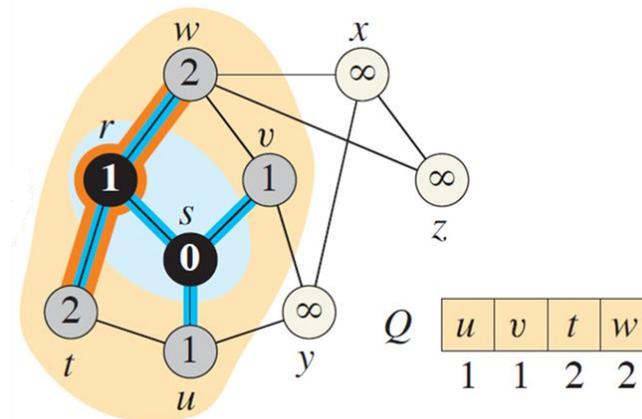
GRAY = nodes in queue  $Q$

BLACK = nodes visited

$u.d =$  distance to  $s$

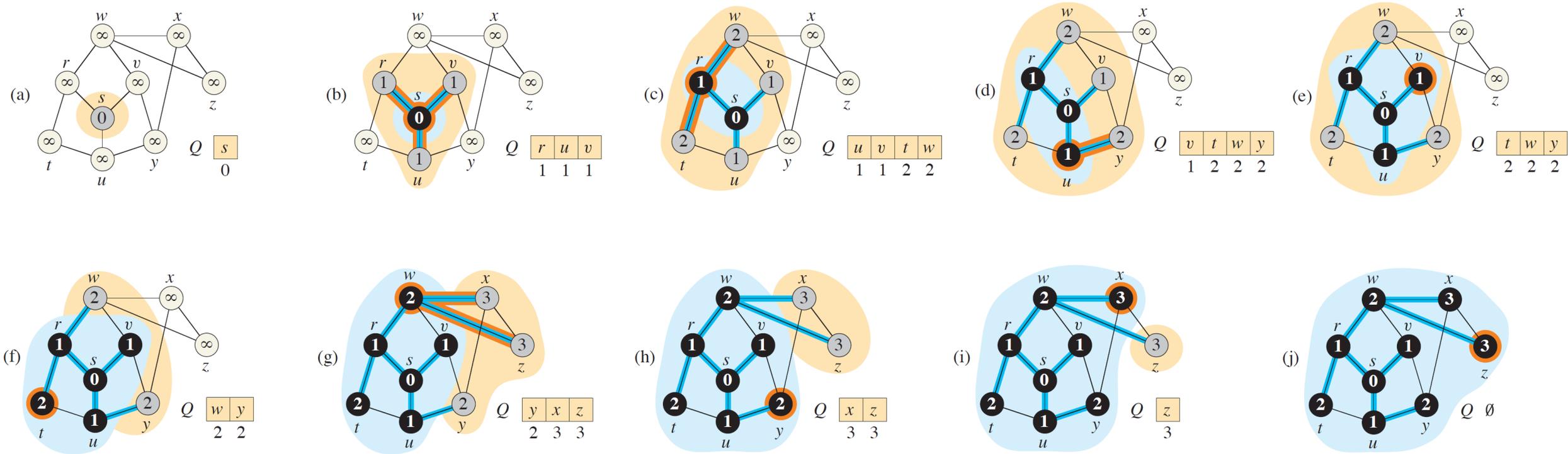
$u.\pi =$  parent to  $u$  in BFS tree

$Q =$  queue with grey nodes  
(which are connected to black nodes)



Time  $O(n + m)$

# BFS example



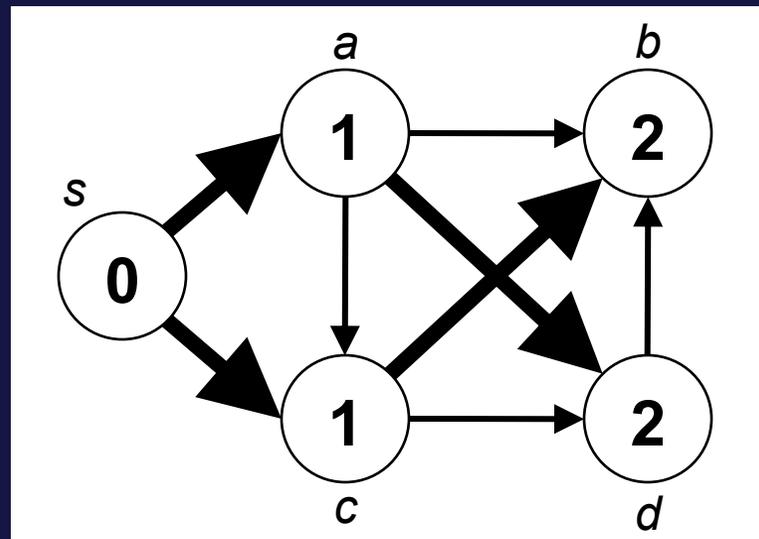
# Is the below a valid BFS tree?

a) Yes



b) No

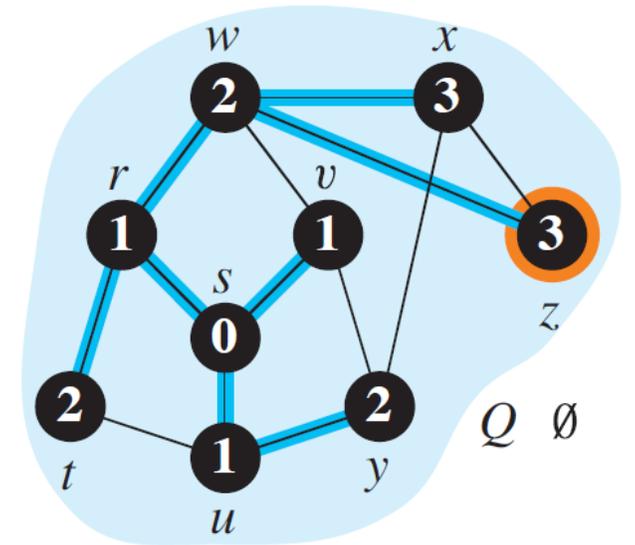
c) Don't know



# BFS – print path from $s$ to $v$

PRINT-PATH( $G, s, v$ )

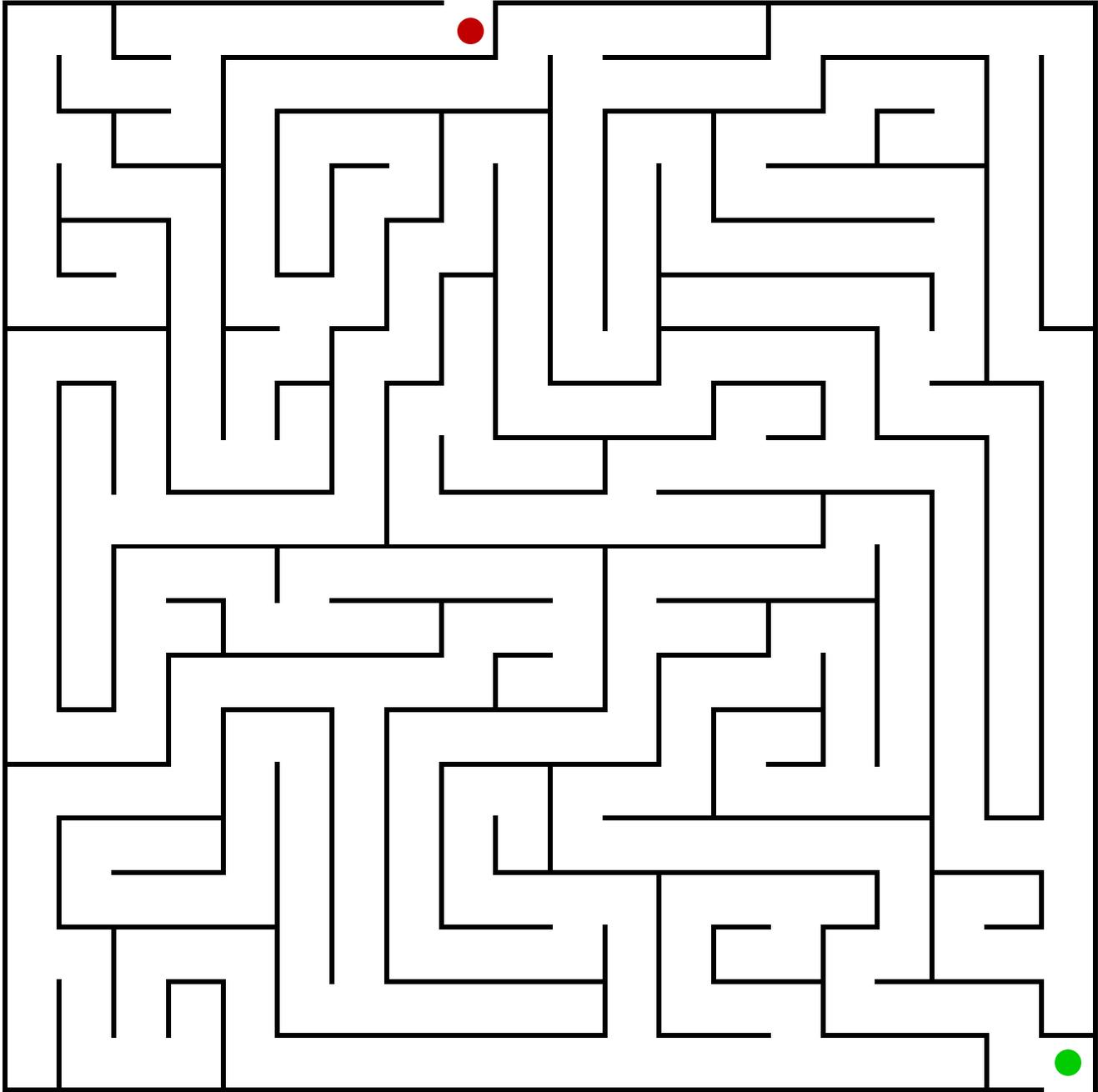
```
1  if  $v == s$ 
2      print  $s$ 
3  elseif  $v.\pi == \text{NIL}$ 
4      print “no path from”  $s$  “to”  $v$  “exists”
5  else PRINT-PATH( $G, s, v.\pi$ )
6      print  $v$ 
```



Time  $O(n)$

# **Algorithms and Data Structures**

Depth first search (DFS), topological sorting,  
strongly connected components  
[CLRS, Chapter 20.3-20.5]



# Depth first search (DFS)

DFS( $G$ )

```
1 for each vertex  $u \in G.V$ 
2    $u.color = WHITE$ 
3    $u.\pi = NIL$ 
4    $time = 0$ 
5 for each vertex  $u \in G.V$ 
6   if  $u.color == WHITE$ 
7     DFS-VISIT( $G, u$ )
```

$u.color$

WHITE = nodes not yet visited

GRAY = nodes on recursion stack

BLACK = nodes visited

$u.\pi$  = parent of  $u$  in DFS tree

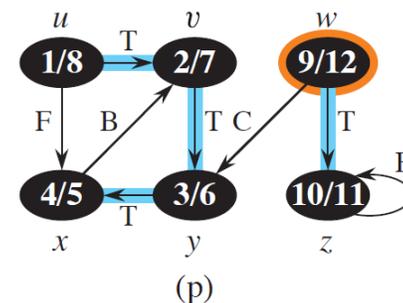
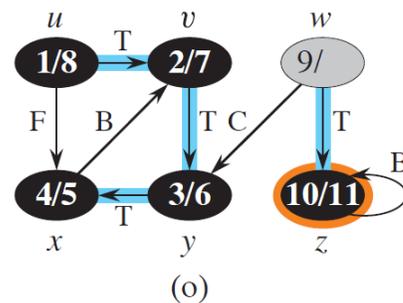
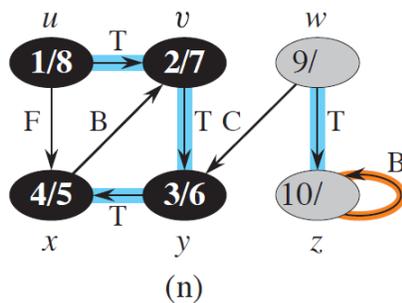
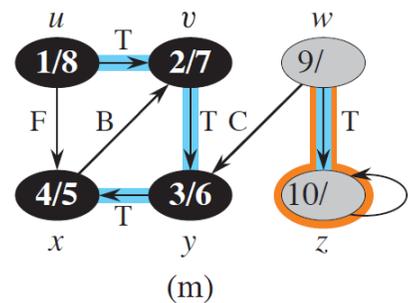
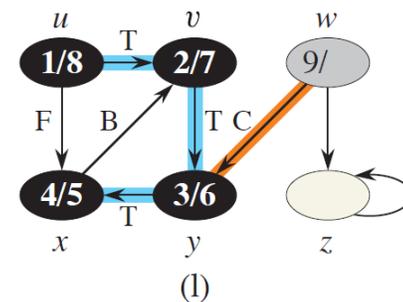
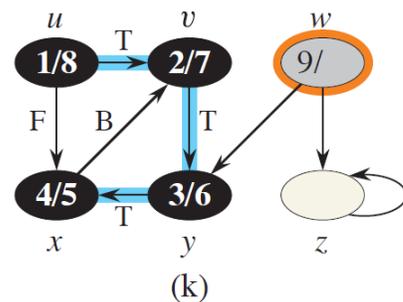
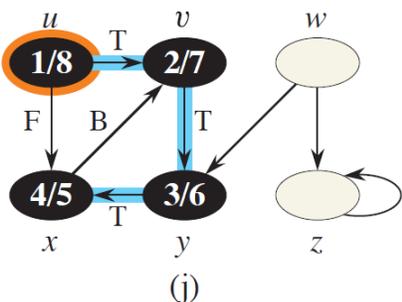
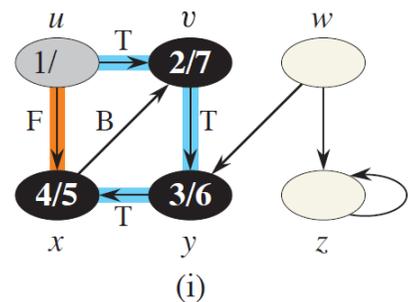
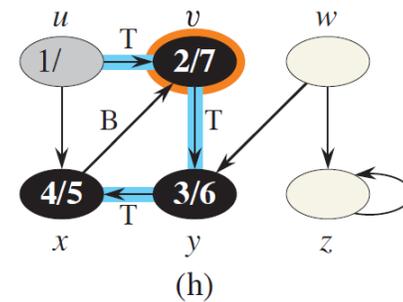
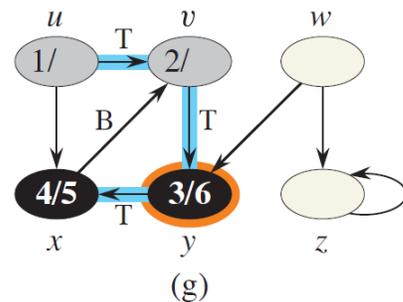
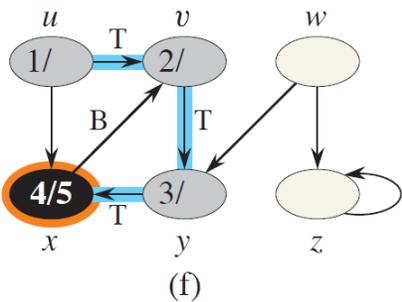
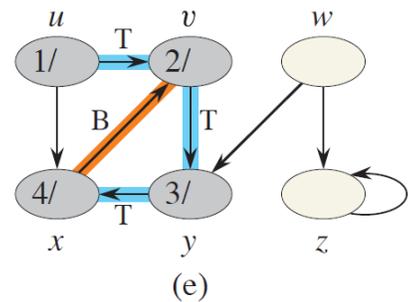
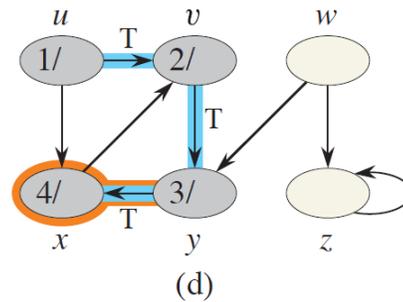
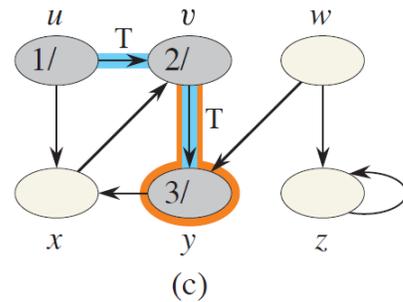
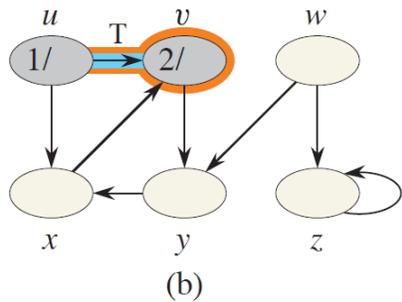
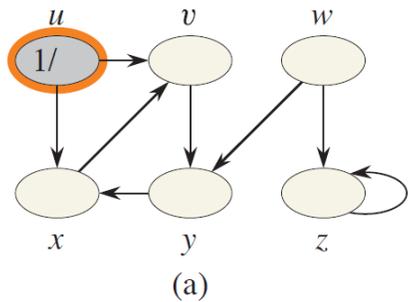
$u.d$  = discovery time for  $u$

$u.f$  = finishing time for  $u$

DFS-VISIT( $G, u$ )

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2  $u.d = time$ 
3  $u.color = GRAY$ 
4 for each vertex  $v$  in  $G.Adj[u]$ 
5   if  $v.color == WHITE$ 
6      $v.\pi = u$ 
7     DFS-VISIT( $G, v$ )
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9  $u.f = time$ 
10  $u.color = BLACK$ 
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Time  $O(n + m)$



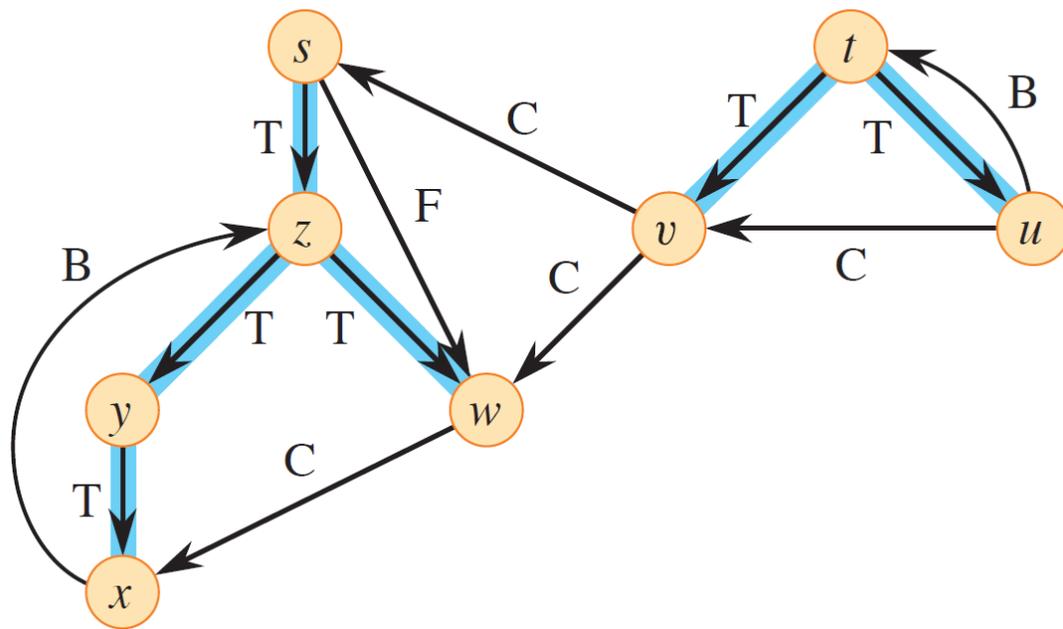
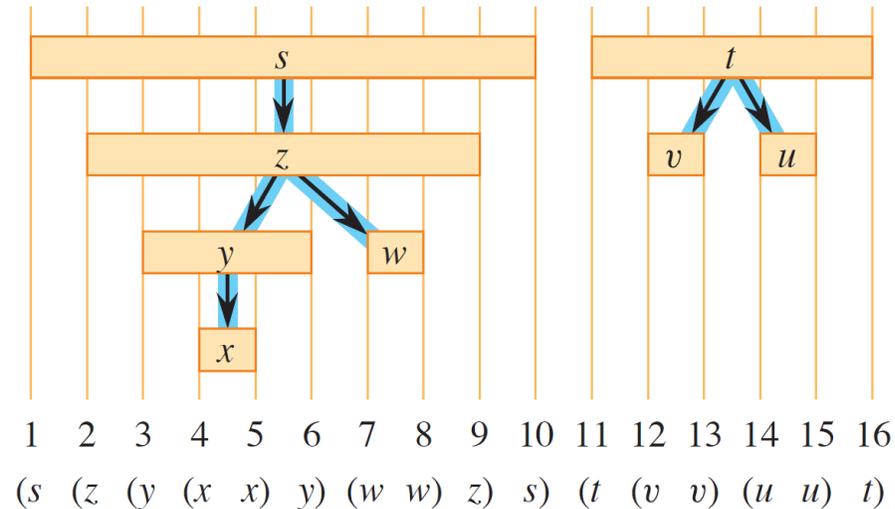
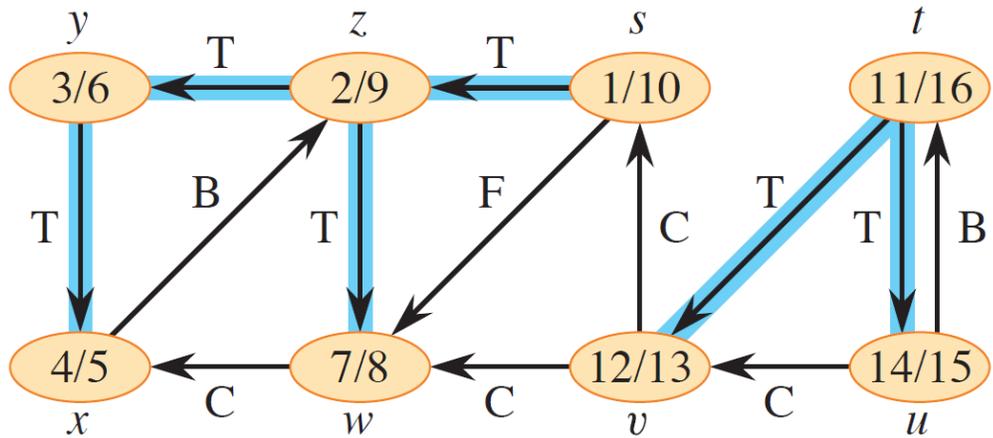
Can a node have 13/17 as  
DFS discovery/finishing times ?

a) Yes



b) No

c) Don't know



↓ = tree edge  
 B = back edge  
 C = cross edge  
 F = forward edge

# Applications of BFS and DFS

## **BFS**

Find distances from start node  
(distance = # edges, e.g., RushHour state space)

## **DFS**

*Topological sorting*  
*Strongly connected components*  
*Planarity testing*

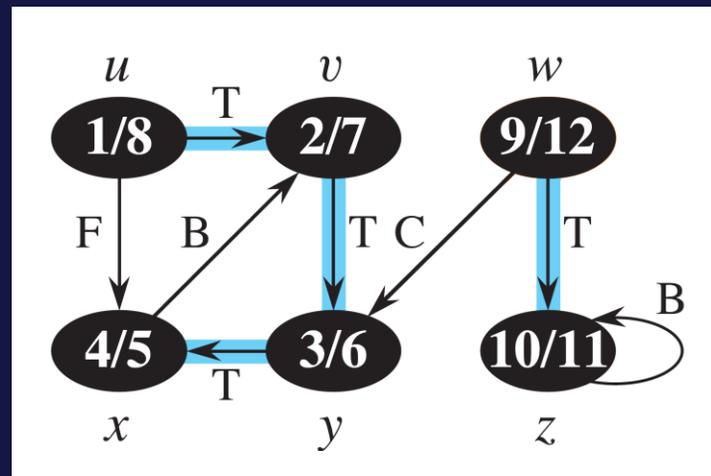
Assume there exists a path  $a \rightsquigarrow b$  in a directed graph.  
Is it always true that  $a.f > b.f$ ?

a) Yes



b) No

c) Don't know



Assume there exists a path  $a \rightsquigarrow b$  in a directed graph  
**without cycles**

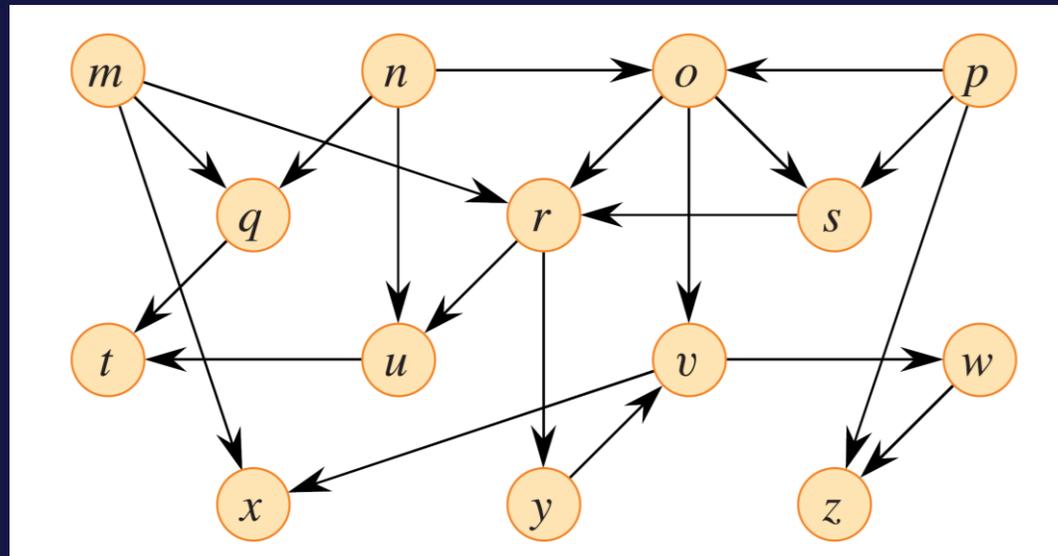
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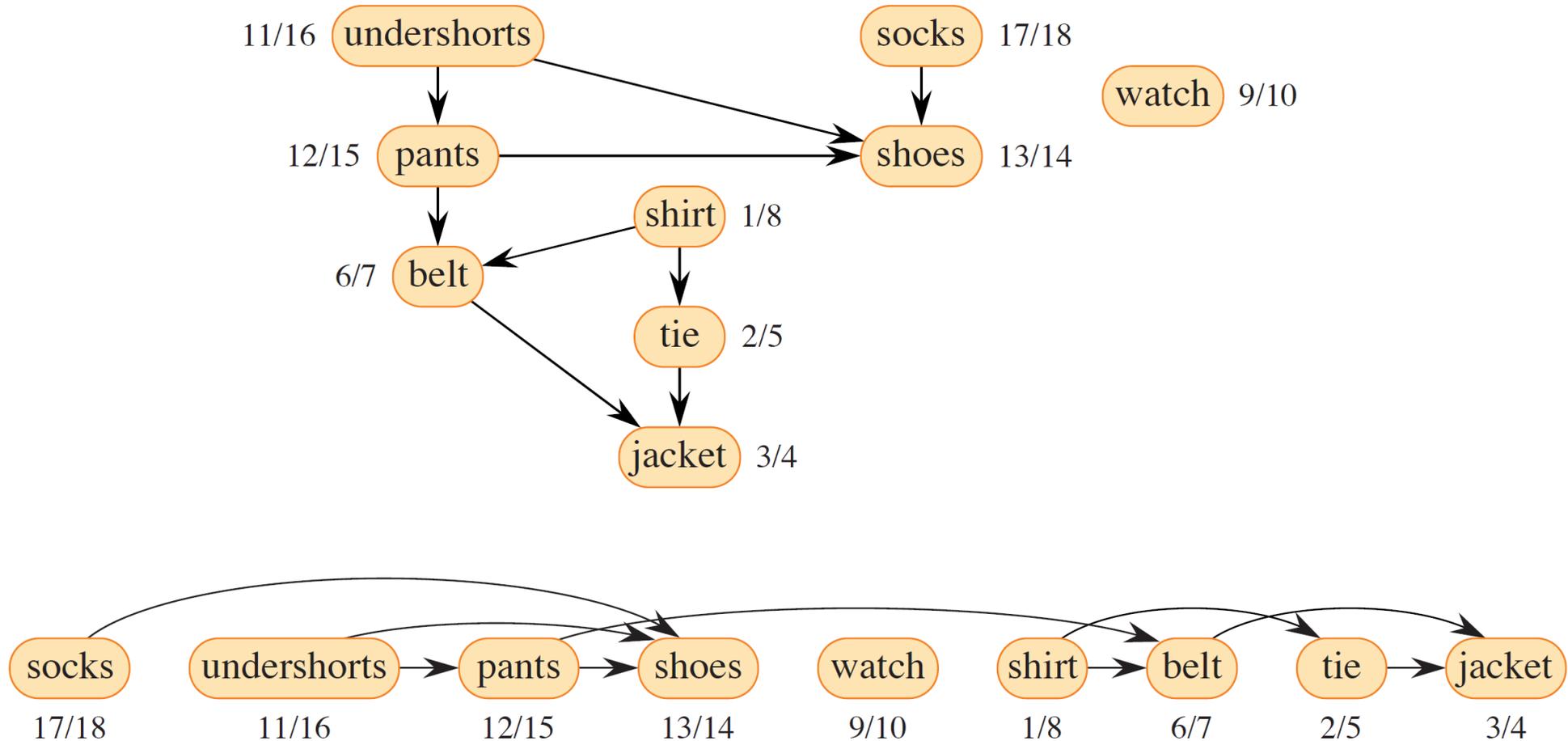
a) Yes

b) No

c) Don't know



# Topological sorting of acyclic graphs



All edges are left-to-right

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1	Initial loan:	10000						
2	Yearly interest rate:	5%						
3	Yearly payment:	800						
4								
5	<b>Payment number</b>	<b>Payment</b>	<b>Interest</b>	<b>Balance</b>				
6				10000				
7		1	800	500	9700			
8		2	800	485	9385			
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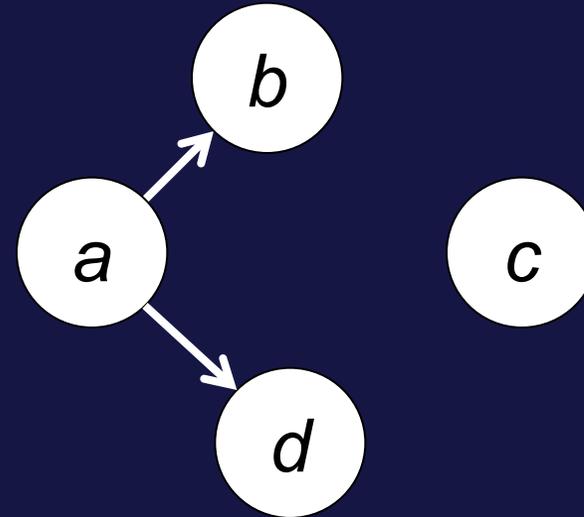
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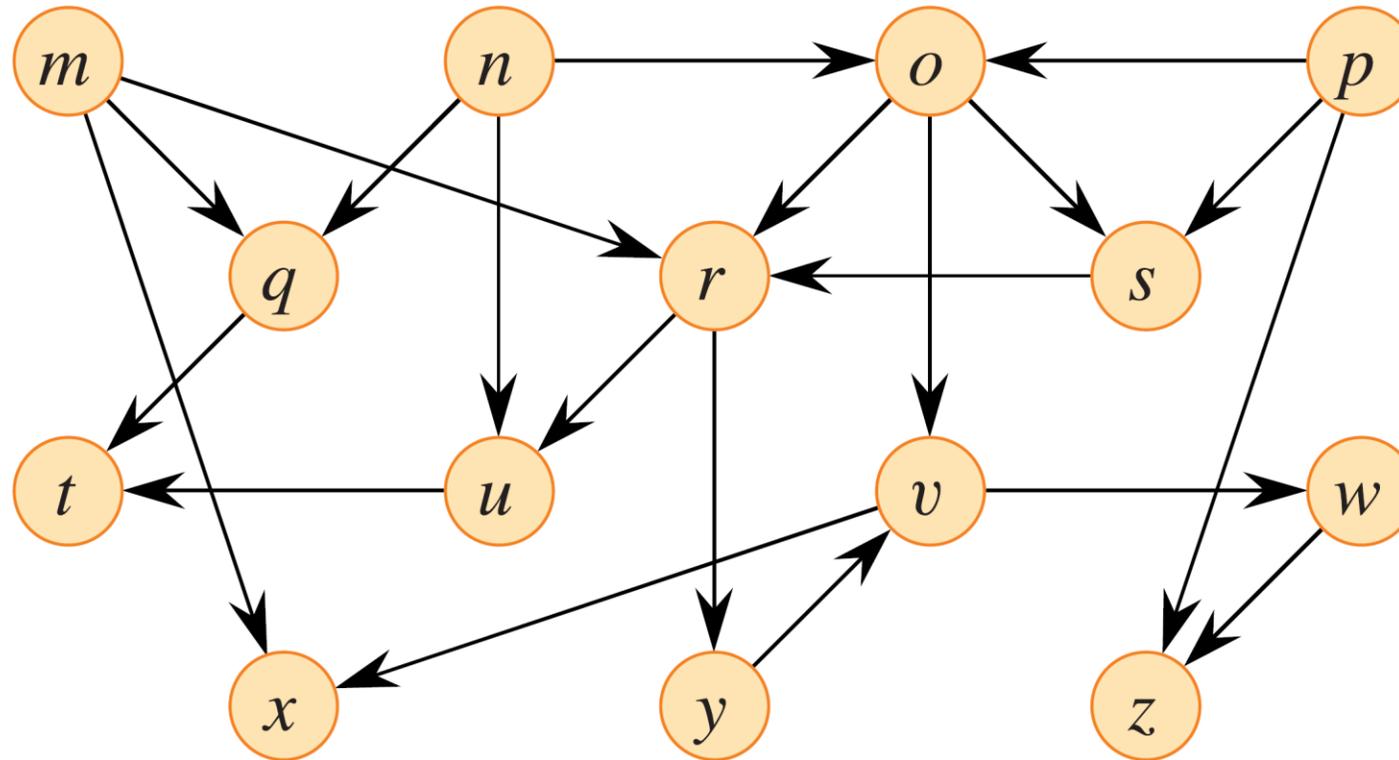
**Topological sorting** = a valid order to compute cells values

# ways to topological sort the graph ?

- a) 1
- b) 2
- c) 3
- d) 4
- e) 5
- f) 6
- g) 7
- h) 8
- i) 9
- j) Don't know



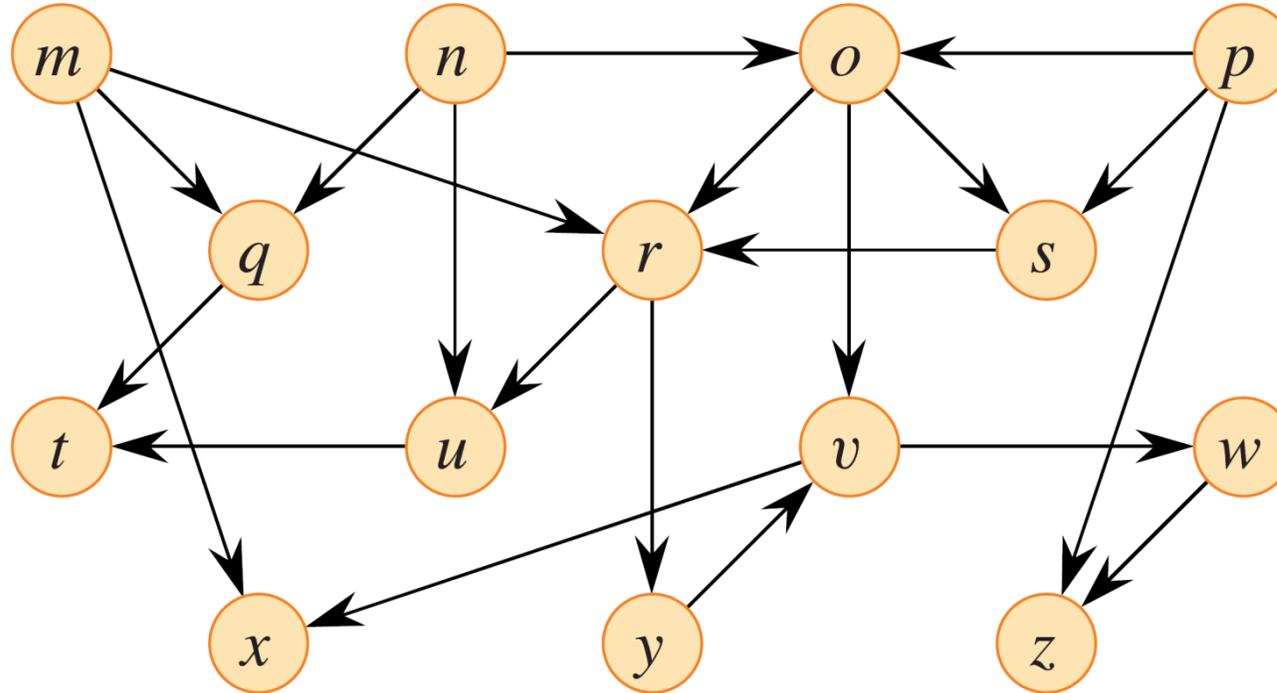
# Topological sorting (I)



**Algorithm** Greedily remove a node of indegree 0 (and its outgoing edges) and add the node last in the topological order

Time  $O(m + n)$

# Topological sorting (II)



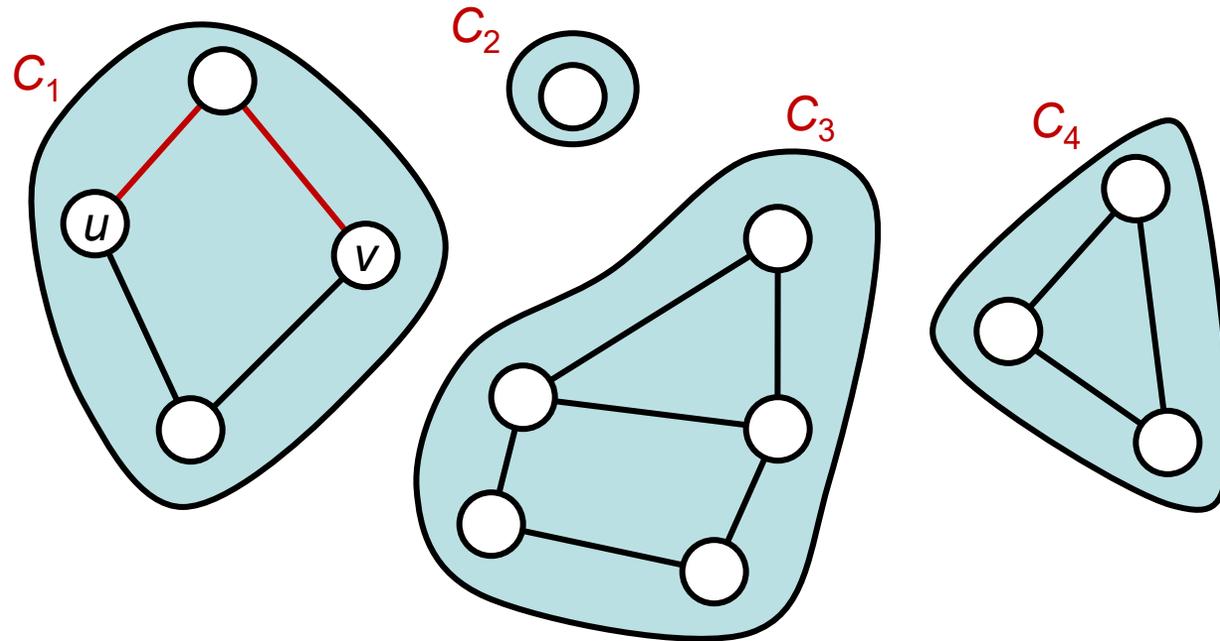
TOPOLOGICAL-SORT( $G$ )

- 1 call DFS( $G$ ) to compute finish times  $v.f$  for each vertex  $v$
- 2 as each vertex is finished, insert it onto the front of a linked list
- 3 **return** the linked list of vertices

Time  $O(m + n)$

# Connected components

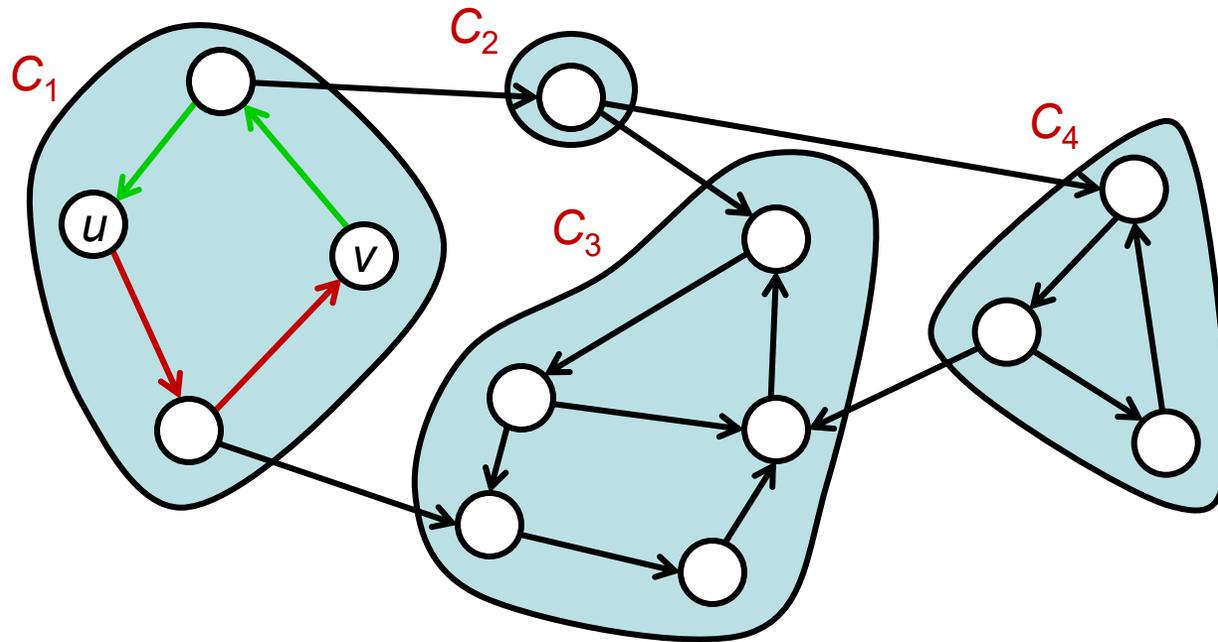
Partitioning of the nodes of an **undirected** graph into **components**  $C_1, \dots, C_k$ , such that  $u$  and  $v$  are in the same component  $\Leftrightarrow$  there is a **path** between  $u$  and  $v$



DFS/BFS time  $O(m + n)$

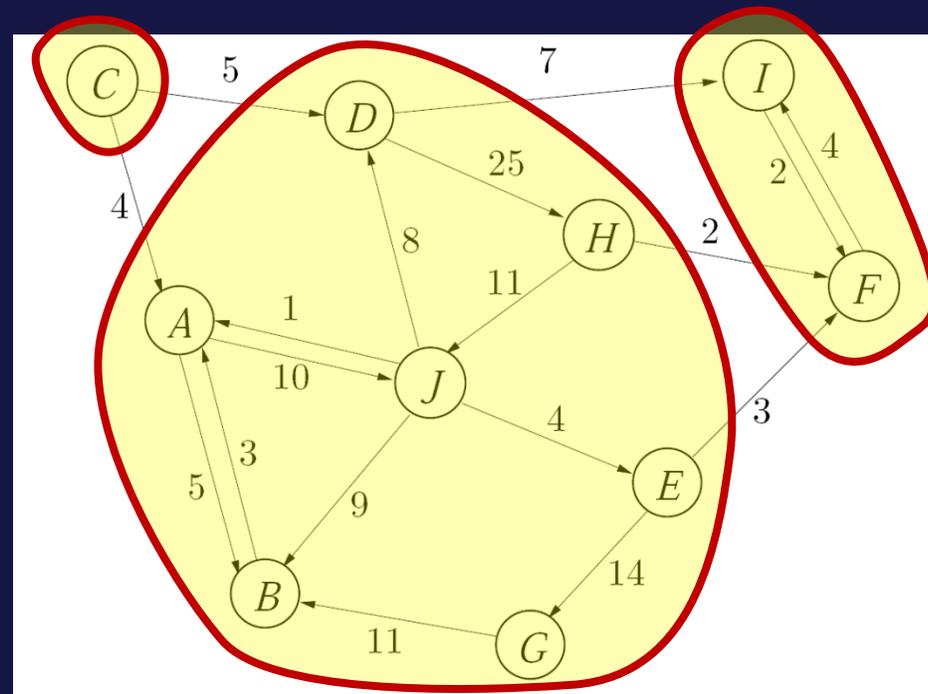
# Strongly connected components

Partitioning of the nodes of a **directed** graph into **components**  $C_1, \dots, C_k$ , such that  $u$  and  $v$  are in the same component  $\Leftrightarrow$  there is a **path from  $u$  to  $v$**  and a **path from  $v$  to  $u$**



# # strongly connected components ?

- a) 1
- b) 2
- c) 3
- d) 4
- e) 5
- f) Don't know



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{A, B, D, E, G, H, J}, {C}, {F, I}

# Strongly connected components

## STRONGLY-CONNECTED-COMPONENTS( $G$ )

- 1 call DFS( $G$ ) to compute finish times  $u.f$  for each vertex  $u$
- 2 create  $G^T$
- 3 call DFS( $G^T$ ), but in the main loop of DFS, consider the vertices in order of decreasing  $u.f$  (as computed in line 1)
- 4 output the vertices of each tree in the depth-first forest formed in line 3 as a separate strongly connected component

DFS( $G$ )

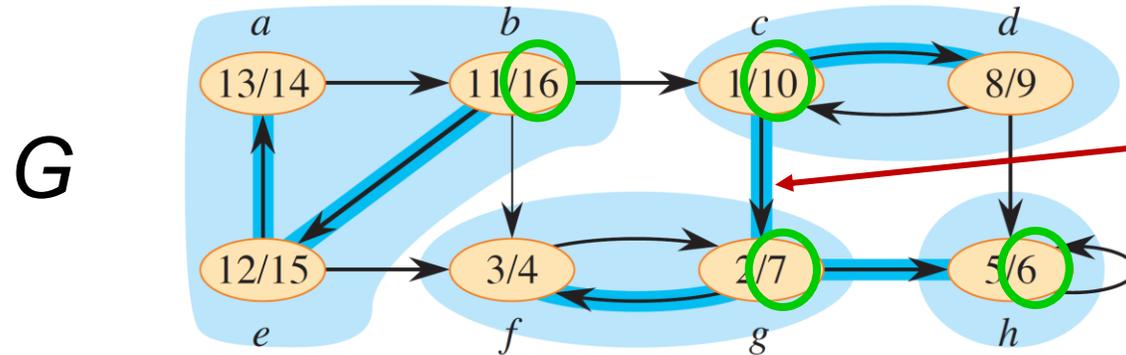
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1 for each vertex  $u \in G.V$ 
2    $u.color = WHITE$ 
3    $u.\pi = NIL$ 
4  $time = 0$ 
5 for each vertex  $u \in G.V$ 
6   if  $u.color == WHITE$ 
7     DFS-VISIT( $G, u$ )
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DFS-VISIT( $G, u$ )

```
1  $time = time + 1$ 
2  $u.d = time$ 
3  $u.color = GRAY$ 
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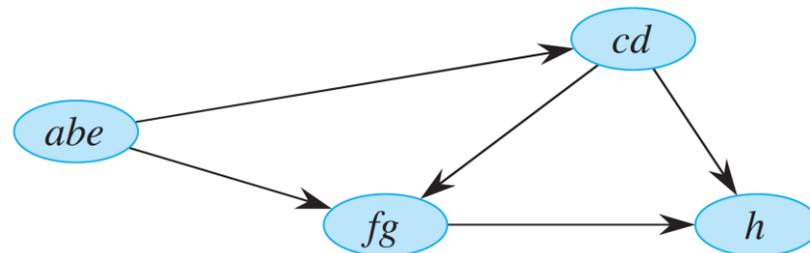
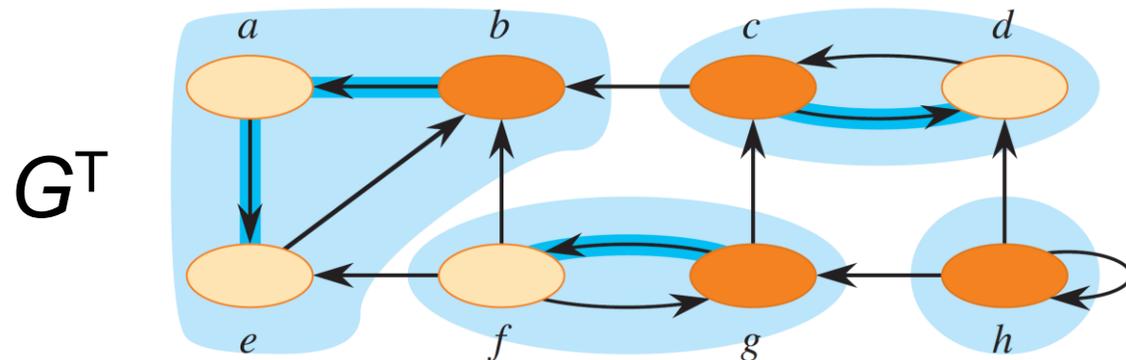
Time  $O(m + n)$

# Strongly connected components



DFS tree edges between two strongly connected components

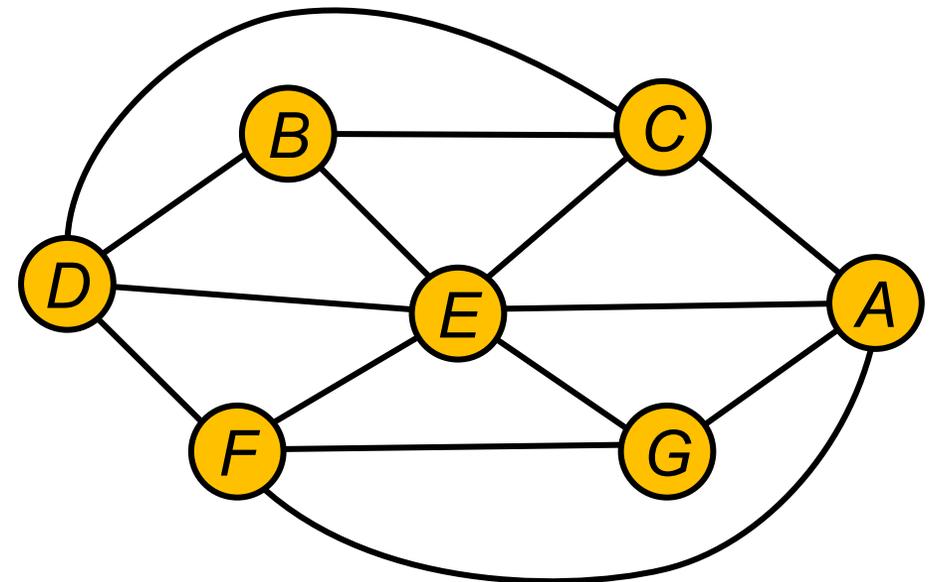
The largest finishing times in each component form a (reversed) topological sorting of the components

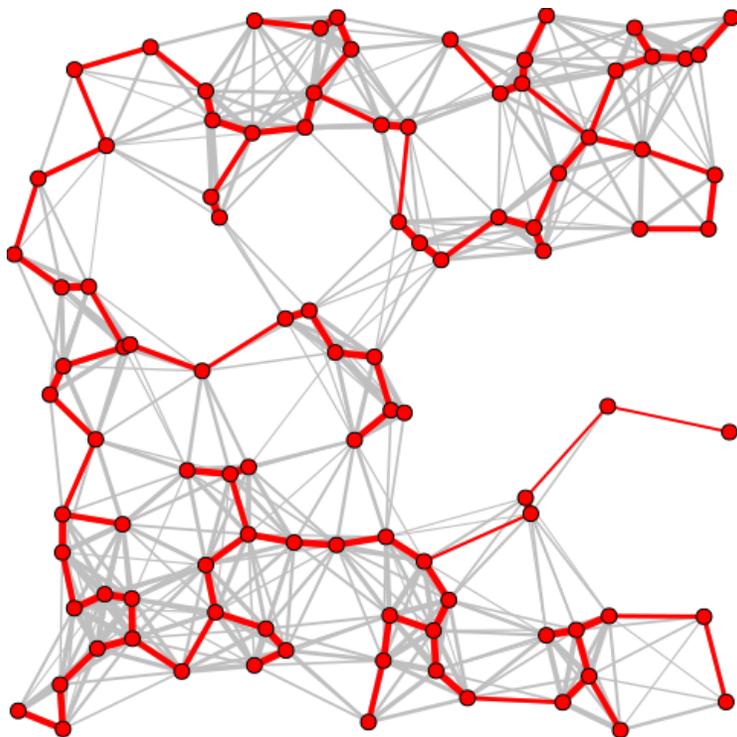


# Planarity testing

- Decide if an undirected graph is planar, i.e., can be drawn in the plane without crossing edges
- Can be solved using DFS (nontrivial)

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# Algorithms and Data Structures

Minimum spanning trees (MST)  
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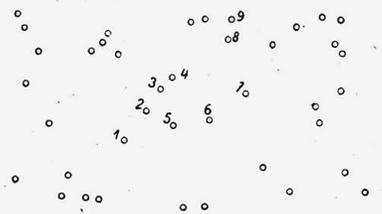
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# Příspěvek k řešení otázky ekonomické stavby elektrovedných sítí.

Ve své práci „O jistém problému minimum“\*) odvodil jsem obecnou větu, již jest ve zvláštním případě řešena tato úloha:  
V rovině (v prostoru) jest dáno n bodů, jejichž vzájemné vzdálenosti jsou ve směr různé. Jest je spojití sítí tak, aby:

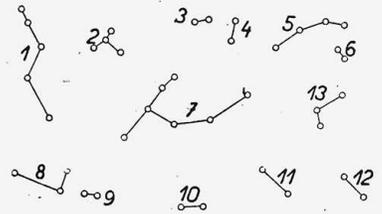
příkladem vyložím. Čtenáře, jenž by se o věc blíže zajímal, odkazuji na citované pojednání.  
Řešení úlohy provedu v případě 40 bodů daných v obr. 1.  
Každý z daných bodů spojím s bodem nejbližším. Tedy na př. bod 1 s bodem 2, bod 2 s bodem 3, bod 3



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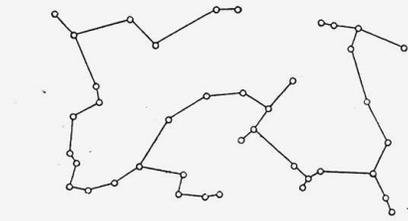
1. každé dva body byly spojeny buď přímo anebo prostřednictvím jiných,
2. celková délka sítě byla co nejmenší.

s bodem 4 (bod 4 s bodem 3), bod 5 s bodem 2, bod 6 s bodem 5, bod 7 s bodem 6, bod 8 s bodem 9, (bod 9 s bodem 8) atd. Obdržím řadu polygonálních tahů 1, 2, ..., 13 (obr. 2).  
Každý z nich spojím nejkratším způsobem s tahem nejbližším. Tedy na př. 1 s tahem 2, (tah 2 s ta-



Obr. 2.

Jest zřejmé, že řešení této úlohy může mít v elektrotechnické praxi při návrzích plánů elektrovedných sítí jistou důležitost; z toho důvodu je zde stručně na



Obr. 4.

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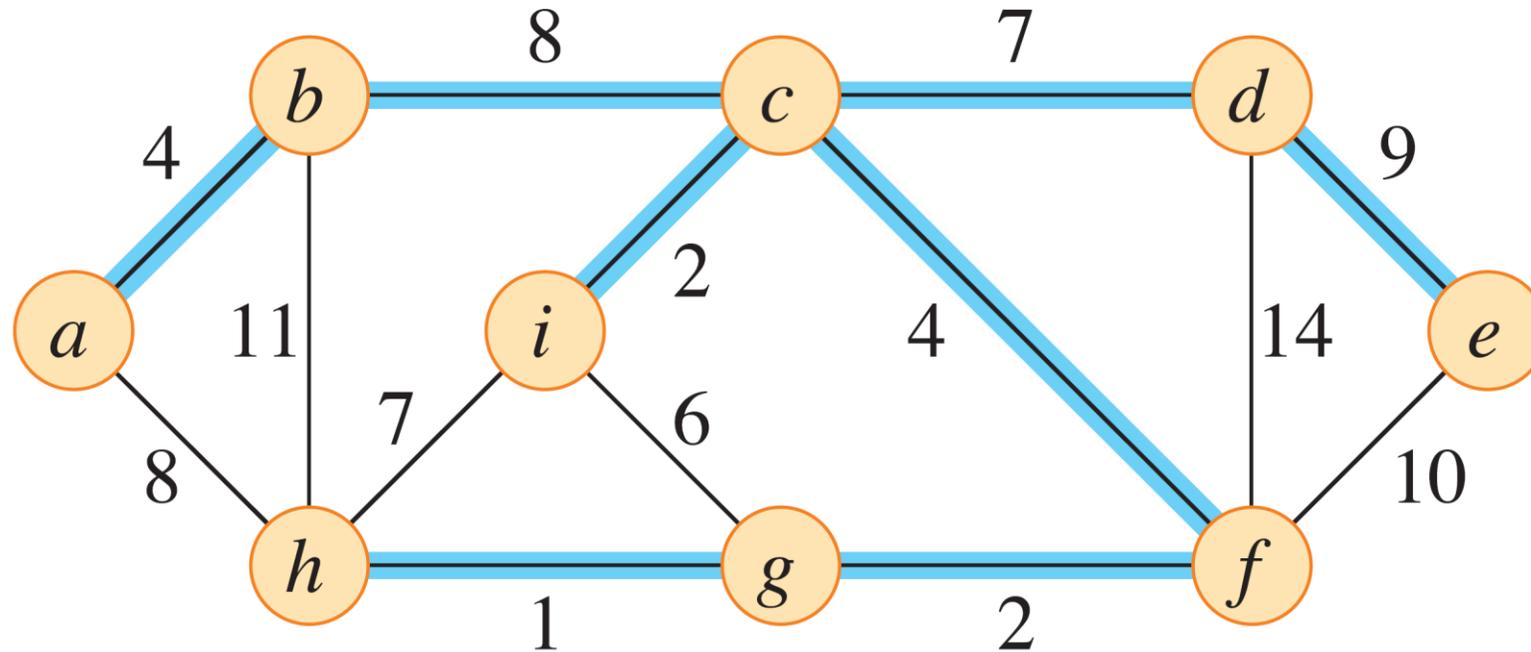
hem 1), tah 3 s tahem 4, (tah 4 s tahem 3) atd. Obdržím řadu polygonálních tahů 1, 2, ..., 4 (obr. 3).  
Každý z nich spojím nejkratším způsobem s tahem nejbližším. Tedy tah 1 s tahem 3, tah 2 s tahem 3 (tah 3 s tahem 1), tah 4 s tahem 1. Obdržím konečně jediný polygonální tah (obr. 4), jenž řeší danou úlohu.

\*) Vyjde v nejbližší době v Pracích Moravské přírodovědecké společnosti.

Otakar Borůvka, *Příspěvek k řešení otázky ekonomické stavby elektrovedných sítí (Contribution to the solution of a problem of economical construction of electrical networks)*, Elektronický Obzor, 15:153–154, 1926

Jaroslav Nešetřil, Eva Milková, Helena Nešetřilová, *Otakar Borůvka on minimum spanning tree problem Translation of both the 1926 papers, comments, history*, Discrete Mathematics, 2001, doi: [10.1016/S0012-365X\(00\)00224-7](https://doi.org/10.1016/S0012-365X(00)00224-7)

# Minimum spanning tree (MST)

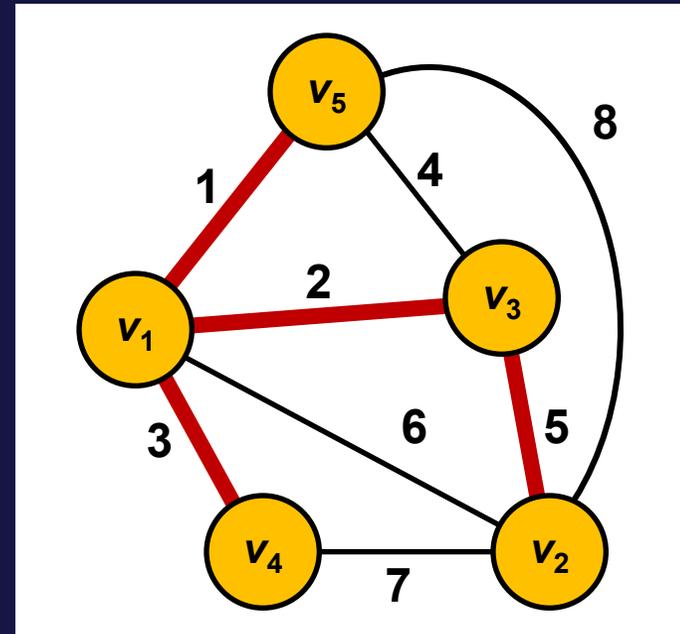


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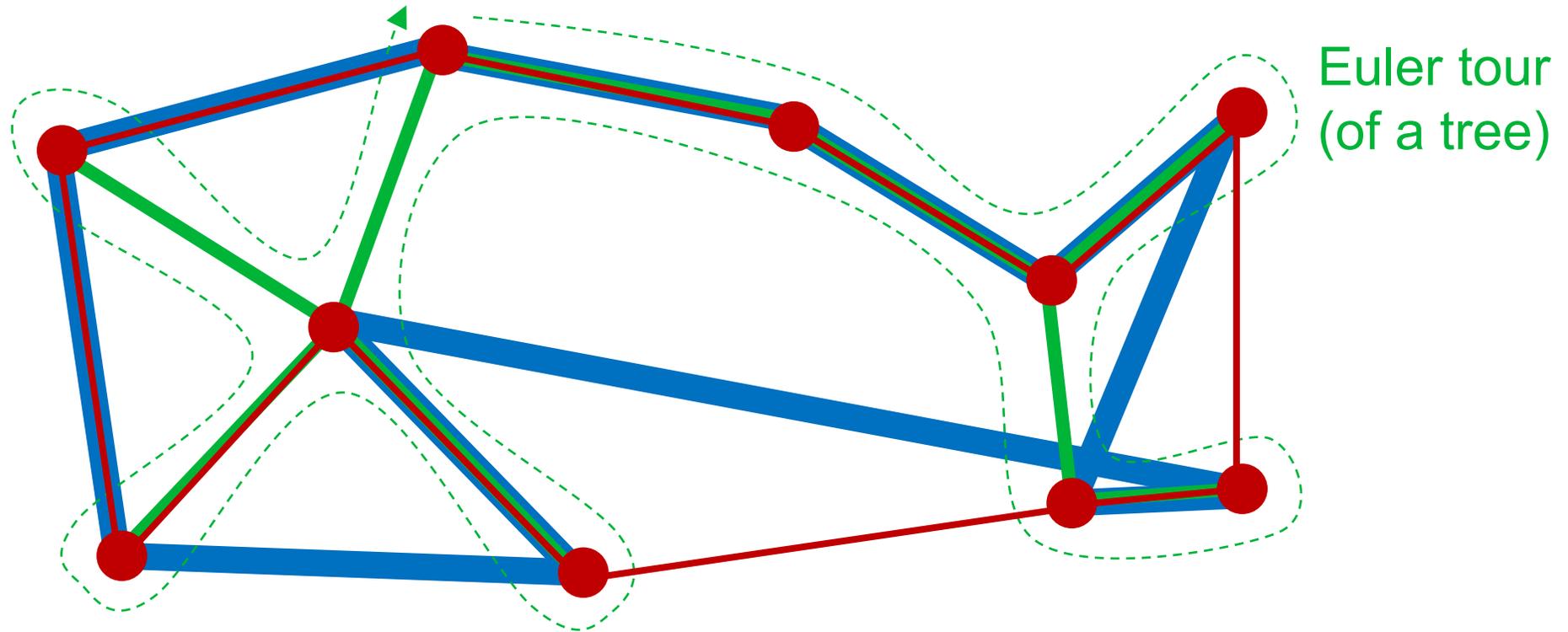
Find a **spanning tree** for a **connected undirected weighted graph** such that the **sum of the trees edge weights is smallest possible**

# Weight of a minimum spanning tree?

- a) 10
- b) 11
- c) 12
- d) 13
- e) 14
- f) 15
- g) 16
- h) Don't know



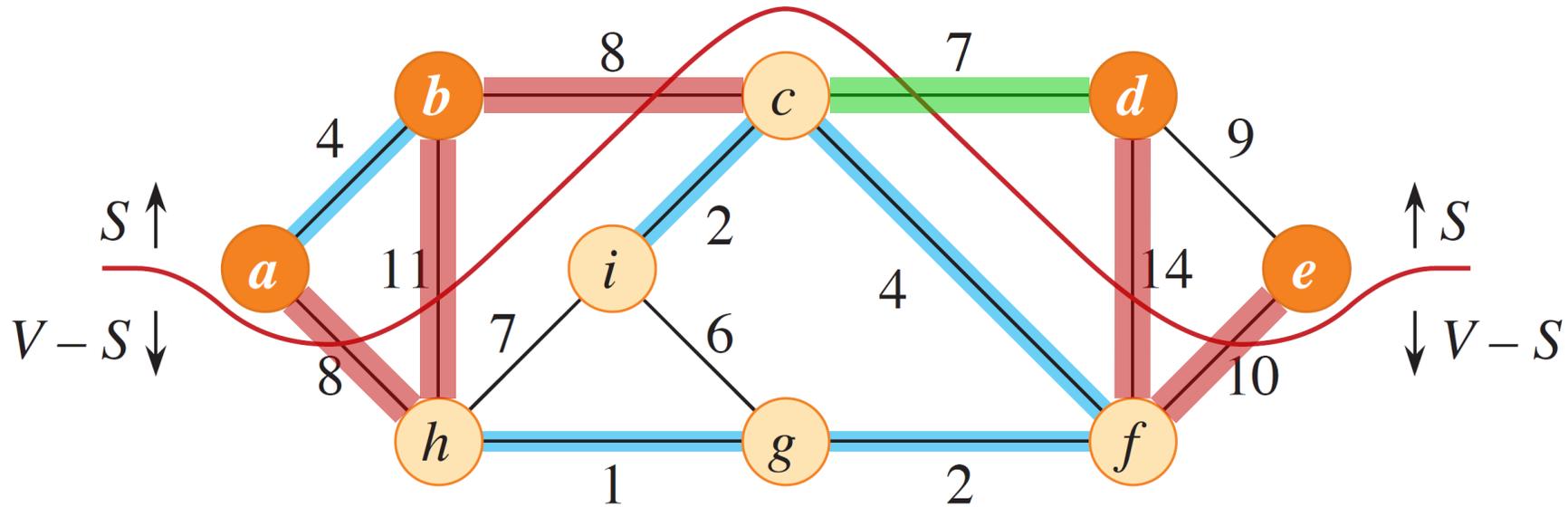
# MST application – Euclidian shortest Hamiltonian cycle



**Theorem** : **Tour** found using an **MST** is a 2-approximation to the **shortest cycle**

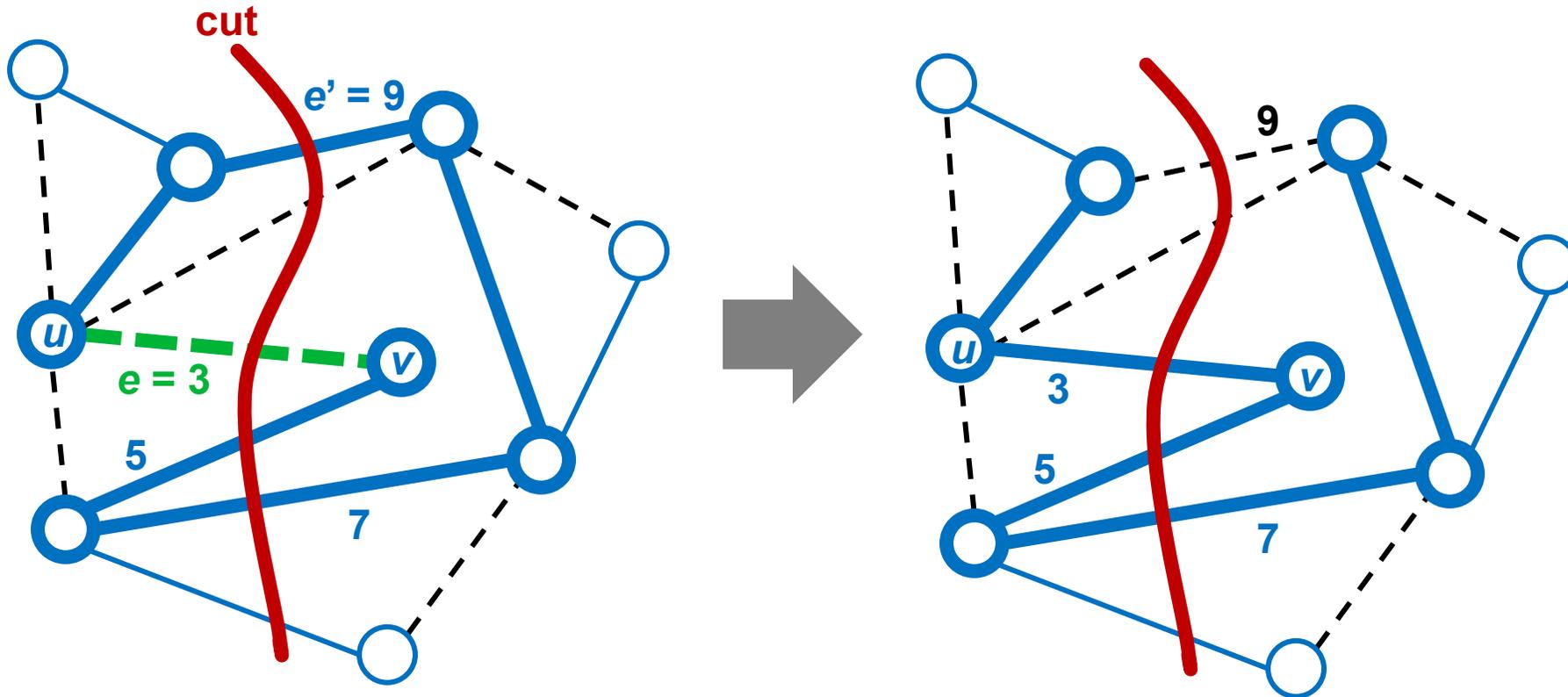
$$( |\mathbf{Tour}| \leq 2 \cdot |\mathbf{MST}| \quad \text{and} \quad |\mathbf{MST}| \leq |\mathbf{shortest cycle}| )$$

# Minimum spanning tree – cut



## Theorem

If all weights are distinct, then for every  $\text{cut}(S, V-S)$  the **lightest edge** crossing the cut is part of a minimum spanning tree



Assume for the sake of contradiction we have an **MST** and **cut** where the **lightest edge**  $e$  is not part of the **MST**

New spanning tree with smaller weight ⚡

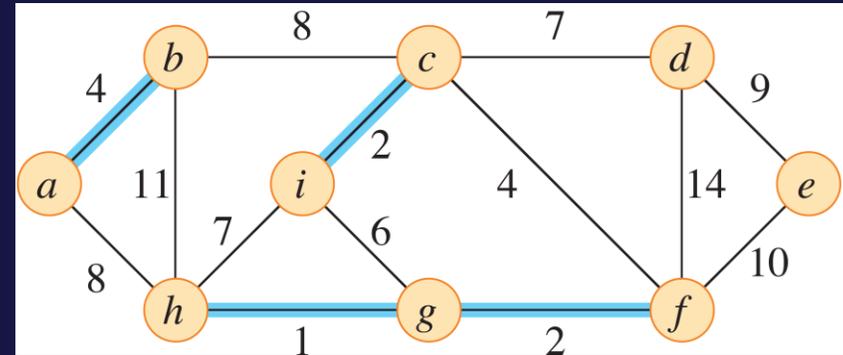
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Can you always apply the cut theorem if you only have found a subset of the edges of an MST for a connected graph ?



- a) Yes
- b) No
- c) Don't know

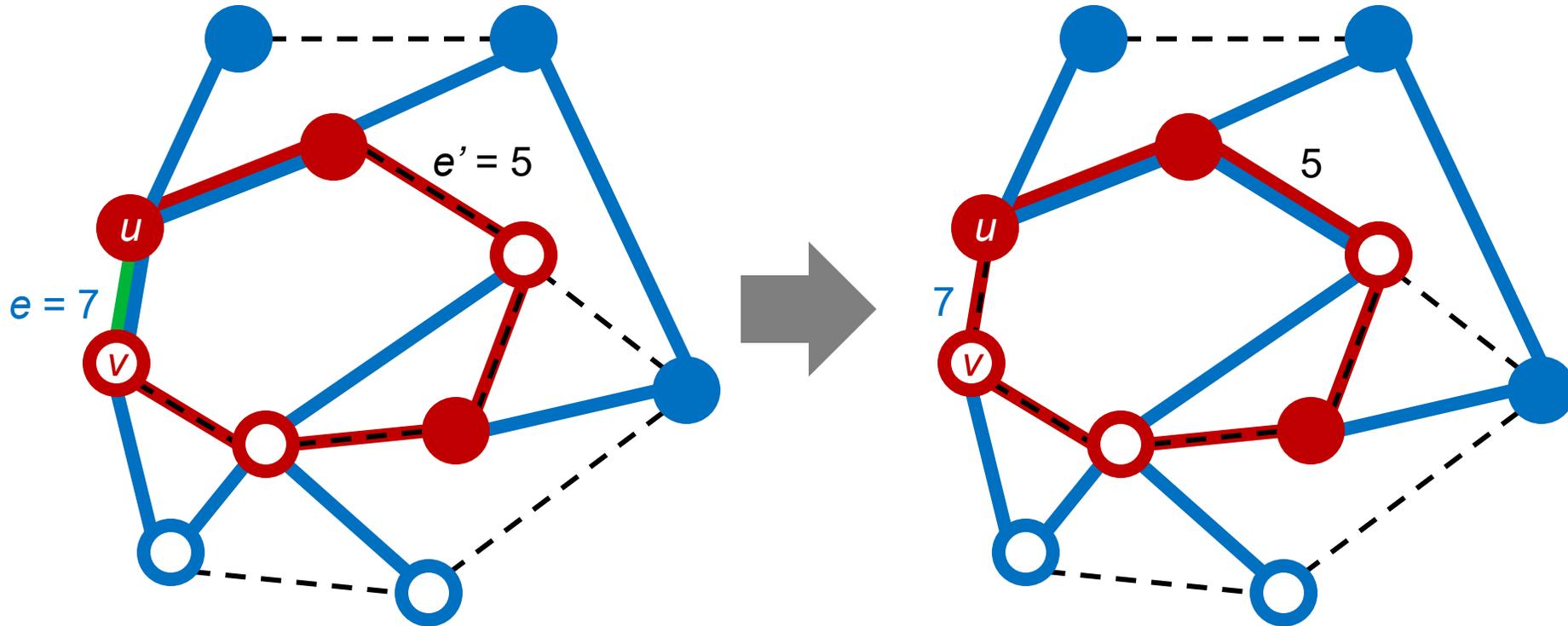


### Theorem

If all weights are distinct, then for every **cut(S, V-S)** the **lightest edge** crossing the cut is part of a minimum spanning tree

## Theorem

If all weights are distinct, the **heaviest edge** on a **cycle** is not in a minimum spanning tree



Assume for the sake of contradiction we have an MST and a cycle where the heaviest edge  $e$  is part of the MST

New spanning tree with smaller weight



# Minimum spanning tree – generic greedy algorithm

GENERIC-MST( $G, w$ )

```
1   $A = \emptyset$ 
2  while  $A$  does not form a spanning tree
3      find an edge  $(u, v)$  that is safe for  $A$ 
4       $A = A \cup \{(u, v)\}$ 
5  return  $A$ 
```



A lightest edge over a cut  
including edges from  $A$

# Kruskal's algorithm

MST-KRUSKAL( $G, w$ )

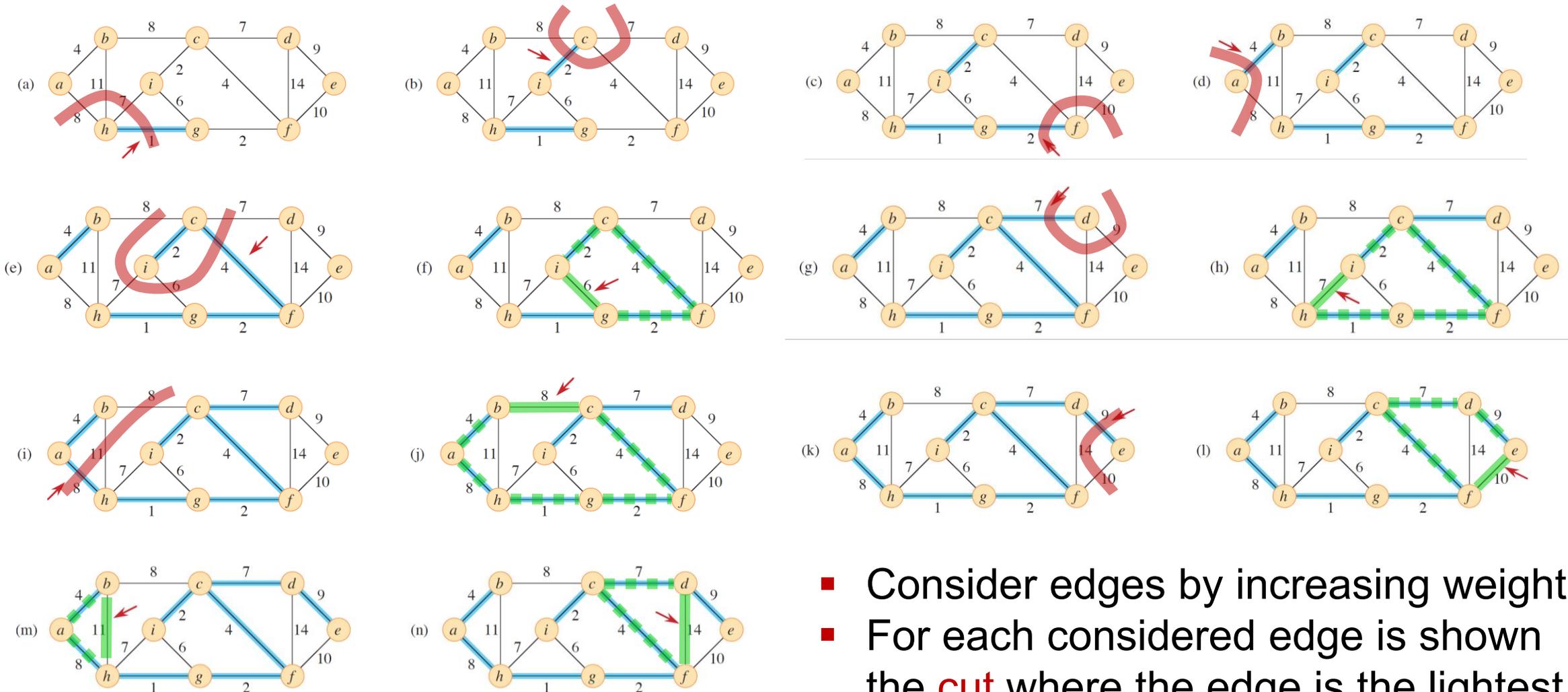
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1   $A = \emptyset$ 
2  for each vertex  $v \in G.V$ 
3      MAKE-SET( $v$ )
4  create a single list of the edges in  $G.E$ 
5  sort the list of edges into monotonically increasing order by weight
6  for each edge  $(u, v)$  taken from the sorted list in order
7      if FIND-SET( $u$ )  $\neq$  FIND-SET( $v$ )
8           $A = A \cup \{(u, v)\}$ 
9          UNION( $u, v$ )
10 return  $A$ 
```

bottleneck

union-find data  
structure

Time  $O(m \cdot \log n)$

# Kruskal's algorithm – example

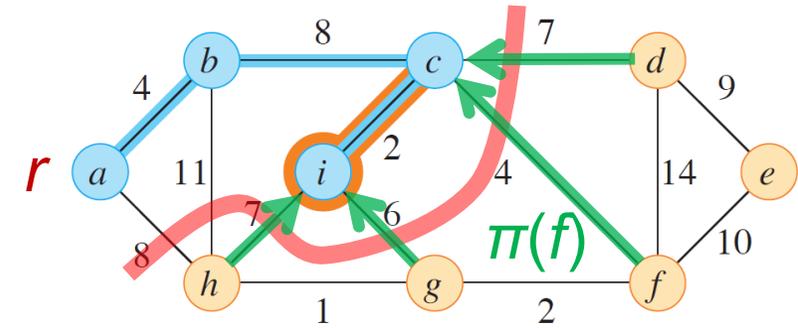


- Consider edges by increasing weight
- For each considered edge is shown the **cut** where the edge is the lightest or the **cycle** where the edge is the heaviest

# Prim's algorithm (a.k.a. Prim-Jarník's algorithm)

MST-PRIM( $G, w, r$ )

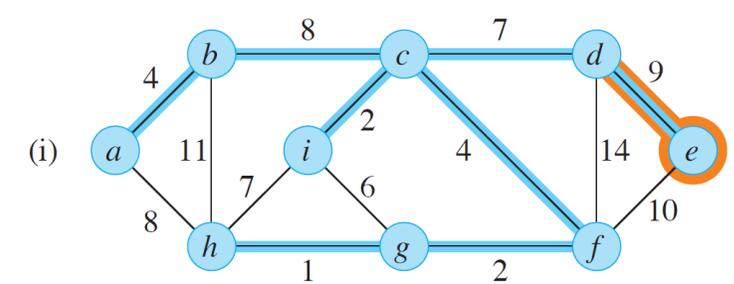
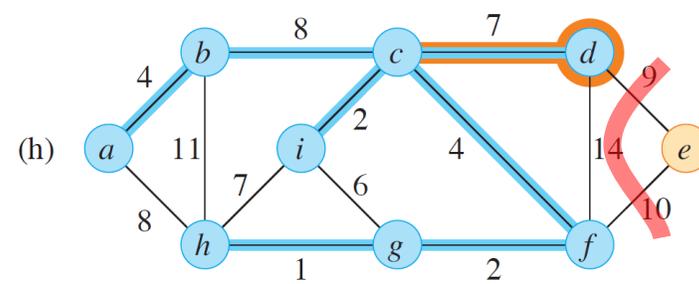
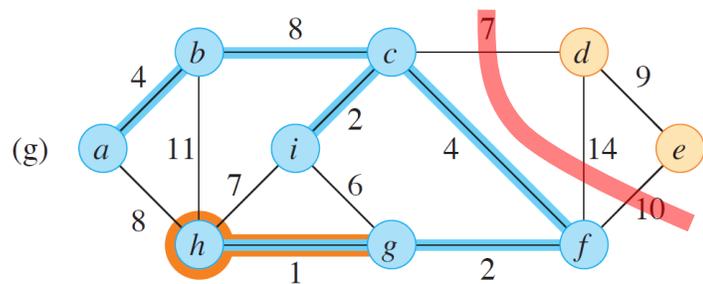
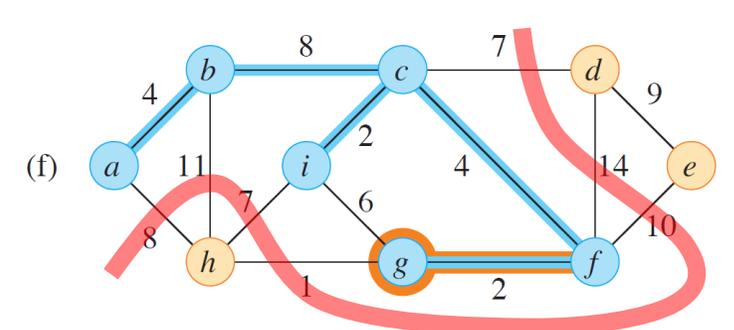
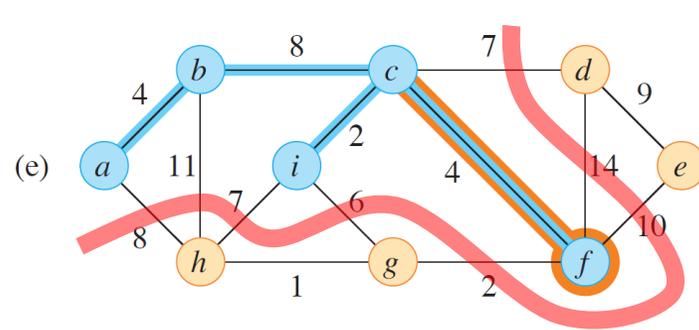
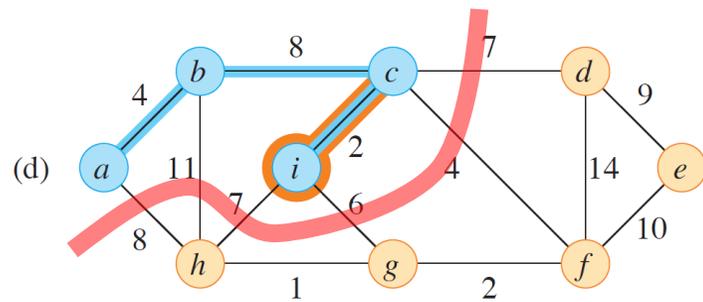
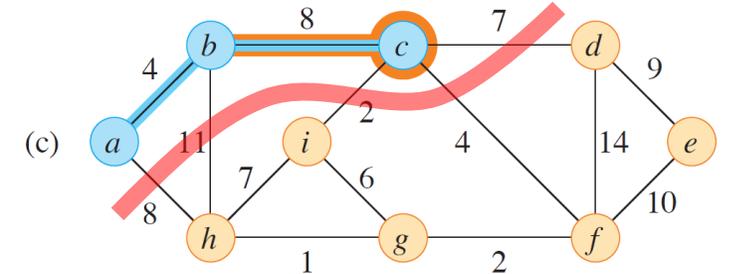
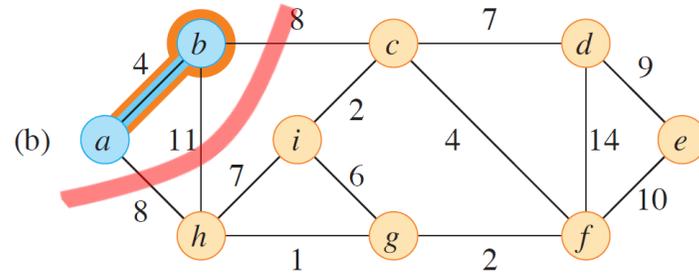
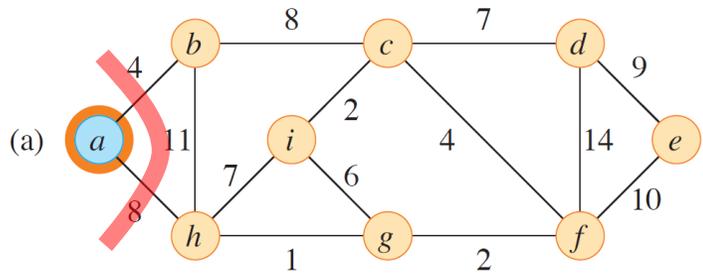
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1  for each vertex  $u \in G.V$ 
2     $u.key = \infty$ 
3     $u.\pi = \text{NIL}$ 
4   $r.key = 0$ 
5   $Q = \emptyset$ 
6  for each vertex  $u \in G.V$ 
7    INSERT( $Q, u$ )  $\times n$ 
8  while  $Q \neq \emptyset$ 
9     $u = \text{EXTRACT-MIN}(Q)$   $\times n$ 
10   for each vertex  $v$  in  $G.Adj[u]$ 
11     if  $v \in Q$  and  $w(u, v) < v.key$ 
12        $v.\pi = u$ 
13        $v.key = w(u, v)$ 
14     DECREASE-KEY( $Q, v, w(u, v)$ )  $\times m$ 
```



bottleneck – priority queue

Time  $O(m \cdot \log n)$

# Prim's algorithm – example



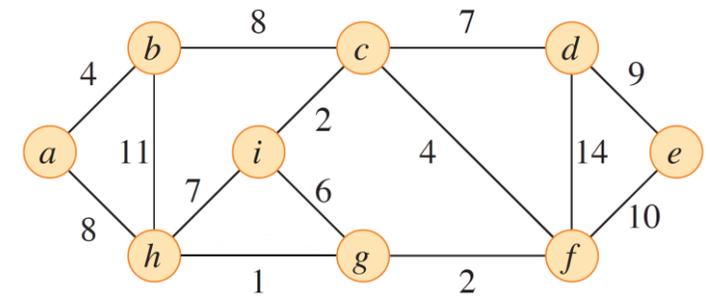
# Borůvka's algorithm

MST-BORUVKA( $G, w$ )

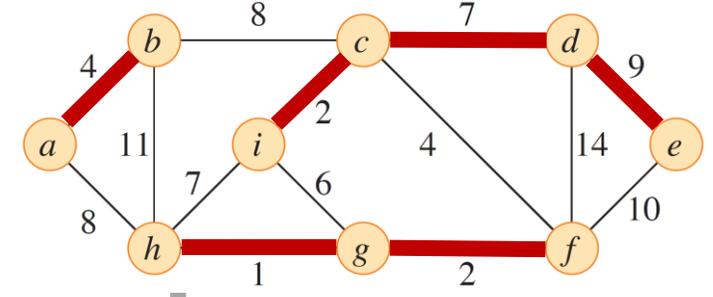
```
1   $A = \emptyset$ 
2  for each vertex  $v \in G.V$ 
3    MAKE-SET( $v$ )
3  while  $|A| < n - 1$ 
4     $B = \emptyset$ 
5    for each set  $S$ 
6      let  $(u, v)$  be lightest edge incident to  $S$ , i.e.  $u \in S$  and  $v \notin S$ 
7      if such  $(u, v)$  exists
8         $B = B \cup \{(u, v)\}$ 
8    for each edge  $(u, v) \in B$ 
9      if FIND-SET( $u$ )  $\neq$  FIND-SET( $v$ )
10      $A = A \cup \{(u, v)\}$ 
11     UNION( $u, v$ )
12 return  $A$ 
```

After  $i$  **while** iterations  
each set size  $\geq 2^i$  (or spanning)

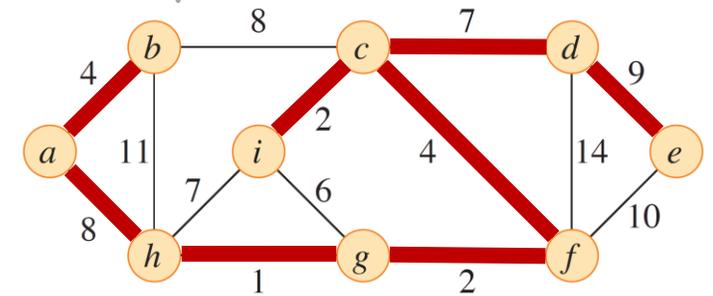
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each node selects  
lightest incident edge



each tree selects  
lightest incident edge



Time  $O(m \cdot \log n)$

# Exam August 2005, Exercise 3(c)

## Question 3(c)

Describe an algorithm, that given a weighted graph  $G$  and an edge  $e$  decides if  $e$  is contained in a minimum spanning tree for  $G$ .

It assumed that all edge weights are distinct. The running time must be  $O(m)$ , where  $m$  is the number of edges in the graph.

# Minimum spanning trees

Kruskal (1956) (many trees, sort edges increasing weight, union-find)	$O(m \cdot \log n)$
Prim-Jarník (1930) (one tree, priority queue with neighbor nodes)	$O(m \cdot \log n)$
	$O(m + n \cdot \log n)$ (Fibonacci heaps [CLRS, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Ed. Chapter 19] (1984))
Borůvka (1926) (many trees, contraction of trees)	$O(m \cdot \log n)$
Fredman, Tarjan (1984) (Borůvka (1926) + Fibonacci heaps)	$O(m \cdot \log^* n)$
Chazelle (1997)	$O(m \cdot \alpha(m, n))$
Pettie, Ramachandran (2000)	? (optimal deterministic comparison based)
Karger, Klein, Tarjan (1995) (Randomized) Fredman, Willard (1994) (RAM)	$O(m)$

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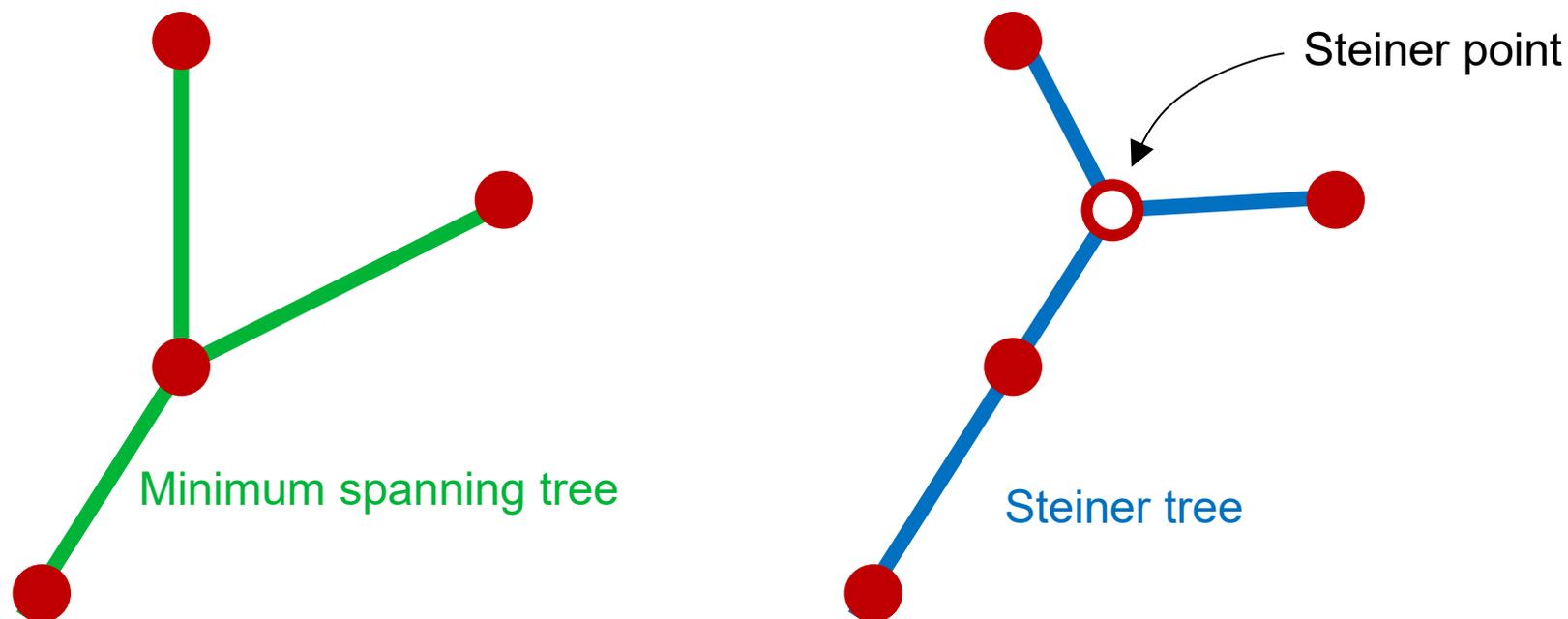
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# Euclidian Steiner trees

Given a set of points, find a tree with minimum weight connecting all points, possibly adding **new points**



**Conjecture (Steiner Ratio):**  $|MST| \leq \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \cdot |\text{Steiner Tree}|$   
NP hard; polynomial-time approximation scheme (PTAS)

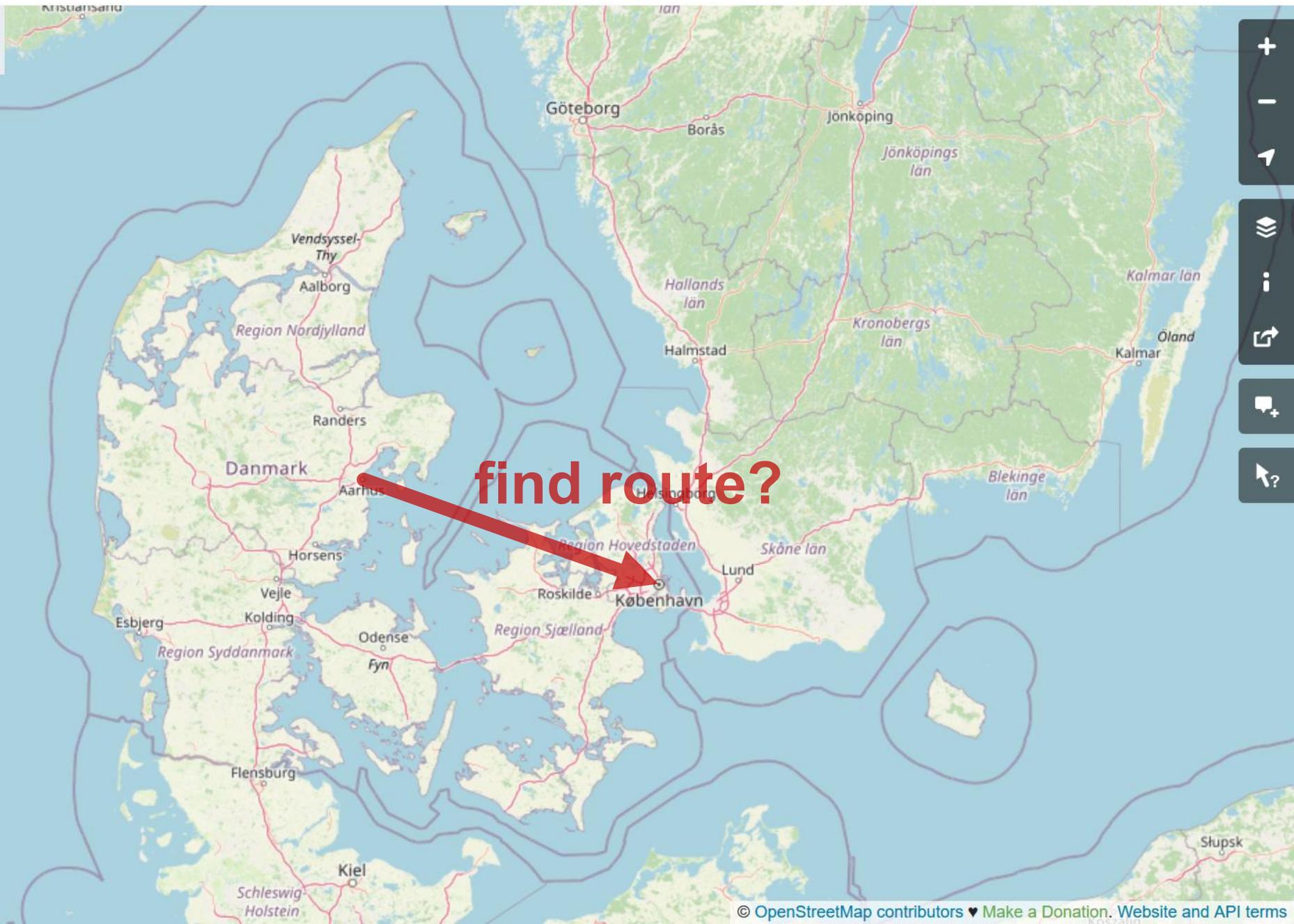
# **Algorithms and Data Structures**

Single source shortest paths (SSSP)  
[CLRS, Chapter 22]



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Where is this?



# OpenStreetMap

Street network of Denmark

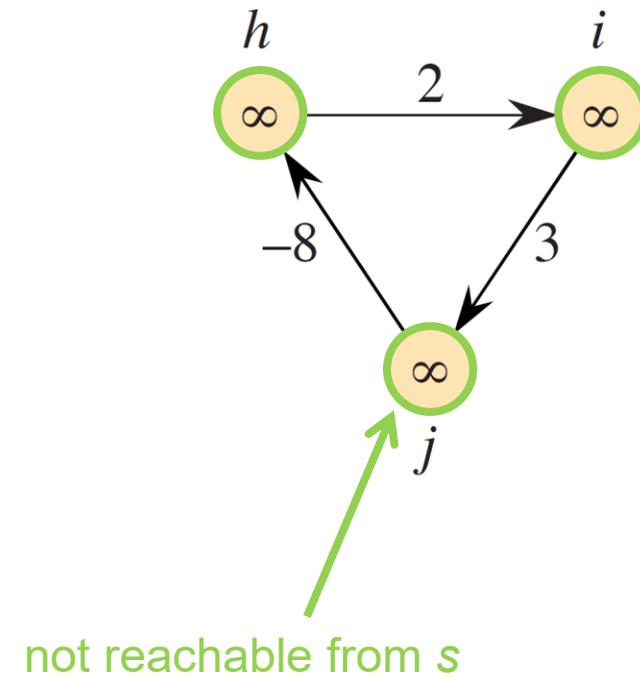
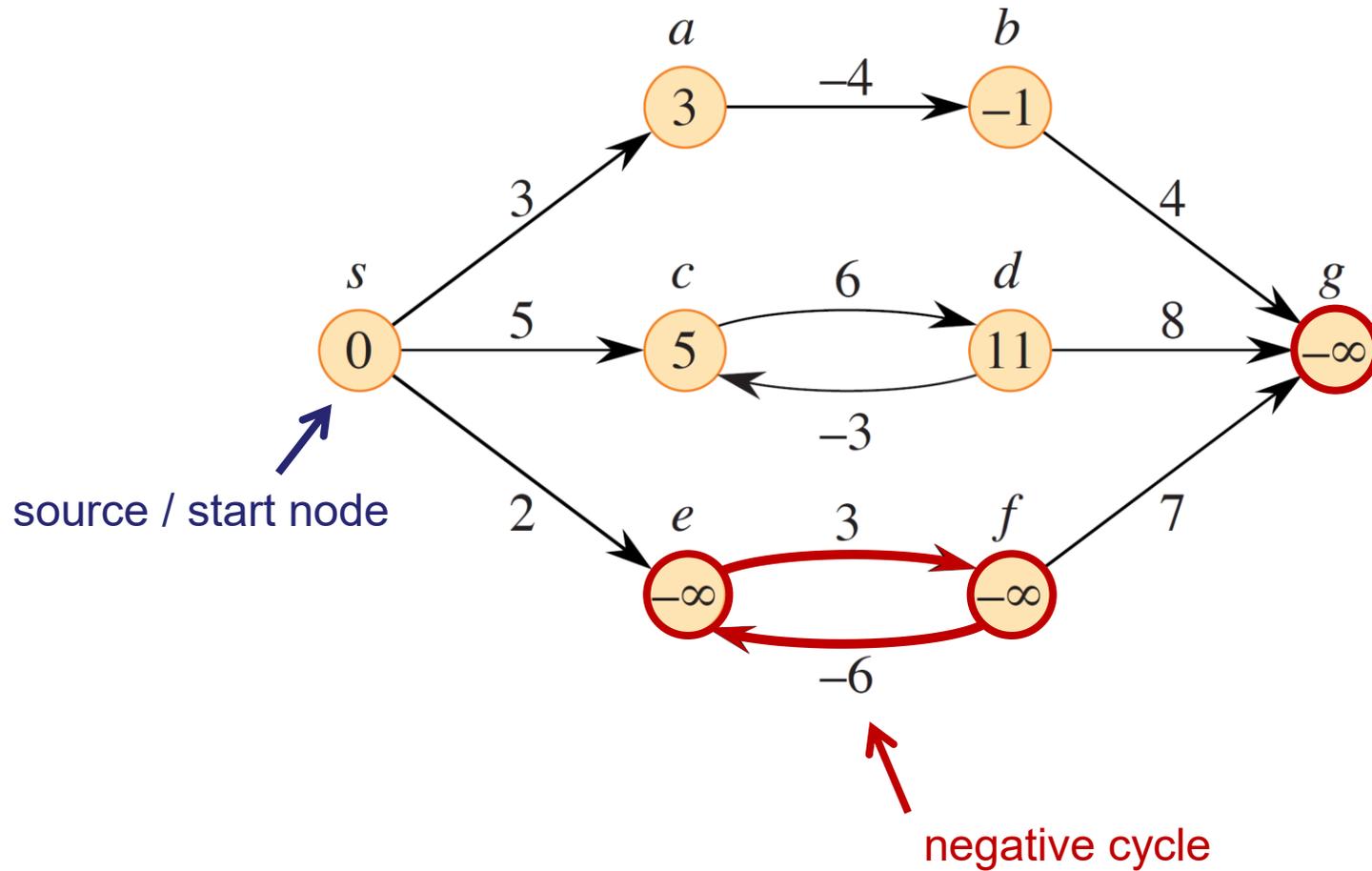
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≈ 4 M edges

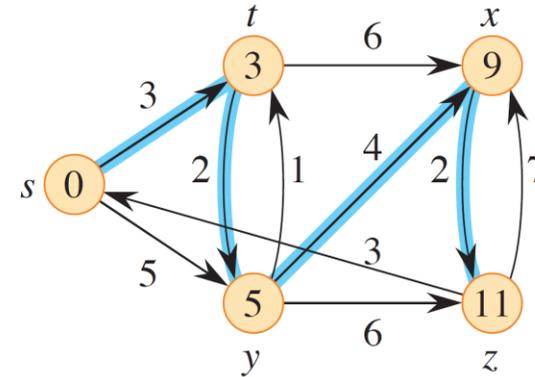
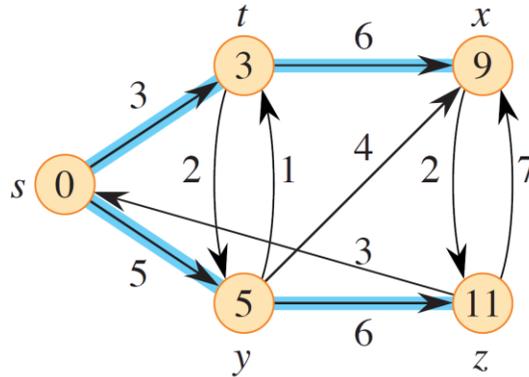
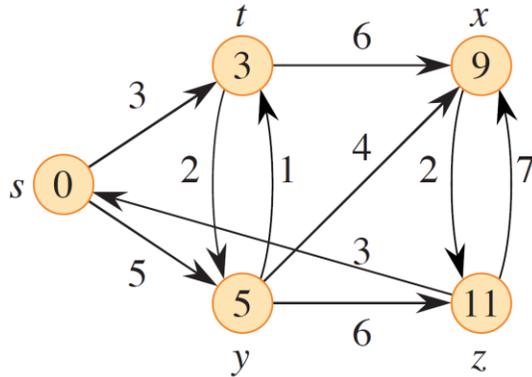
50 km

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# Shortest paths from $s$



# Shortest path trees

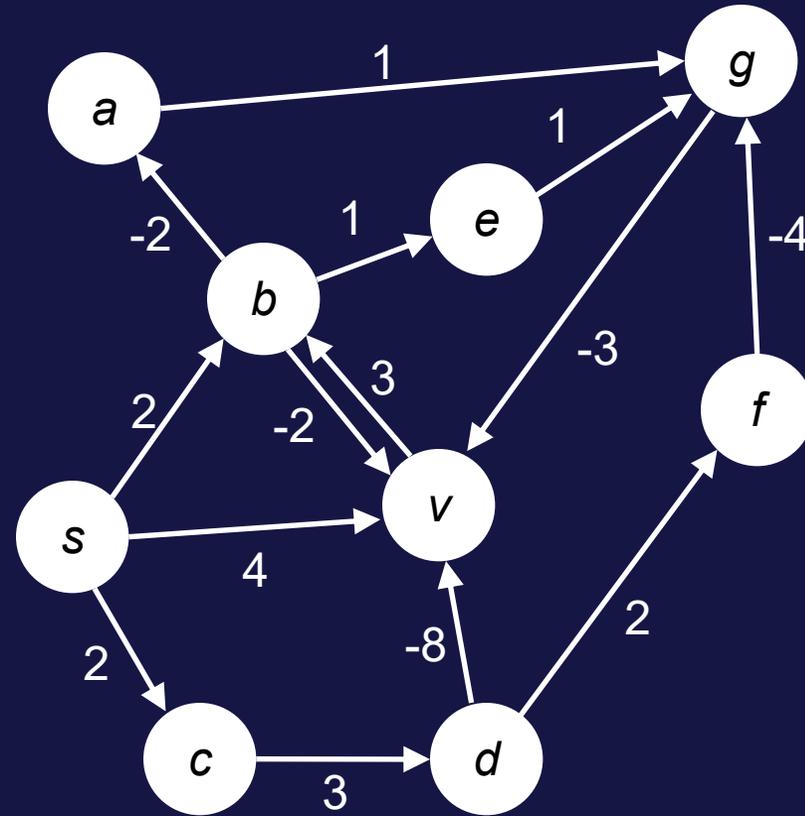


two different shortest path trees  
representing paths from  $s$  of equal length

# Length of a shortest path from $s$ to $v$ ?



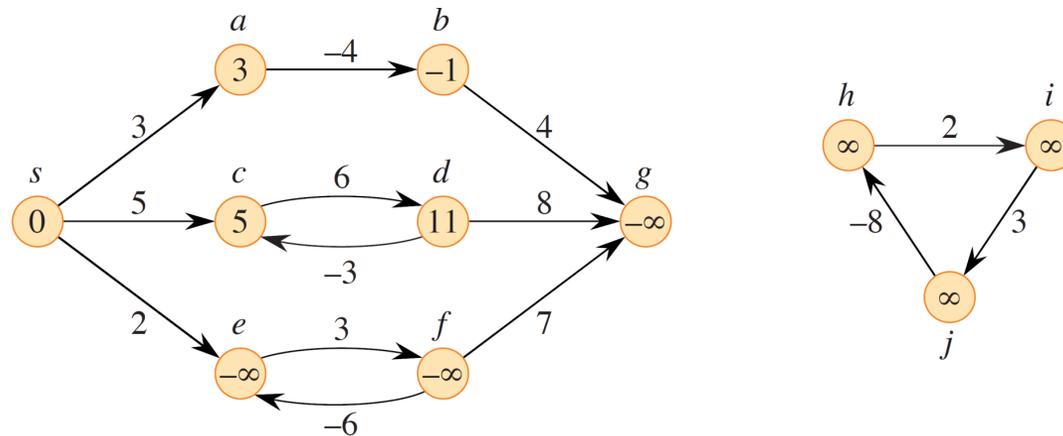
- a)  $-\infty$
- b)  $-3$
- c)  $-1$
- d)  $0$
- e)  $4$
- f)  $+\infty$
- g) Don't know



# Shortest path estimates – initialization

INITIALIZE-SINGLE-SOURCE( $G, s$ )

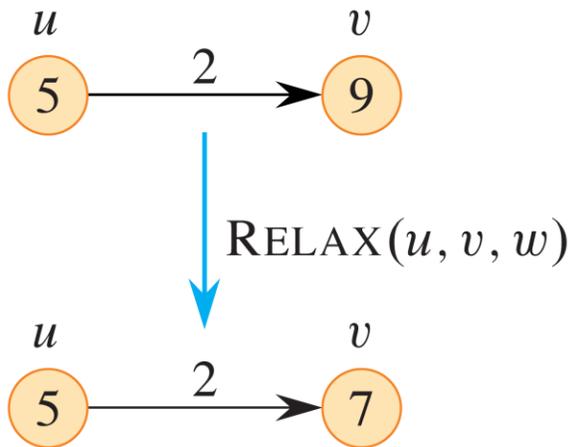
- 1 **for** each vertex  $v \in G.V$
- 2      $v.d = \infty$
- 3      $v.\pi = \text{NIL}$
- 4  $s.d = 0$  ← parent in shortest path tree



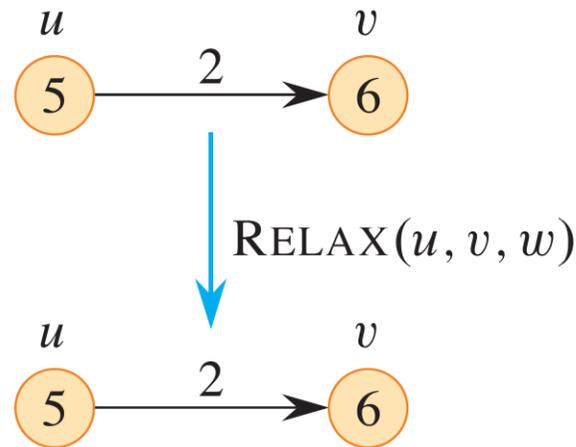
# Relaxing edges

RELAX( $u, v, w$ )

- 1 **if**  $v.d > u.d + w(u, v)$
- 2      $v.d = u.d + w(u, v)$
- 3      $v.\pi = u$



Shorter distance found to  $v$   
(update  $v.d$  and  $v.\pi = u$ )



No shorter distance  
found to  $v$

## Invariant

If  $v.d < \infty$ , then a path exists from  $s$  to  $v$  with distance  $v.d$  and  $v.\pi$  as the second to last node

**$v.d$  after  $\text{Relax}(b, v, w)$  ?**

( inside the nodes is the current  $d$  value )

a) -2

b) -1

c) 0

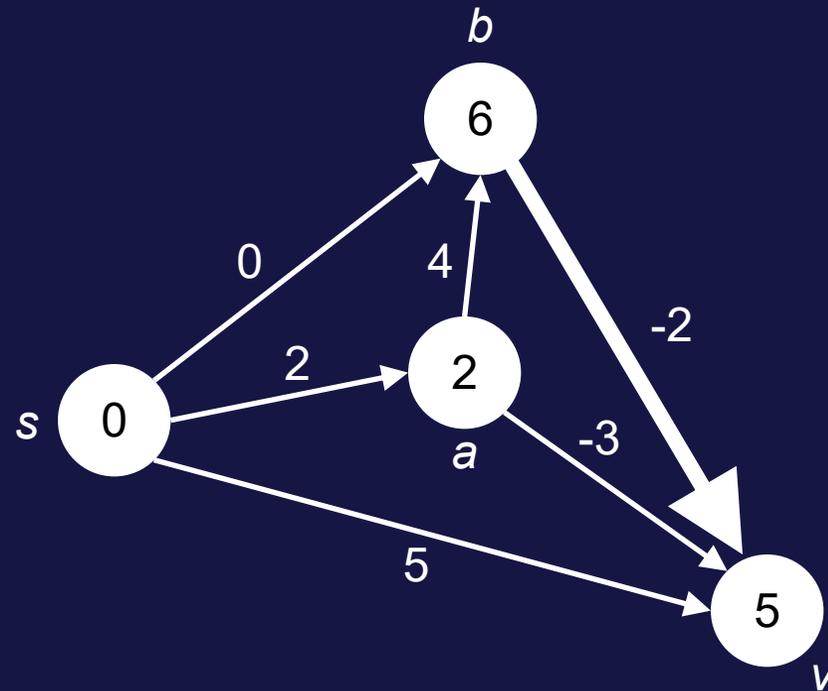
d) 2



e) 4

f) 5

g) Don't know



# Worst-case # calls to Relax ?

a) 10

b) 15

c) 31



d) 93

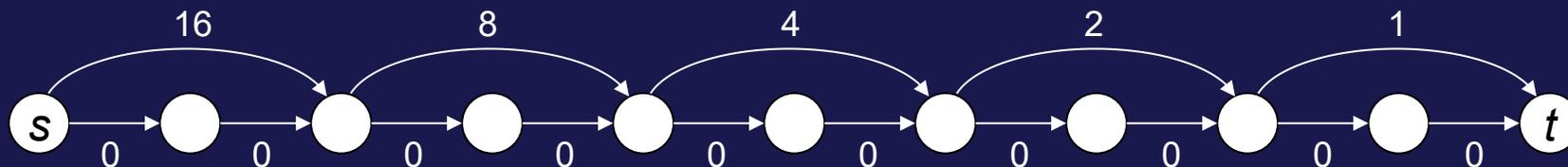
e) Don't know

GREEDY-RELAX( $G, w, s$ )

1 INITIALIZE-SINGLE-SOURCE( $G, s$ )

2 **while** exist  $(u, v) : v.d > u.d + w(u, v)$

3     RELAX( $u, v, w$ )



# Bellman-Ford (supports negative edge weights)

BELLMAN-FORD( $G, w, s$ )

1 INITIALIZE-SINGLE-SOURCE( $G, s$ )

2 **for**  $i = 1$  **to**  $|G.V| - 1$

3     **for** each edge  $(u, v) \in G.E$

4         RELAX( $u, v, w$ )

5     **for** each edge  $(u, v) \in G.E$

6         **if**  $v.d > u.d + w(u, v)$

7             **return** FALSE

8     **return** TRUE

check for  
negative cycle



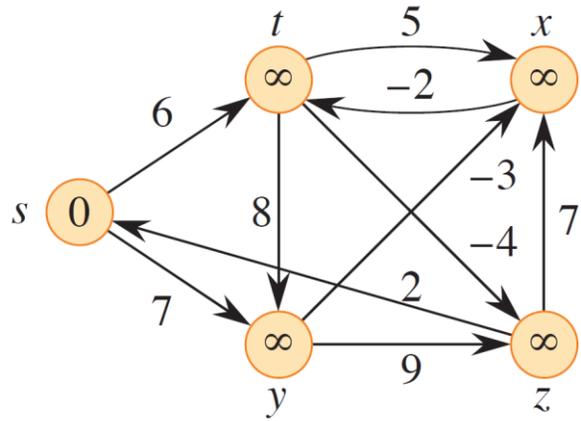
Time  $O(n \cdot m)$

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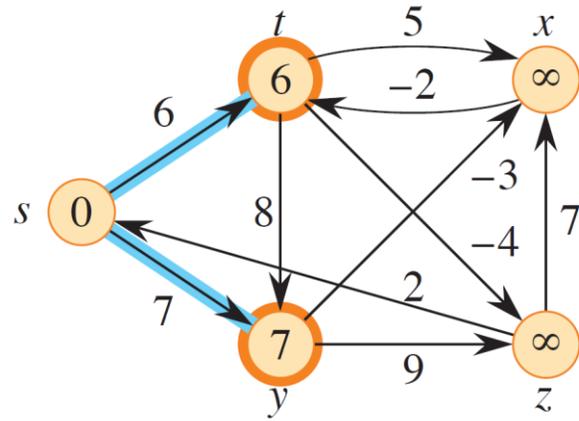
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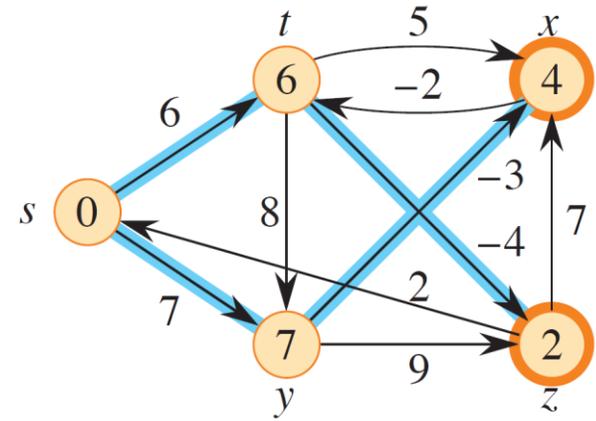
# Bellman-Ford



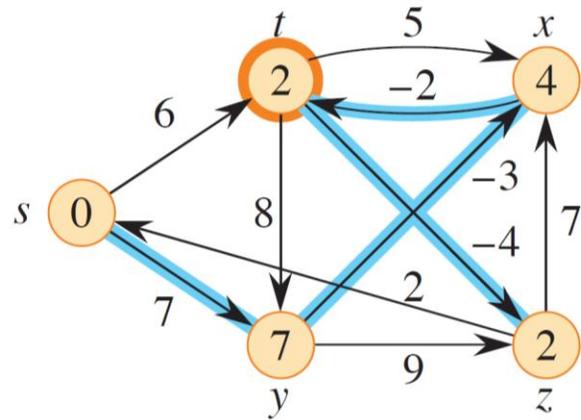
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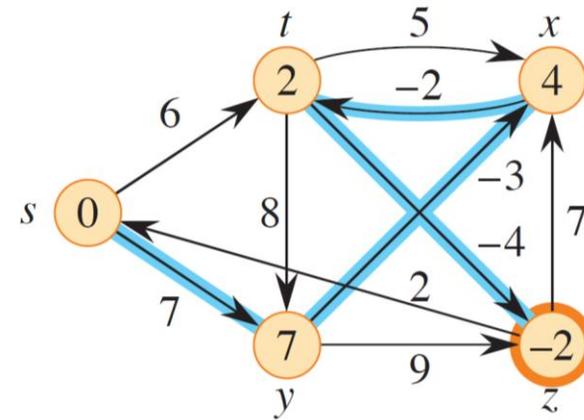
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(c)



(d)



(e)

**Assume** there exists a **negative cycle**  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k$  reachable from  $s$

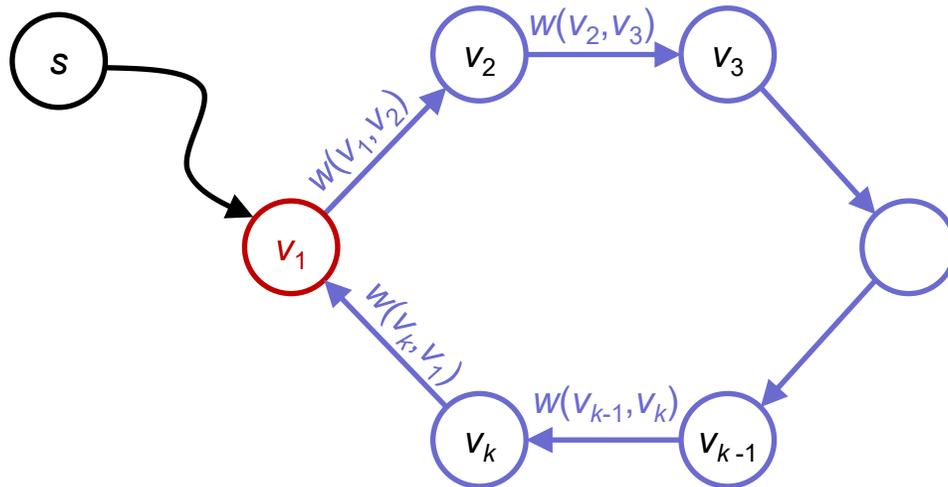
$$w(v_1, v_2) + w(v_2, v_3) + \dots + w(v_{k-1}, v_k) + w(v_k, v_1) < 0$$

and it is **not** possible to **RELAX** any edge on the cycle

$$d[v_{i+1}] \leq d[v_i] + w(v_i, v_{i+1})$$

This implies the **contradiction**

$$\begin{aligned} d[v_1] &\leq d[v_k] + w(v_k, v_1) \leq (d[v_{k-1}] + w(v_{k-1}, v_k)) + w(v_k, v_1) \leq \\ \dots &\leq d[v_1] + \underbrace{w(v_1, v_2) + w(v_2, v_3) + \dots + w(v_{k-1}, v_k) + w(v_k, v_1)}_{< 0} < d[v_1] \end{aligned}$$



## Theorem

Consider an (unknown) shortest path tree  $T$  with an edge  $(u,v)$ .

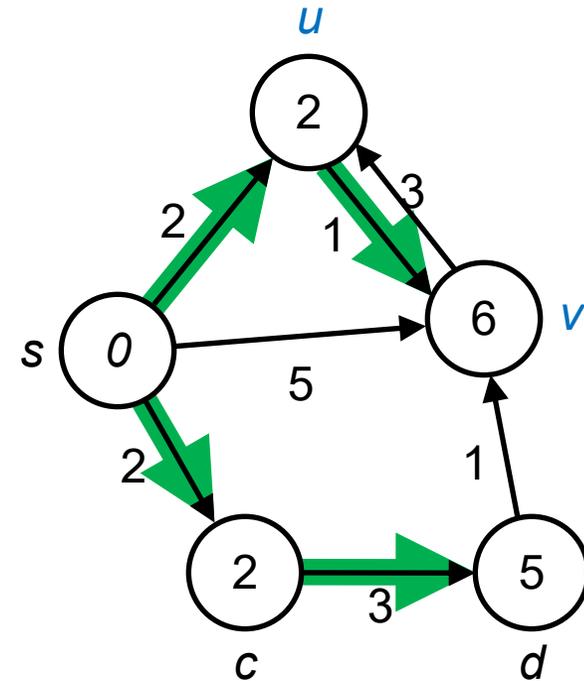
Assume  $d[u]$  is the shortest distance to  $u$ .

After  $\text{RELAX}(u,v,w)$  then  $d[v]$  is the shortest distance to  $v$ .



## Corollary

The Bellman-Ford algorithm has after relaxing all edges  $n - 1$  times found the shortest distances



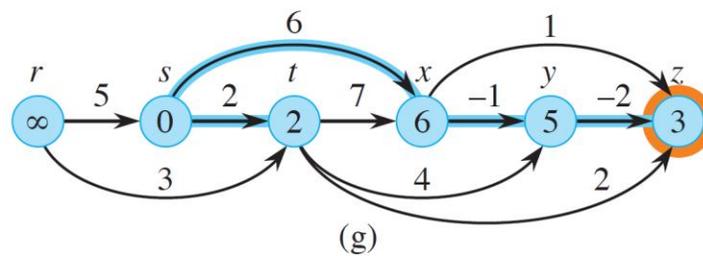
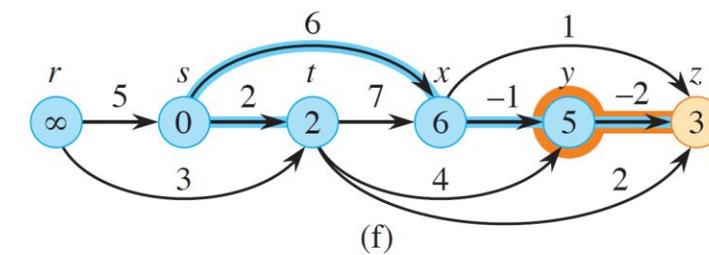
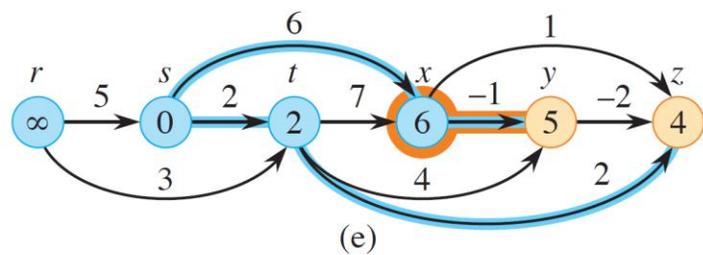
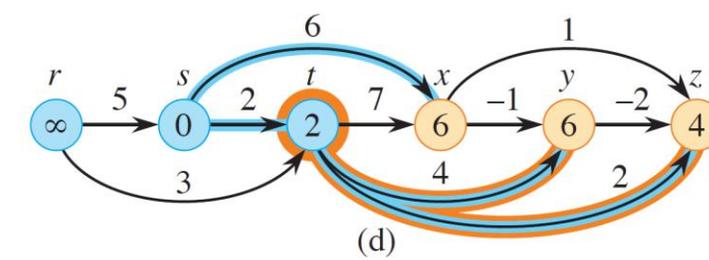
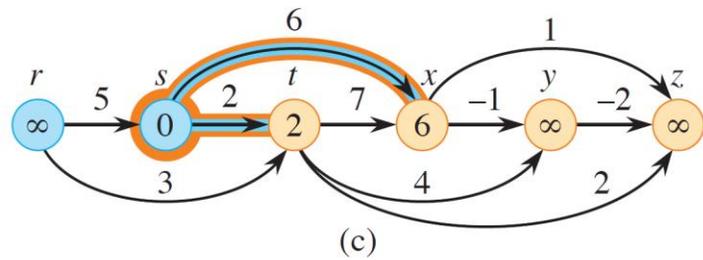
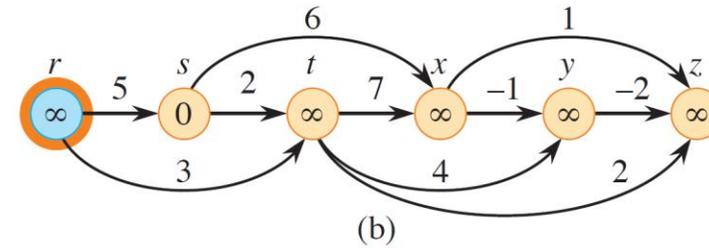
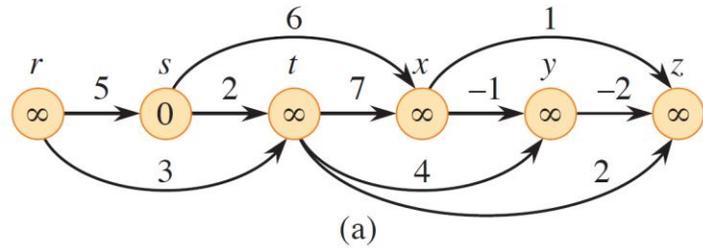
# Shortest paths in acyclic graphs

DAG-SHORTEST-PATHS( $G, w, s$ )

- 1 topologically sort the vertices of  $G$
- 2 INITIALIZE-SINGLE-SOURCE( $G, s$ )
- 3 **for** each vertex  $u \in G.V$ , taken in topologically sorted order
- 4     **for** each vertex  $v$  in  $G.Adj[u]$
- 5         RELAX( $u, v, w$ )

Time  $O(n + m)$

# Acyclic graph



# Dijkstra's algorithm (non-negative weights)

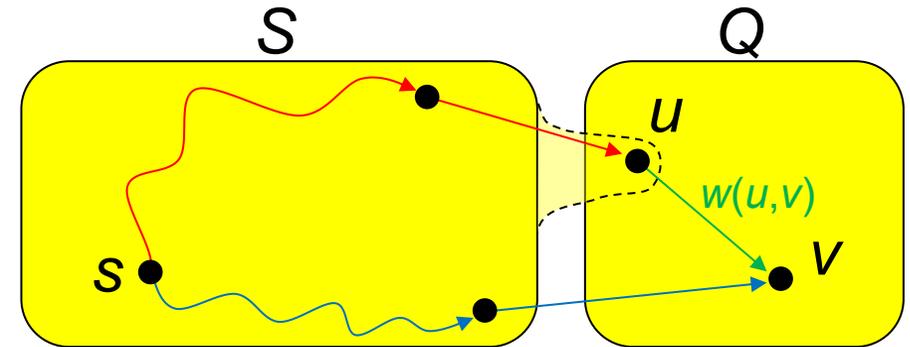
DIJKSTRA( $G, w, s$ )

```
1 INITIALIZE-SINGLE-SOURCE( $G, s$ )
2  $S = \emptyset$ 
3  $Q = \emptyset$ 
4 for each vertex  $u \in G.V$ 
5     INSERT( $Q, u$ )
6 while  $Q \neq \emptyset$ 
7      $u = \text{EXTRACT-MIN}(Q)$ 
8      $S = S \cup \{u\}$ 
9     for each vertex  $v$  in  $G.Adj[u]$ 
10        RELAX( $u, v, w$ )
11        if the call of RELAX decreased  $v.d$ 
12            DECREASE-KEY( $Q, v, v.d$ )
```

- Visits nodes in increasing distance from  $s$
- $Q$  = priority queue with  $d$  as priority

## Invariants

- $d[v]$  = shortest distance from  $s$  to  $v$  only visiting **intermediate nodes in  $S$**
- $\forall p \in S, q \in Q : d[p] \leq d[q]$

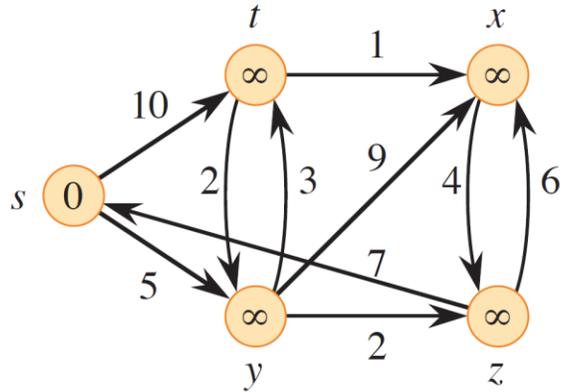


← Update priority  
of  $v$  in  $Q$

Time  $O((n + m) \cdot \log n)$   
or  $O(n^2 + m)$

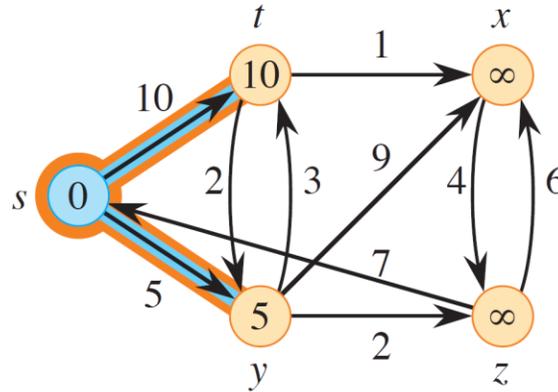
# Dijkstra's algorithm

$Q = (s,0) (t,\infty) (x,\infty) (y,\infty) (z,\infty)$



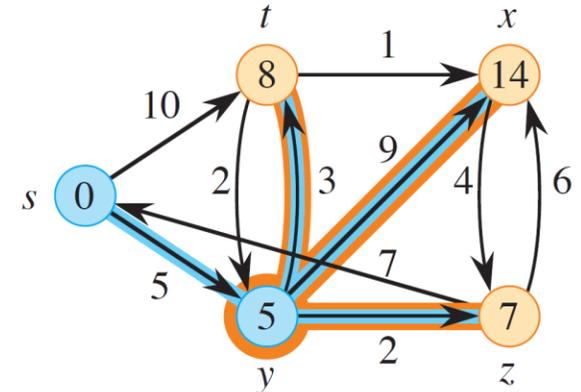
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$Q = (y,5) (t,10) (x,\infty) (z,\infty)$



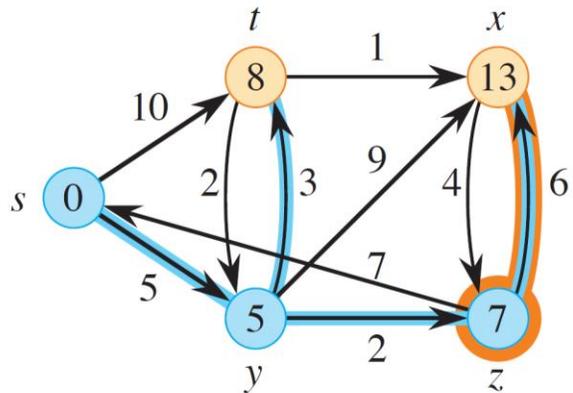
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$Q = (z,7) (t,8) (x,14)$



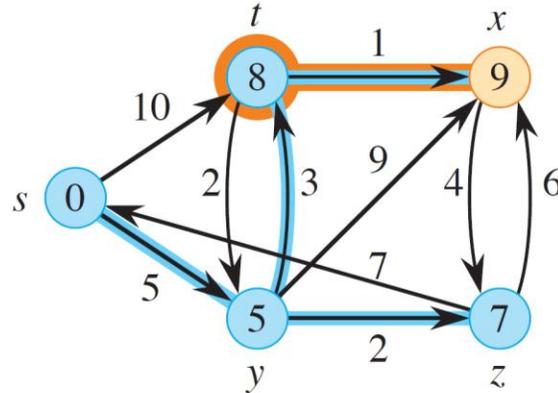
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$Q = (t,8) (x,13)$



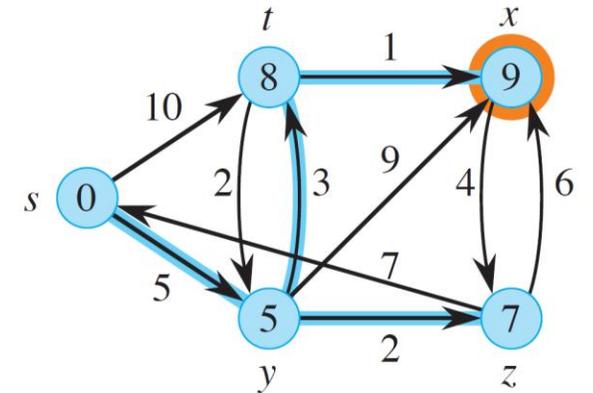
(d)

$Q = (x,9)$



(e)

$Q = \emptyset$



(f)

# Dijkstra's algorithm using repeated insertions

DIJKSTRA( $G, w, s$ )

1 INITIALIZE-SINGLE-SOURCE( $G, s$ )

2  $S = \emptyset$

(priority, node) pair  $\rightarrow$  3  $Q = \{(0, s)\}$

4 **while**  $Q \neq \emptyset$

5  $(\delta, u) = \text{EXTRACT-MIN}(Q)$

skip outdated entries  
where  $\delta > u.d$   $\rightarrow$  6 **if**  $\delta = u.d$

7  $S = S \cup \{u\}$

8 **for** each vertex  $v \in G.Adj[u]$

9 **if**  $v.d > u.d + w(u, v)$

10  $v.d = u.d + w(u, v)$

11  $v.\pi = u$

the same node can be  
inserted multiple times but  
with decreasing priorities  
(priority size increases  
from  $O(n)$  to  $O(m)$ )

$\rightarrow$  12  $\text{INSERT}(Q, (v.d, v))$

} RELAX( $u, v, w$ )

If priority queue  
supports INSERT and  
EXTRACT-MIN but not  
DECREASE-KEY (like  
Java's PriorityQueue)

Time  $O((n + m) \cdot \log n)$

# Single source shortest paths (SSSP)

Acyclic graphs (positive and negative weights)		$O(n + m)$
General graphs	only positive weights	<b>Dijkstra</b> $O((n + m) \cdot \log n)$ $O(n^2 + m)$ $O(m + n \cdot \log n)$
	positive and negative weights	<b>Duan et al.</b> $O(m \cdot \log^{2/3} n)$
		<b>Bellman-Ford</b> $O(m \cdot n)$

Relaxes every edge exactly one

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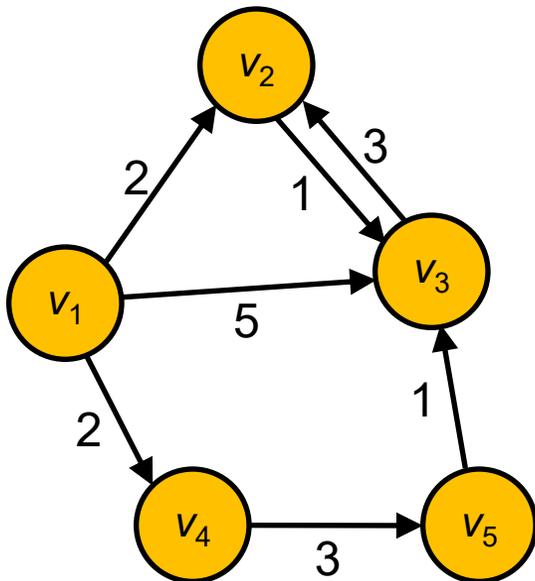
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# Algorithms and Data Structures

All pairs shortest paths (APSP)  
[CLRS, Chapter 23]

# All pairs shortest paths

If all weights **positive** – run Dijkstra's algorithm once with each  $v_i$  as source  
 $O(n \cdot m \cdot \log n)$



$d_{ij}$

	1	2	3	4	5
1	0	2	3	2	5
2	$+\infty$	0	1	$+\infty$	$+\infty$
3	$+\infty$	3	0	$+\infty$	$+\infty$
4	$+\infty$	7	4	0	3
5	$+\infty$	4	1	$+\infty$	0

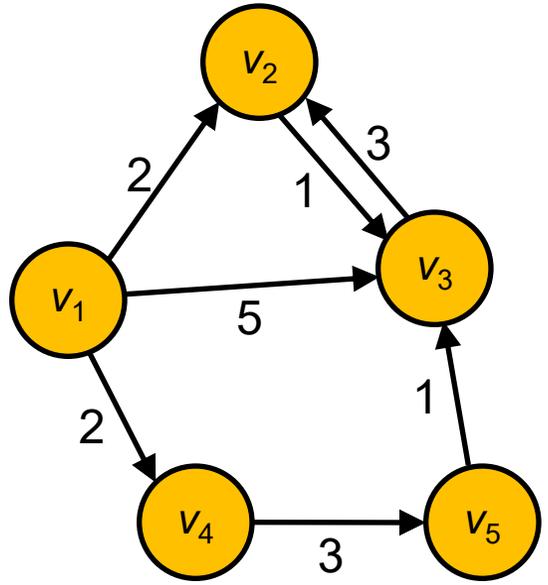
$\pi_{ij}$

	1	2	3	4	5
1	NIL	1	2	1	4
2	NIL	NIL	2	NIL	NIL
3	NIL	3	NIL	NIL	NIL
4	NIL		5	NIL	4
5	NIL	3	5	NIL	NIL

$\pi_{4,2}$  ?



- a) 1
- b) 2
- c) 3
- d) 4
- e) 5
- f) Don't know



$d_{ij}$

	1	2	3	4	5
1	0	2	3	2	5
2	$+\infty$	0	1	$+\infty$	$+\infty$
3	$+\infty$	3	0	$+\infty$	$+\infty$
4	$+\infty$	7	4	0	3
5	$+\infty$	4	1	$+\infty$	0

$\pi_{ij}$

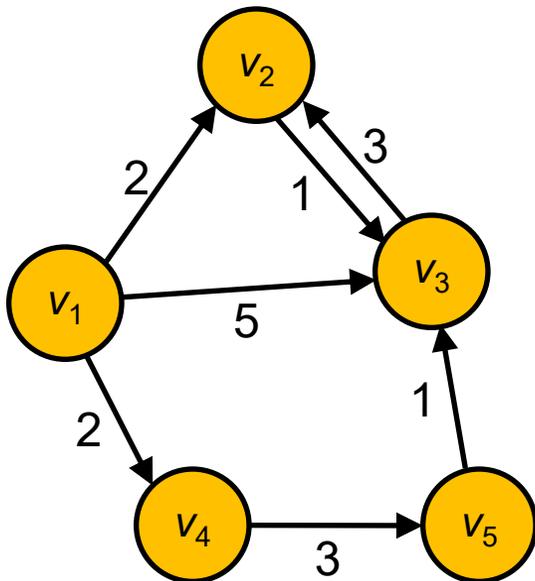
	1	2	3	4	5
1	NIL	1	2	1	4
2	NIL	NIL	2	NIL	NIL
3	NIL	3	NIL	NIL	NIL
4	NIL	<b>3</b>	5	NIL	4
5	NIL	3	5	NIL	NIL

# PRINT-ALL-PAIRS-SHORTEST-PATH( $\Pi, i, j$ )

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1  if  $i == j$ 
2      print  $i$ 
3  elseif  $\pi_{ij} == \text{NIL}$ 
4      print “no path from”  $i$  “to”  $j$  “exists”
5  else PRINT-ALL-PAIRS-SHORTEST-PATH( $\Pi, i, \pi_{ij}$ )
6      print  $j$ 
    
```

Time  $O(n)$



$d_{ij}$

	1	2	3	4	5
1	0	2	3	2	5
2	$+\infty$	0	1	$+\infty$	$+\infty$
3	$+\infty$	3	0	$+\infty$	$+\infty$
4	$+\infty$	7	4	0	3
5	$+\infty$	4	1	$+\infty$	0

$\Pi_{ij}$

	1	2	3	4	5
1	NIL	1	2	1	4
2	NIL	NIL	2	NIL	NIL
3	NIL	3	NIL	NIL	NIL
4	NIL	3	5	NIL	4
5	NIL	3	5	NIL	NIL

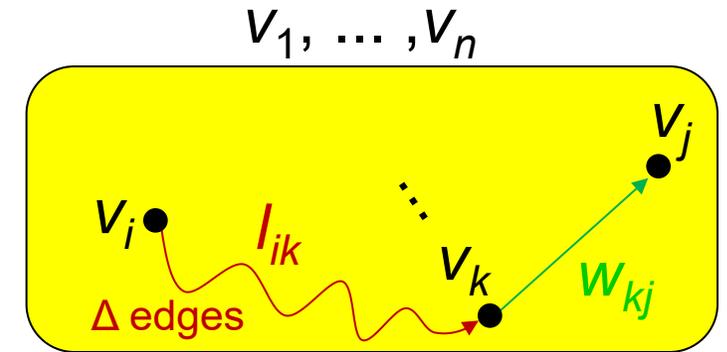
EXTEND-SHORTEST-PATHS ( $L^{(r-1)}, W, L^{(r)}, n$ )

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1 // Assume that the elements of  $L^{(r)}$  are initialized to  $\infty$ 
2 for  $i = 1$  to  $n$ 
3   for  $j = 1$  to  $n$ 
4     for  $k = 1$  to  $n$ 
5        $l_{ij}^{(r)} = \min \{ l_{ij}^{(r)}, l_{ik}^{(r-1)} + w_{kj} \}$ 

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→      →



$$l'_{ij} = \min_k (l_{ik} + w_{kj})$$

$W$  = weight matrix  
 $L_{ij}$  = shortest distance from  $i$  to  $j$  for paths with  $\Delta$  edges  
 $L'_{ij}$  = shortest distance from  $i$  to  $j$  for paths with  $\Delta+1$  edges

Time  $O(n^3)$

MATRIX-MULTIPLY(*A*, *B*, *C*, *n*)

1   **for** *i* = 1 **to** *n*

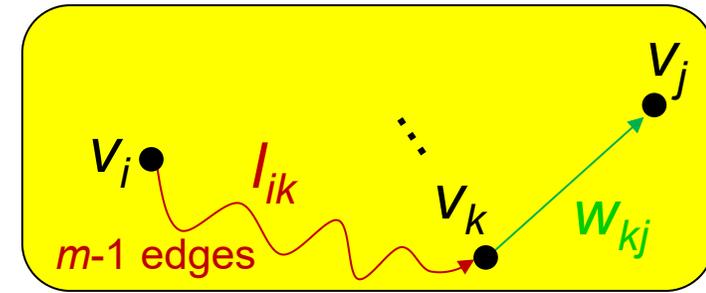
2       **for** *j* = 1 **to** *n*

3           **for** *k* = 1 **to** *n*

4                $c_{ij} = c_{ij} + a_{ik} \cdot b_{kj}$

Time  $O(n^3)$

$V_1, \dots, V_n$



SLOW-APSP( $W, L^{(0)}, n$ )

- 1 let  $L = (l_{ij})$  and  $M = (m_{ij})$  be new  $n \times n$  matrices
- 2  $L = L^{(0)}$  ← diagonal 0, elsewhere  $\infty$
- 3 **for**  $r = 1$  **to**  $n - 1$
- 4      $M = \infty$      // initialize  $M$
- 5     // Compute the matrix “product”  $M = L \cdot W$
- 6     EXTEND-SHORTEST-PATHS( $L, W, M, n$ )
- 7      $L = M$      → →
- 8 **return**  $L$      ← Copy content of matrix

$W$  = weight matrix

$L_{ij}^{(m)}$  = shortest distance from  $i$  to  $j$  for paths with  $m$  edges

Time  $O(n^4)$

$L_{1,3}^{(3)}$  ?



a) 0

b) 3

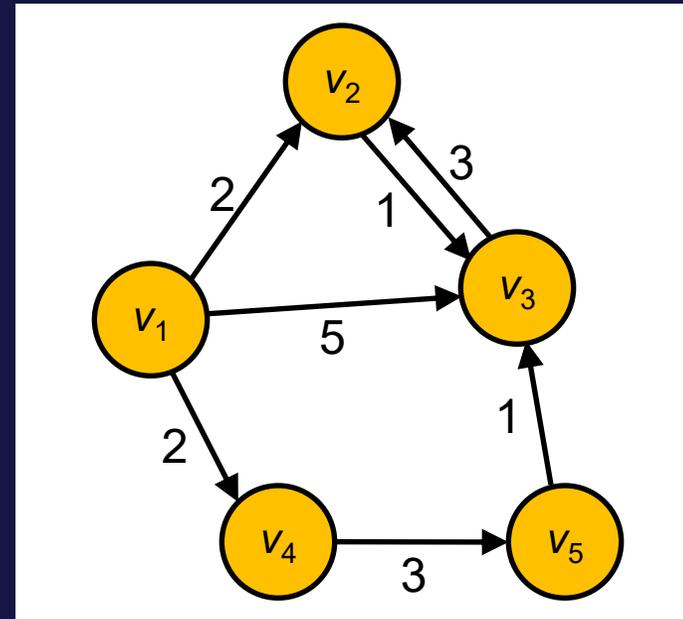
c) 5

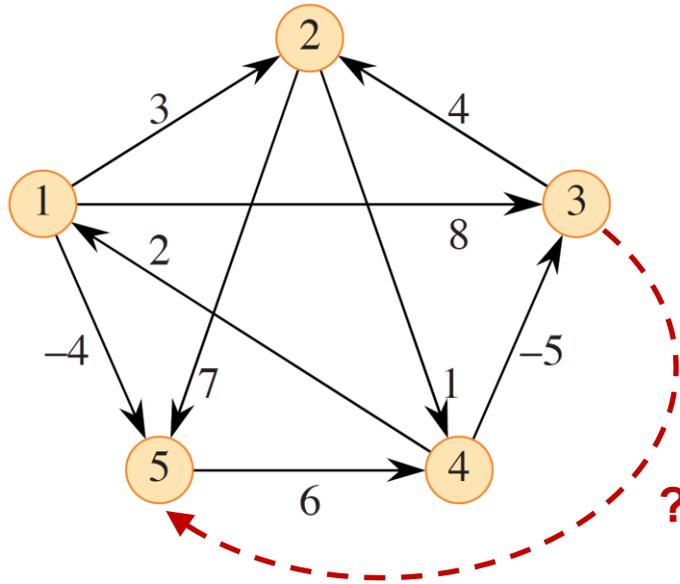
d) 6

e) 9

f)  $+\infty$

g) Don't know





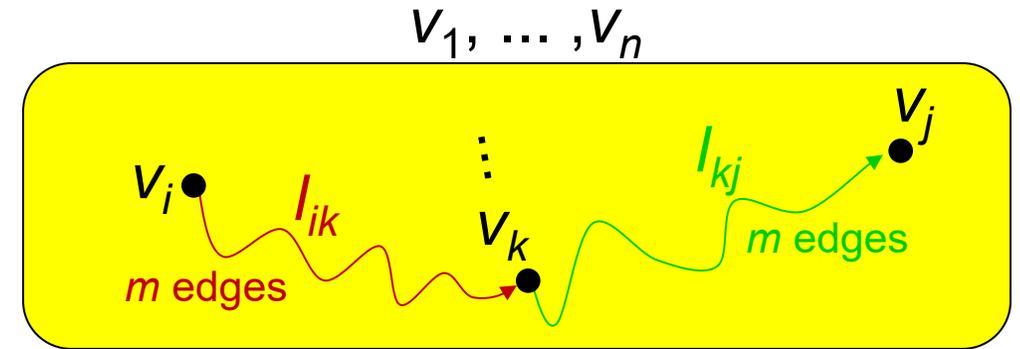
input graph

$$L^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3 & 8 & \infty & -4 \\ \infty & 0 & \infty & 1 & 7 \\ \infty & 4 & 0 & \infty & \infty \\ 2 & \infty & -5 & 0 & \infty \\ \infty & \infty & \infty & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad L^{(2)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3 & 8 & 2 & -4 \\ 3 & 0 & -4 & 1 & 7 \\ \infty & 4 & 0 & 5 & 11 \\ 2 & -1 & -5 & 0 & -2 \\ 8 & \infty & 1 & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$L^{(3)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3 & -3 & 2 & -4 \\ 3 & 0 & -4 & 1 & -1 \\ 7 & 4 & 0 & 5 & 11 \\ 2 & -1 & -5 & 0 & -2 \\ 8 & 5 & 1 & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad L^{(4)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & -3 & 2 & -4 \\ 3 & 0 & -4 & 1 & -1 \\ 7 & 4 & 0 & 5 & 3 \\ 2 & -1 & -5 & 0 & -2 \\ 8 & 5 & 1 & 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

## FASTER-APSP( $W, n$ )

- 1 let  $L$  and  $M$  be new  $n \times n$  matrices
- 2  $L = W$  ← assumes diagonal 0
- 3  $r = 1$
- 4 **while**  $r < n - 1$  ← Invariant:  $L = L^{(r)}$
- 5      $M = \infty$
- 6     EXTEND-SHORTEST-PATHS( $L, L, M, n$ )
- 7      $r = 2r$
- 8      $L = M$  ← Copy content of matrix
- 9 **return**  $L$



$$I_{ij}^{(2m)} = \min_k (I_{ik}^{(m)} + I_{kj}^{(m)})$$

$W$  = weight matrix

$L_{ij}^{(m)}$  = shortest distance from  $i$  to  $j$  for paths with  $m$  edges

Time  $O(n^3 \cdot \log n)$

# Floyd-Warshall's algorithm

FLOYD-WARSHALL( $W, n$ )

1  $D^{(0)} = W$

2 **for**  $k = 1$  **to**  $n$

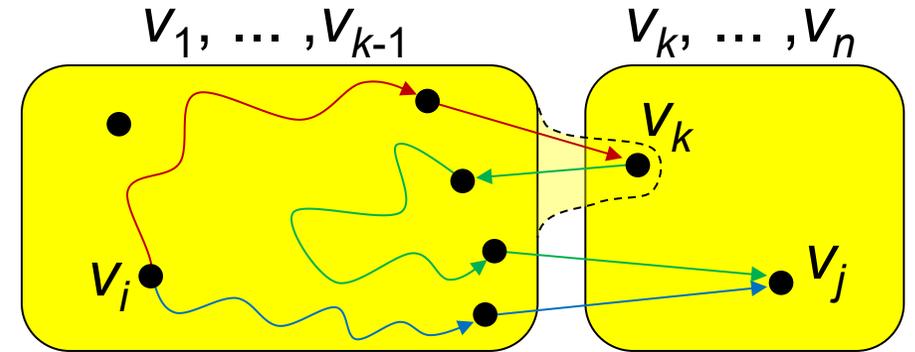
3     let  $D^{(k)} = (d_{ij}^{(k)})$  be a new  $n \times n$  matrix

4     **for**  $i = 1$  **to**  $n$

5         **for**  $j = 1$  **to**  $n$

6              $d_{ij}^{(k)} = \min \left\{ d_{ij}^{(k-1)}, d_{ik}^{(k-1)} + d_{kj}^{(k-1)} \right\}$

7 **return**  $D^{(n)}$



Time  $O(n^3)$

$d_{ij}^{(k)}$  = shortest distance from  $i$  to  $j$  only using **intermediate nodes 1..k**

$d_{1,2}^{(3)}$  ?

a) 3

b) 4

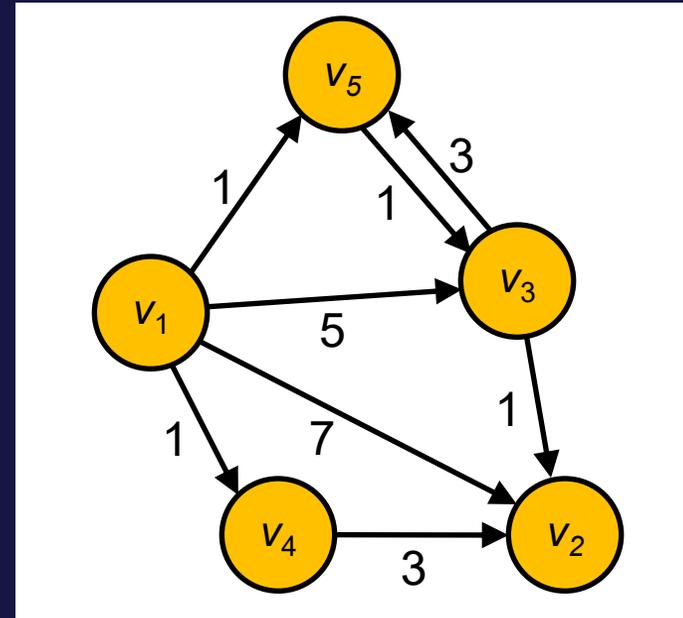


c) 6

d) 7

e)  $+\infty$

f) Don't know



# Transitive closure

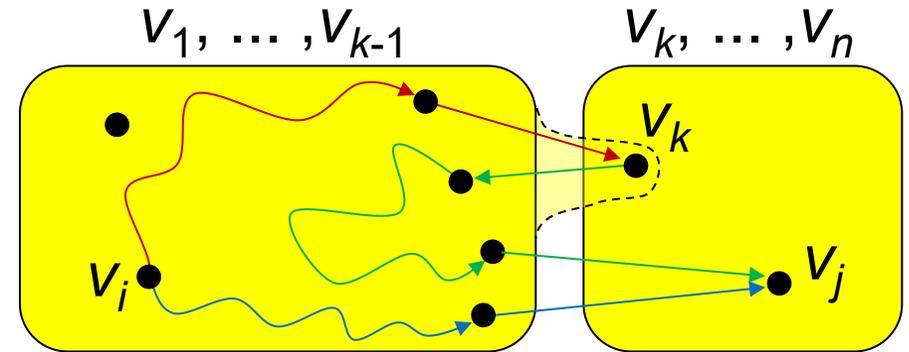
## (Floyd-Warshall's algorithm simplified)

TRANSITIVE-CLOSURE( $G, n$ )

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1  let  $T^{(0)} = (t_{ij}^{(0)})$  be a new  $n \times n$  matrix
2  for  $i = 1$  to  $n$ 
3    for  $j = 1$  to  $n$ 
4      if  $i == j$  or  $(i, j) \in G.E$ 
5         $t_{ij}^{(0)} = 1$ 
6      else  $t_{ij}^{(0)} = 0$ 
7  for  $k = 1$  to  $n$ 
8    let  $T^{(k)} = (t_{ij}^{(k)})$  be a new  $n \times n$  matrix
9    for  $i = 1$  to  $n$ 
10   for  $j = 1$  to  $n$ 
11      $t_{ij}^{(k)} = t_{ij}^{(k-1)} \vee (t_{ik}^{(k-1)} \wedge t_{kj}^{(k-1)})$ 
12  return  $T^{(n)}$ 

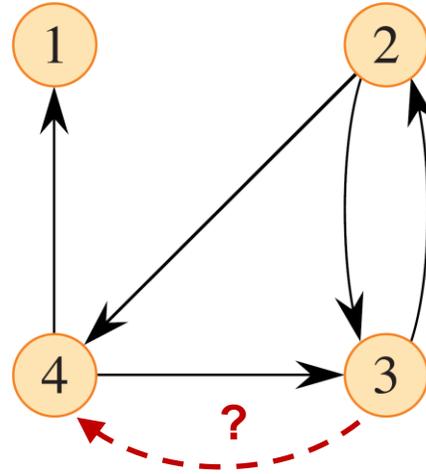
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Time  $O(n^3)$

$t_{ij}^{(k)}$  = exists a path from  $i$  to  $j$  only using intermediate nodes  $1..k$

# Transitive closure



input graph  
+ self loops

$$T^{(0)} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$T^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$T^{(2)} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$T^{(3)} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$T^{(4)} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

# Johnson's APSP algorithm

- **Sparse** graphs, i.e.,  $m \ll n^2$ , with positive and **negative** weights

Without negative weights  $\Rightarrow n$  x Dijkstra :  $O(n \cdot (n \cdot \log n + m)) \ll O(n^3)$

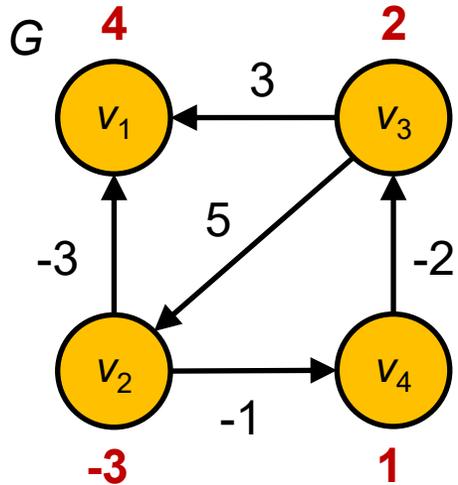
With negative weights  $\Rightarrow$  Floyd-Warshall :  $O(n^3)$

## Johnson's algorithm

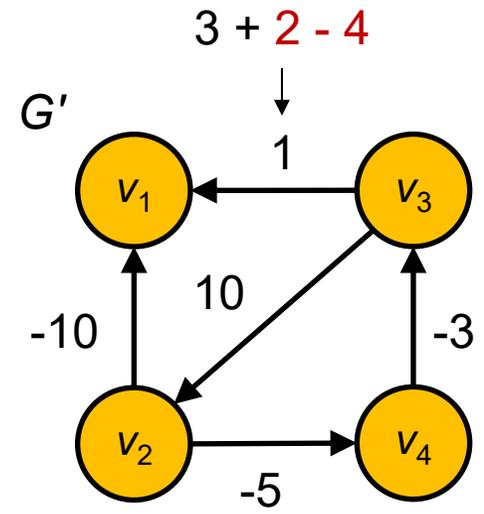
**Idea** Run Dijkstra's algorithm on a graph  $G'$  without negative edge weights, but having the same shortest paths as in  $G$

# Height transformation

associate every node  $u$  an arbitrary height  $h(u)$ , a.k.a. heuristic



$$w'(u,v) = w(u,v) + h(u) - h(v)$$



$$l'(v_{i_1} v_{i_2} \dots v_{i_k}) = l(v_{i_1} v_{i_2} \dots v_{i_k}) + h(v_{i_1}) - h(v_{i_k})$$

Shortest path in  $G \Leftrightarrow$  shortest path in  $G'$

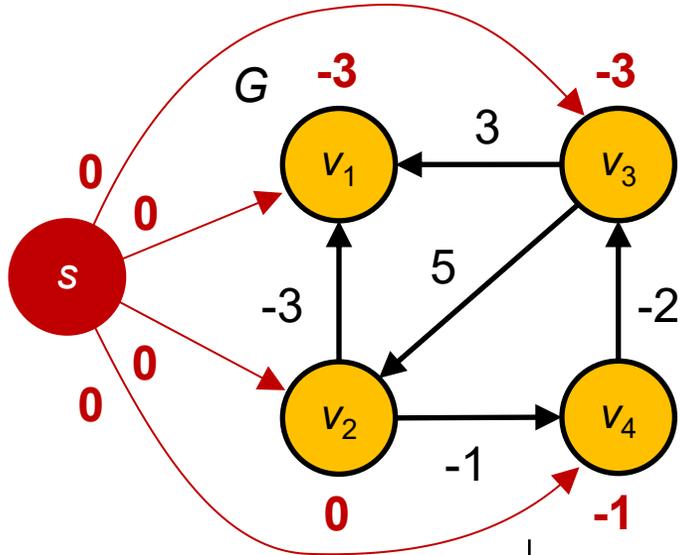


$d$	$v_1$	$v_2$	$v_3$	$v_4$
$v_1$	0	$+\infty$	$+\infty$	$+\infty$
$v_2$	-3	0	-3	-1
$v_3$	2	5	0	4
$v_4$	0	3	-2	0

$d(v_2, v_3) =$   
 $d'(v_2, v_3) + h(v_3) - h(v_2)$   
 $= -8 + 2 - -3$

$d'$	$v_1$	$v_2$	$v_3$	$v_4$
$v_1$	0	$+\infty$	$+\infty$	$+\infty$
$v_2$	-10	0	-8	-5
$v_3$	0	10	0	5
$v_4$	-3	7	-3	0

# Johnson's algorithm

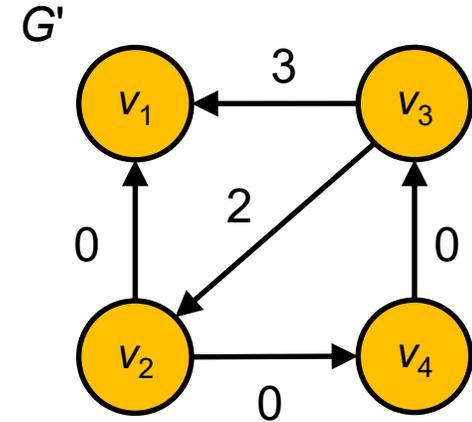


$$w'(u, v) = w(u, v) + h(u) - h(v)$$



$$w'(u, v) = w(u, v) + h(u) - h(v) \geq 0$$

since  $h(v) \leq h(u) + w(u, v)$



$d$	$v_1$	$v_2$	$v_3$	$v_4$
$v_1$	0	$+\infty$	$+\infty$	$+\infty$
$v_2$	-3	0	-3	-1
$v_3$	2	5	0	4
$v_4$	0	3	-2	0

$$3 = 2 + 0 - (-1)$$

$d'$	$v_1$	$v_2$	$v_3$	$v_4$
$v_1$	0	$+\infty$	$+\infty$	$+\infty$
$v_2$	0	0	0	0
$v_3$	2	2	0	2
$v_4$	2	2	0	0

- Add source node  $s$  with **weight 0** edges to all nodes
- Let  $h(u) = d_G(s, u)$  – SSSP Bellman-Ford in time  $O(n \cdot m)$
- Run Dijkstra from each  $v_i$  in  $G'$  in time  $O(n \cdot (n \cdot \log n + m))$
- Let  $d_G(v_i, v_j) = d_{G'}(v_i, v_j) + h(v_j) - h(v_i)$

JOHNSON( $G, w$ )

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1  compute  $G'$ , where  $G'.V = G.V \cup \{s\}$ ,  
    $G'.E = G.E \cup \{(s, v) : v \in G.V\}$ , and  
    $w(s, v) = 0$  for all  $v \in G.V$   
2  if BELLMAN-FORD( $G', w, s$ ) == FALSE  
3     print “the input graph contains a negative-weight cycle”  
4  else for each vertex  $v \in G'.V$   
5     set  $h(v)$  to the value of  $\delta(s, v)$   
       computed by the Bellman-Ford algorithm  
6  for each edge  $(u, v) \in G'.E$   
7      $\hat{w}(u, v) = w(u, v) + h(u) - h(v)$   
8  let  $D = (d_{uv})$  be a new  $n \times n$  matrix  
9  for each vertex  $u \in G.V$   
10     run DIJKSTRA( $G, \hat{w}, u$ ) to compute  $\hat{\delta}(u, v)$  for all  $v \in G.V$   
11     for each vertex  $v \in G.V$   
12          $d_{uv} = \hat{\delta}(u, v) + h(v) - h(u)$   
13  return  $D$ 
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Time  $O(n^2 \cdot \log n + n \cdot m)$

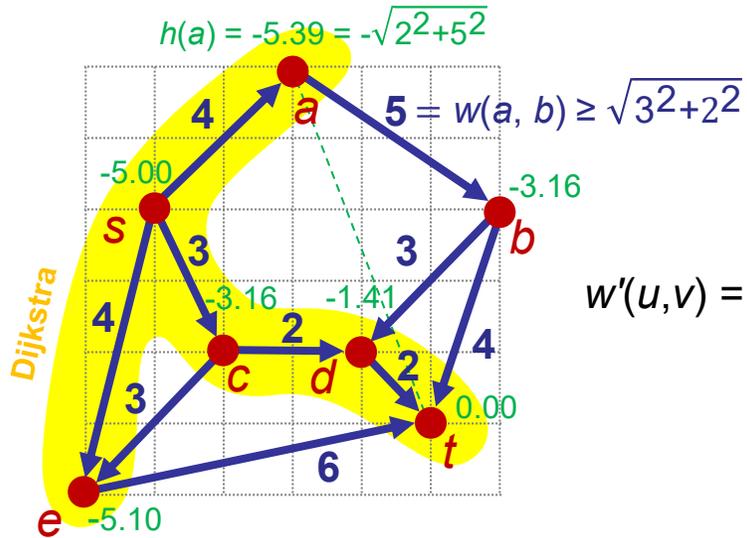
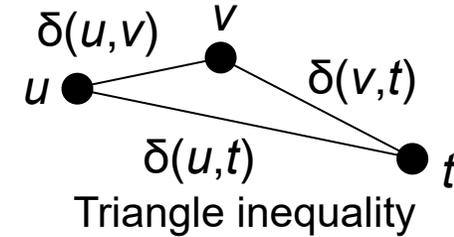
# Shortest paths in graphs

	Single source shortest paths (SSSP)	All pairs shortest paths (APSP)
Acyclic graphs (positive and negative weights)	$O(n + m)$	$O(n \cdot (n + m))$
General graphs	<b>Dijkstra</b> $O((n + m) \cdot \log n)$ (1) Only positive weights $O(n \cdot \log n + m)$ (2) $O(n^2)$ (3)	<b><math>n \times</math> Dijkstra</b> $O(n^2 \cdot \log n + n \cdot m)$ (2) $O(n^3)$ (3)
	<b>Duan et al.</b> $O(m \cdot \log^{2/3} n)$	
	Positive and negative weights <b>Bellman-Ford</b> $O(n \cdot m)$	<b>Floyd-Warshall</b> $O(n^3)$ <b>Johnson</b> $O(n^2 \cdot \log n + n \cdot m)$ (2)

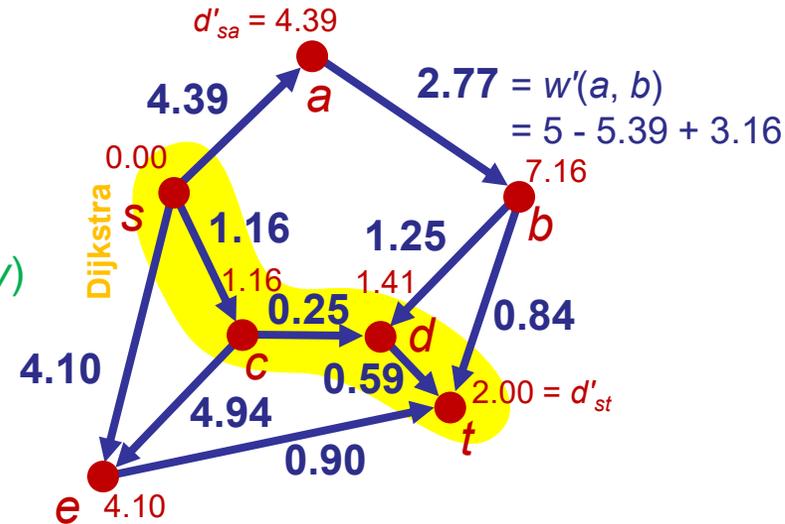
Different priority queues: (1) binary heap, (2) Fibonacci heap, (3) array

# A\*-algorithm – shortest path $s \rightsquigarrow t$

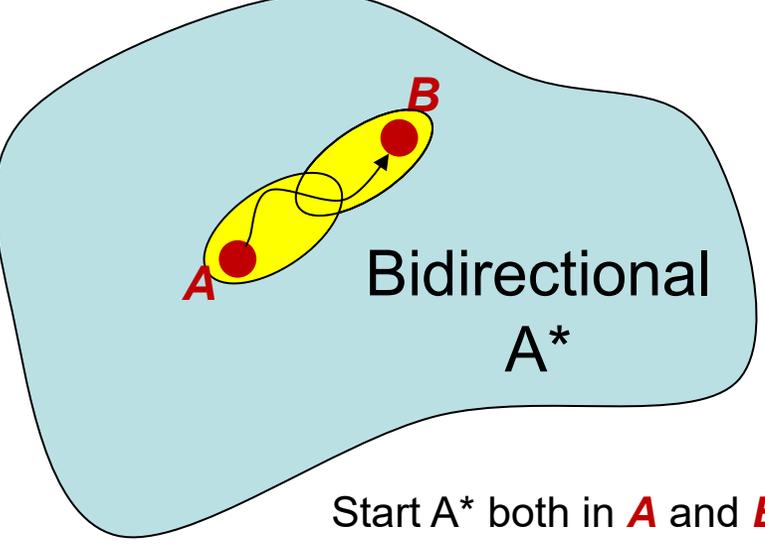
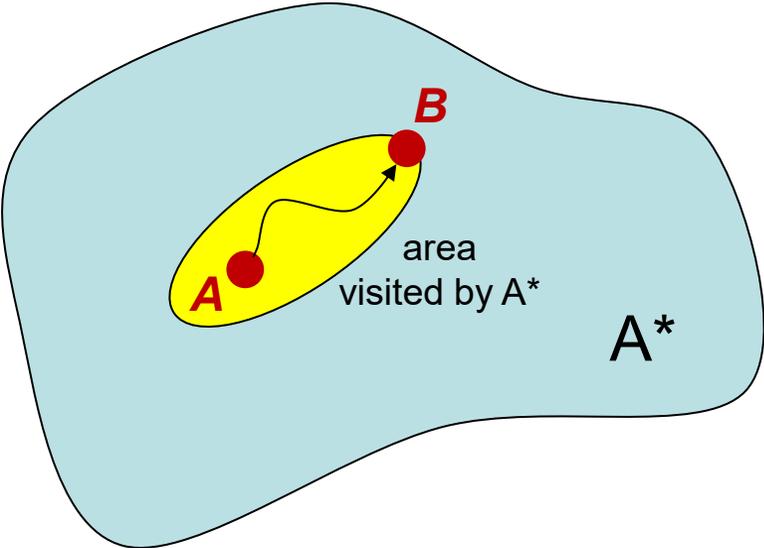
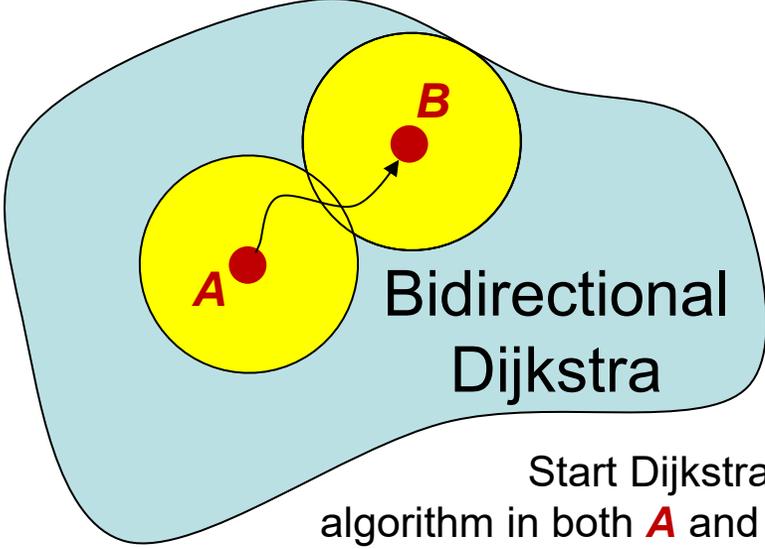
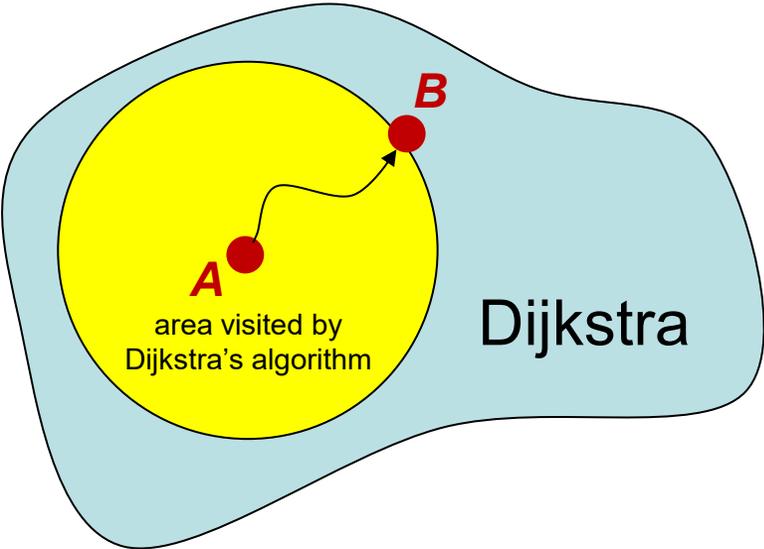
- Assume each node  $u$  has a position  $(u_x, u_y)$  and  $w(u, v) \geq \delta(u, v) = \sqrt{(v_x - u_x)^2 + (v_y - u_y)^2}$
- $h(u) = -\delta(u, t) \Rightarrow w'(u, v) = w(u, v) + h(u) - h(v) \geq \delta(u, v) - \delta(u, t) + \delta(v, t) \geq 0$
- $d_{st} = d'_{st} - h(s) + h(t) = 2.00 + 5.00 - 0.00 = 7.00$



$$w'(u, v) = w(u, v) + h(u) - h(v)$$



In practice A\* reduces the number of nodes visited by Dijkstra's algorithm

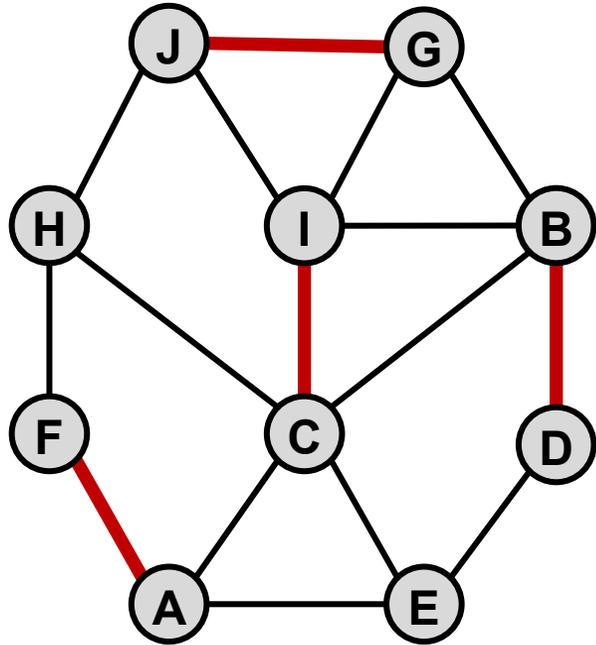


# Algorithms and Data Structures

Matchings in graphs, maximum independent set,  
minimum vertex cover

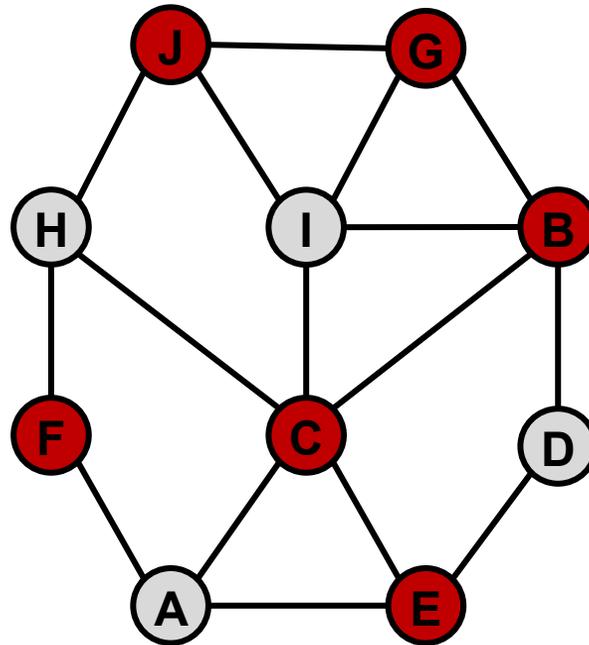
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## Matching



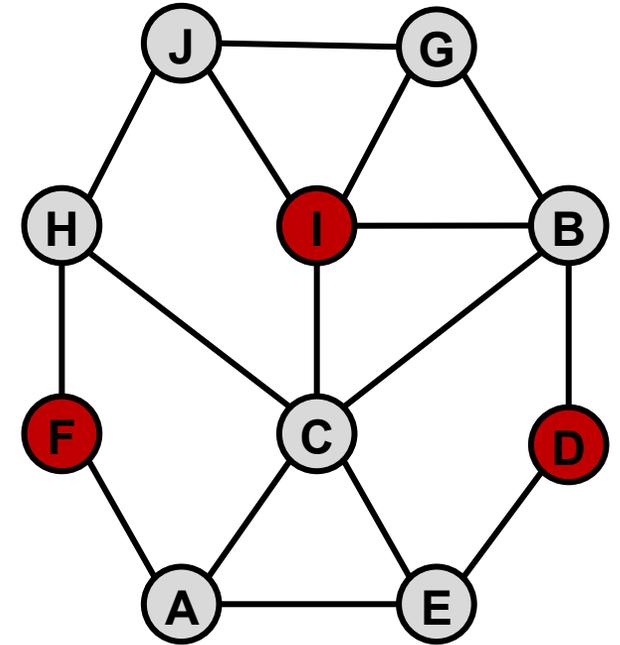
Subset of **edges**, where each node is part of at most one edge of the matching

## Vertex cover



Subset of **nodes (a.k.a. vertices)**, where all edges in the graph contain at least one node from the cover

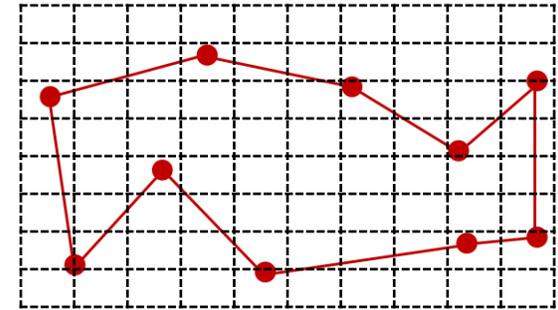
## Independent set



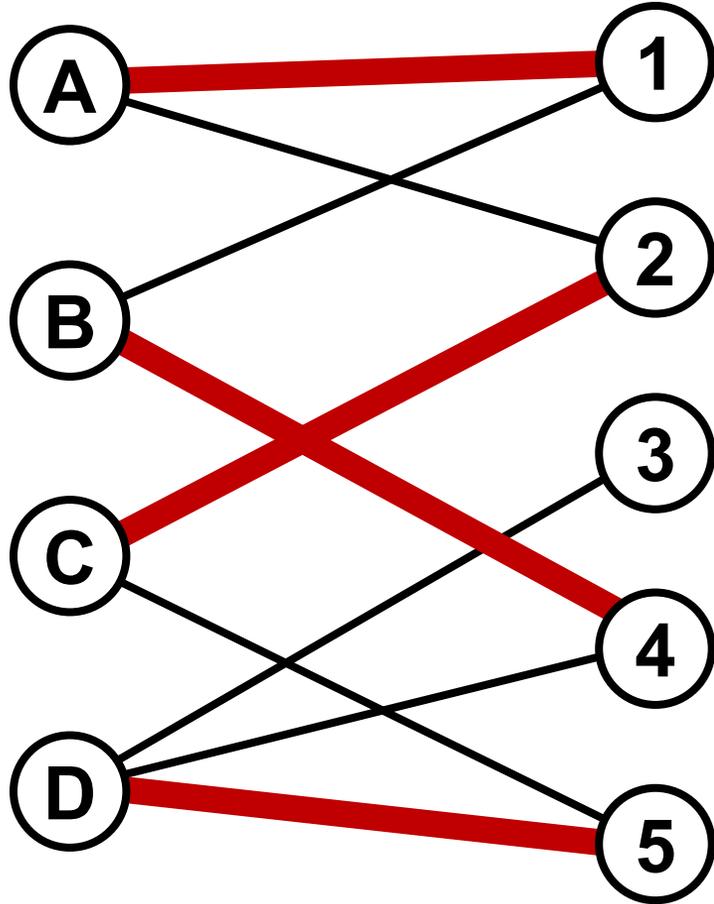
Subset of **nodes**, where no pair of nodes are connected by an edge

# Not all graph problems are equally easy...

- Some problems can be solved efficiently in polynomial time  
**DFS, BFS, shortest paths, topological sorting, matchings...**
- Many problems are NP-hard
  - Exact solutions likely require **exponential time**
  - Some can be **approximated** arbitrary well  
(PTAS = "polynomial time approximation scheme")
    - e.g. **Euclidian traveling salesman** (Gödel Prize 2010)
  - Some can only be approximated up to a constant (APX-hard)
    - e.g. **minimum vertex cover**
  - Some cannot be approximated within a constant efficiently
    - e.g. **maximum independent set**



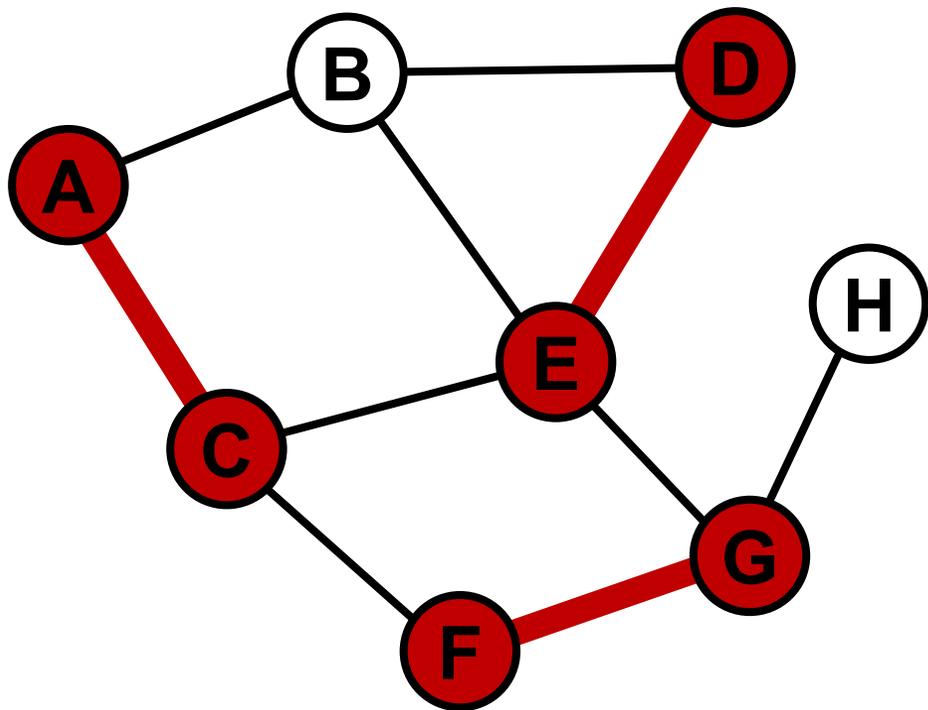
# Matchings in bipartite graphs (special case)



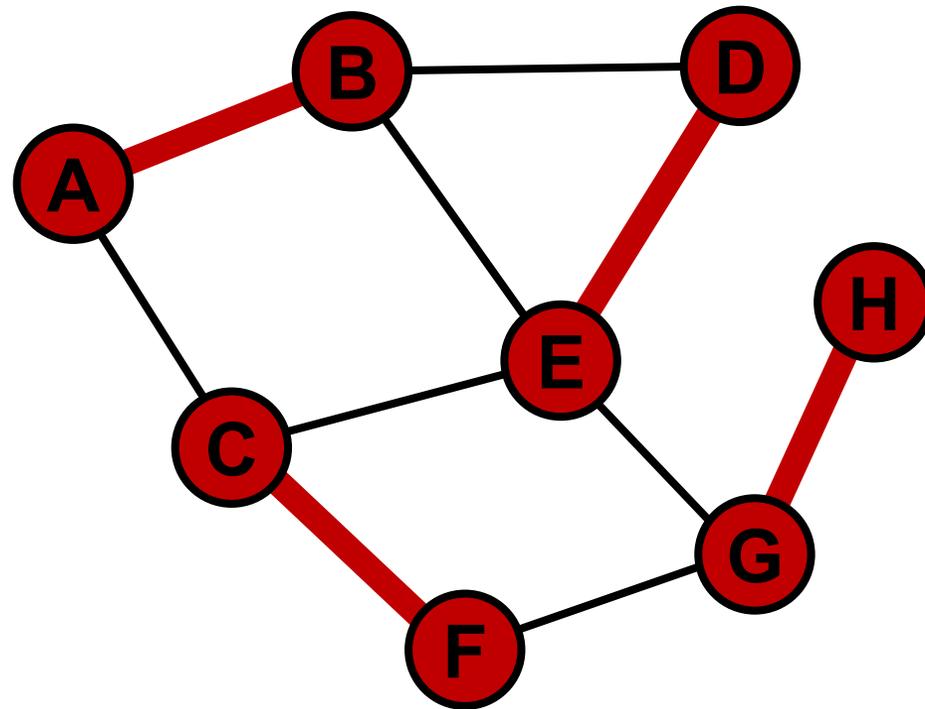
## Examples

- **Busses vs routes**  
(edge = possible, sufficient capacity, range, electric vs non-electric)
- **People vs tasks**  
(can a task be handled by a person)  
Does there exist a matching where all people get assigned a task?
- **Jobs vs applications**  
(e.g. medicine students and hospitals)

# Maximal and maximum matchings



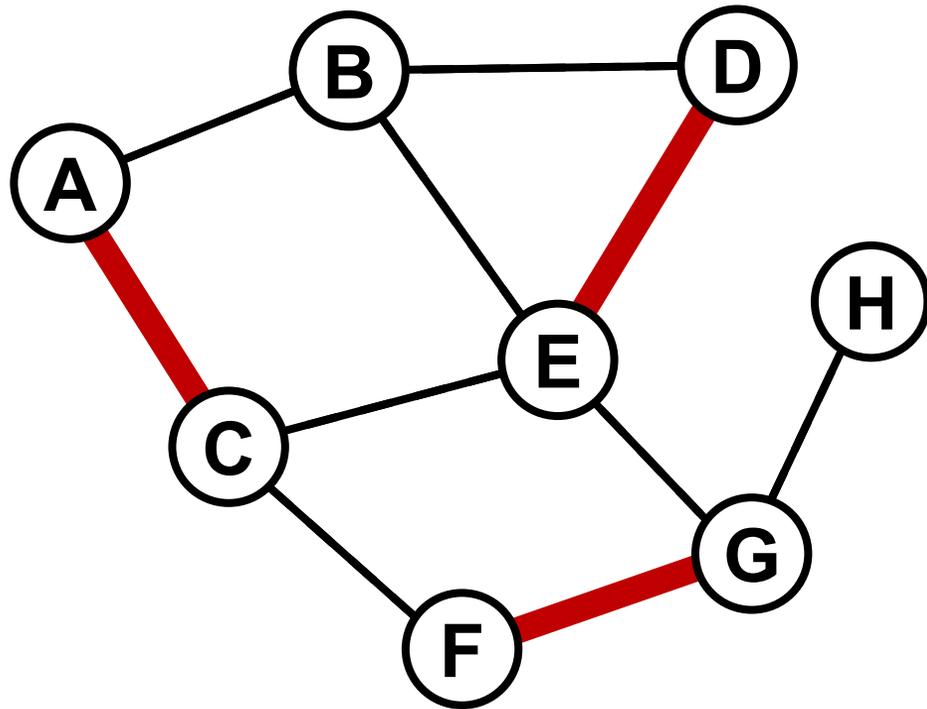
**Maximal**  
cannot be extended



**Maximum**  
largest possible matching

**Lemma**  $|\text{Maximum matching}| / 2 \leq |\text{maximal matching}| \leq |\text{maximum matching}|$

# Maximal matching construction

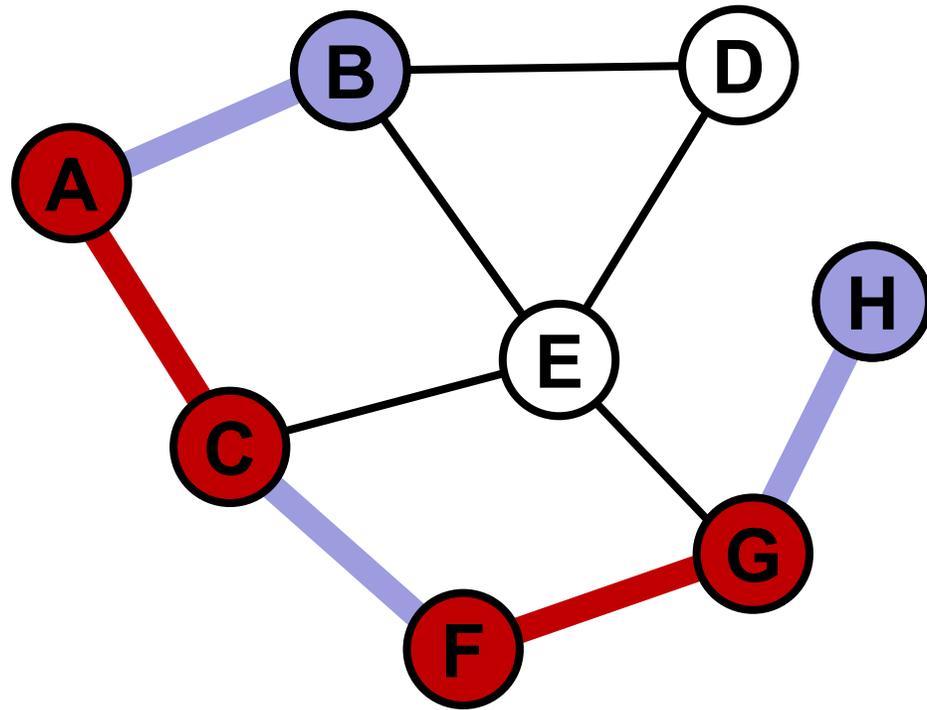


## Greedy algorithm

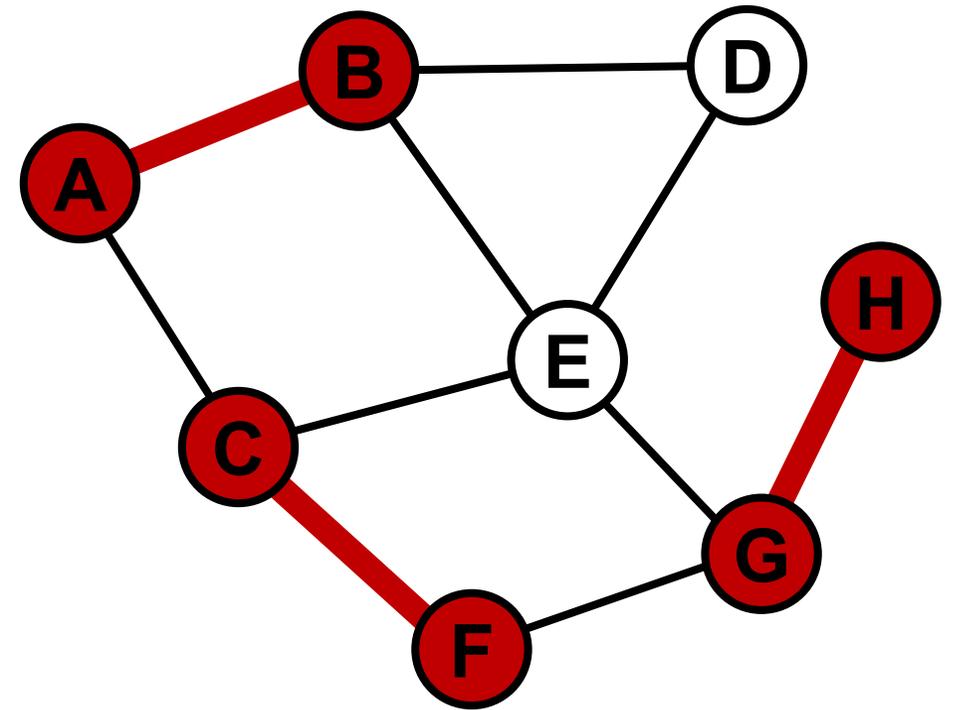
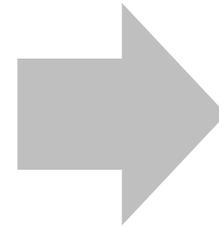
Continue adding arbitrary edges to the matching as long as possible

Time  $O(n + m)$

# Construction of a maximum matching – augmenting paths



Path between two unmatched nodes,  
where every second edge in matching



size of matching increased by one

# Petersen 1891 / König 1931 / Berge 1957

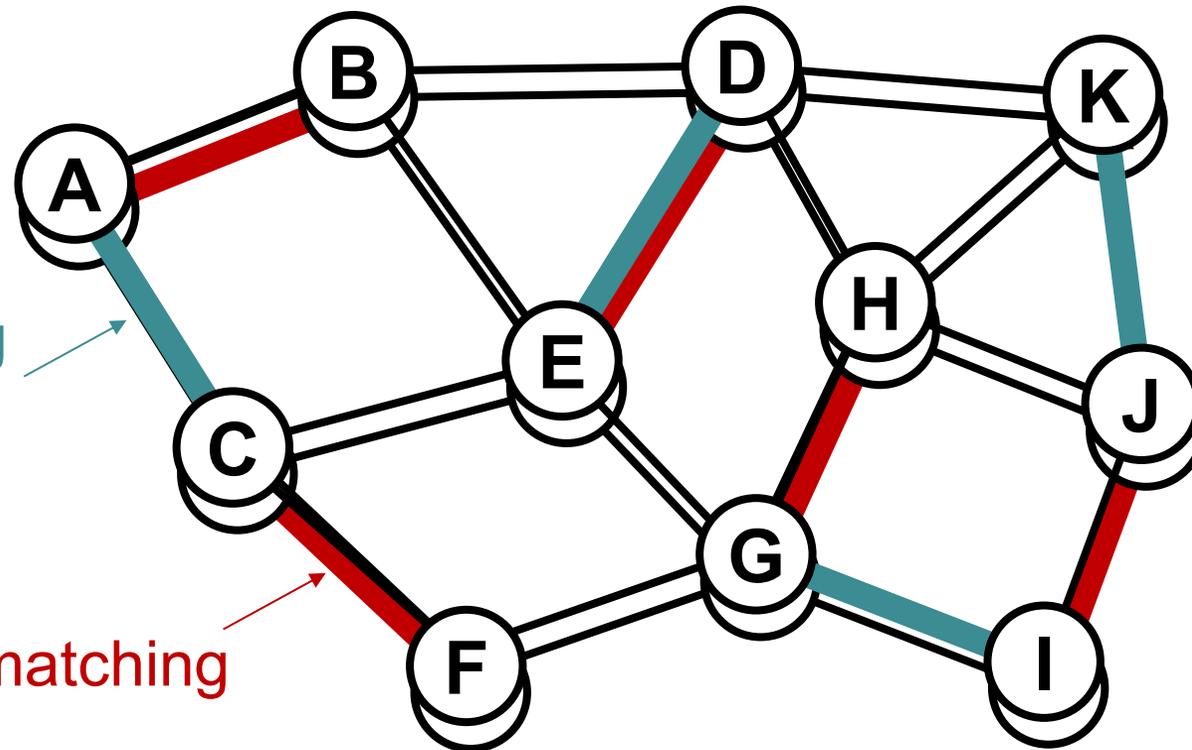
## Theorem

A matching is maximum  $\Leftrightarrow$  no augmenting path exists

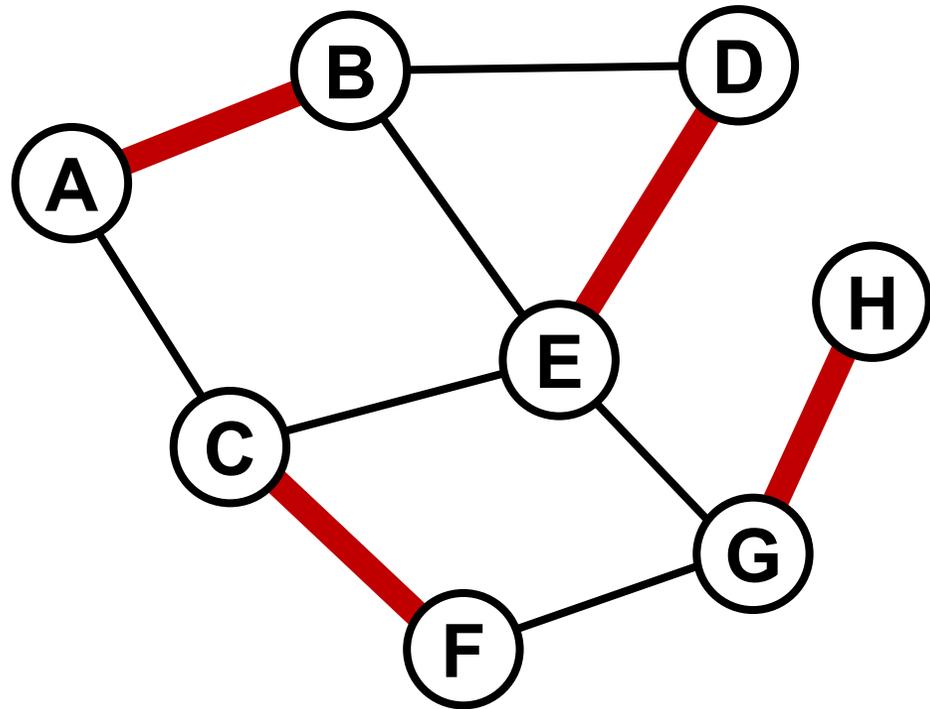
”Proof”

current matching  
(not maximum)

a maximum matching



# Construction of a maximum matching

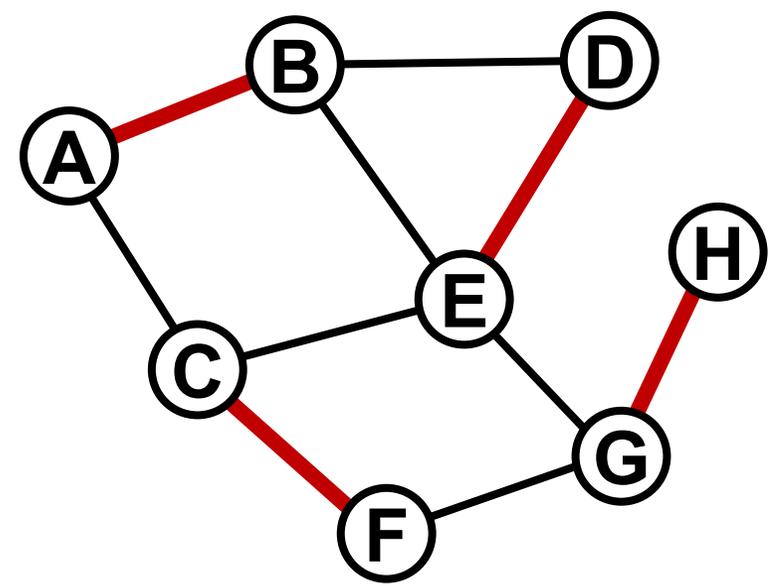
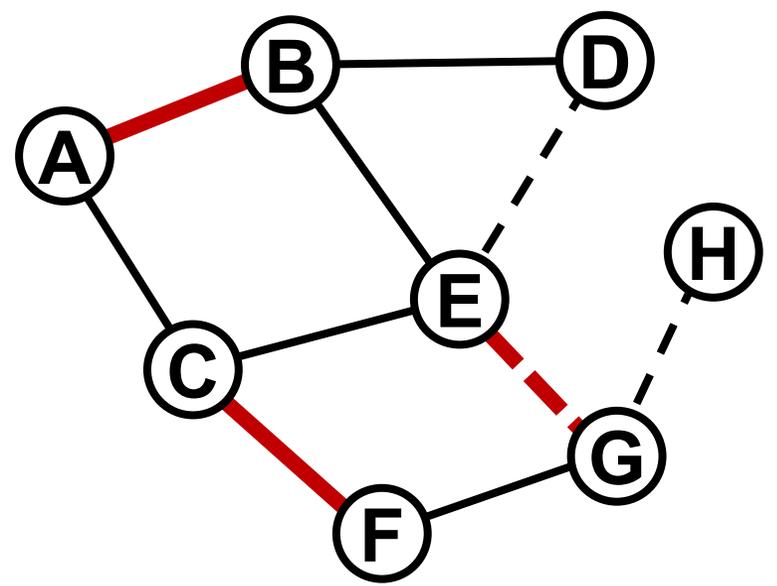
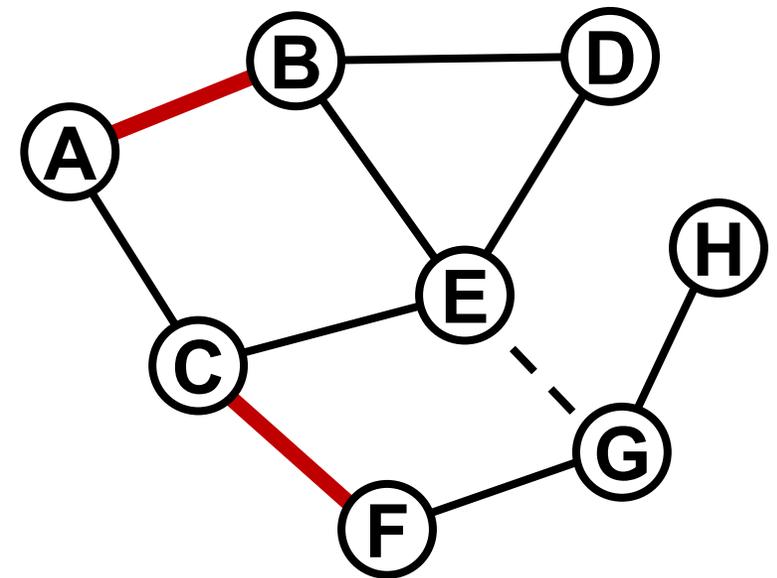
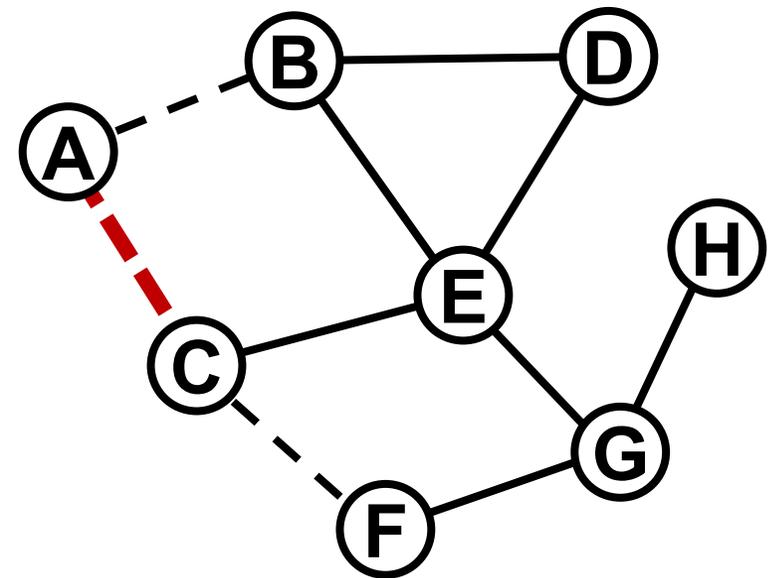
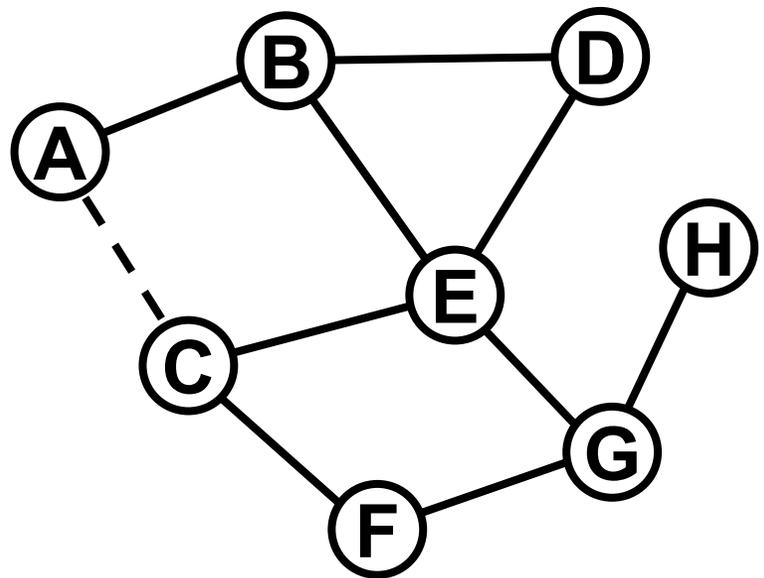


## Greedy algorithm

Apply augmenting paths  
while possible

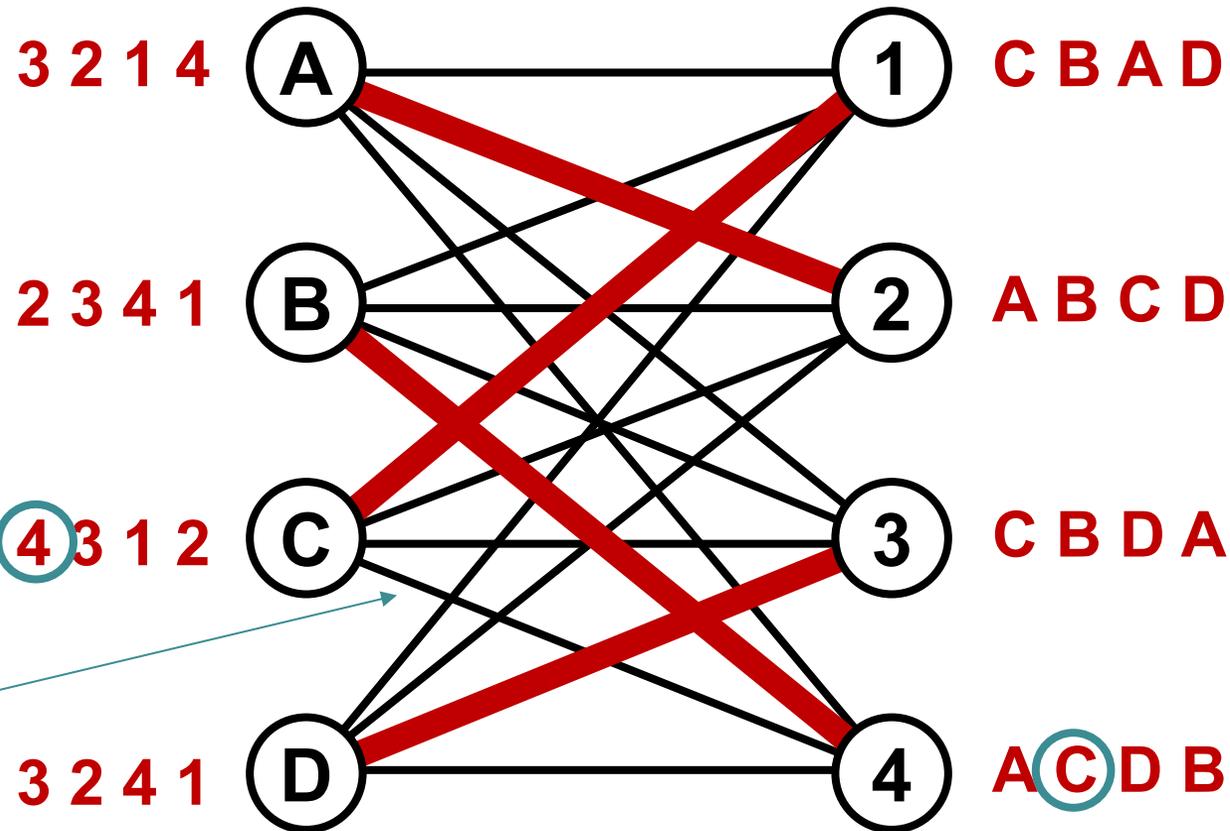
Edmonds 1961  $O(m \cdot n^2)$

Micali, Vazirani 1980  $O(m \cdot n^{1/2})$



# Stable marriage problem

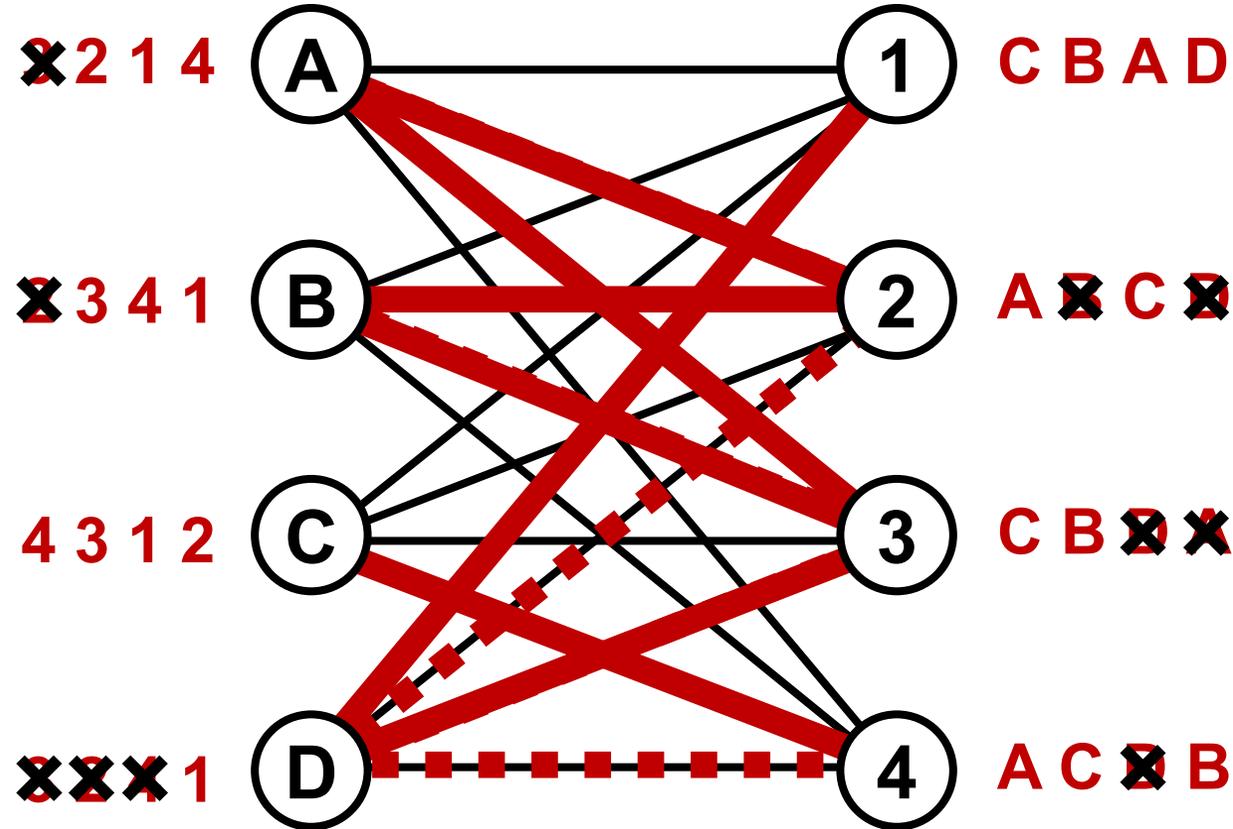
preferences



matching **not stable**, since  
C prefers 4 (over 1), and  
4 prefers C (over B)

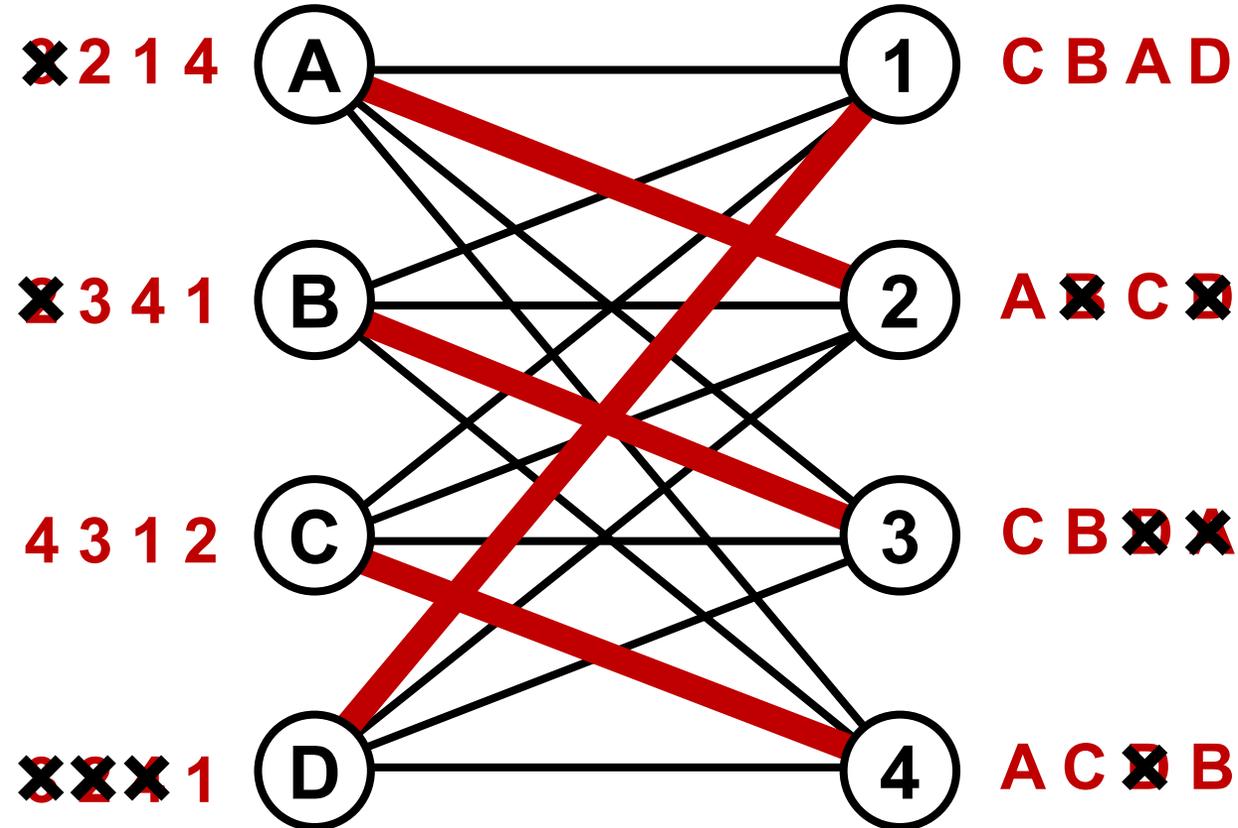
complete bipartite graph with equal  
number of nodes on each side

# Stable marriage – greedy algorithm



If left  $X$  rejected by right  $i$ , then  $i$  is matched with some  $Y$  preferred over  $X$   
 $X$  is matched with the most preferred, not yet rejected  $X$

# Stable marriage – greedy algorithm

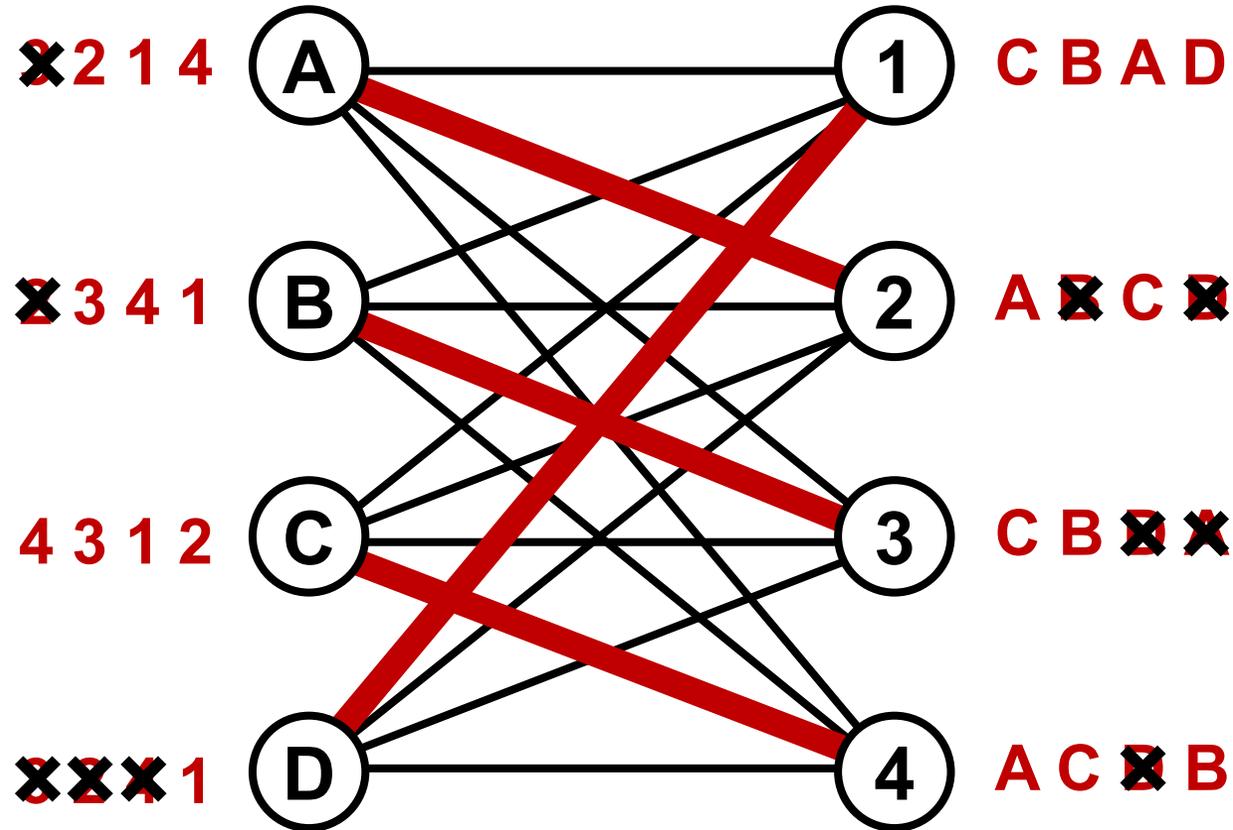


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Time  $O(n^2)$

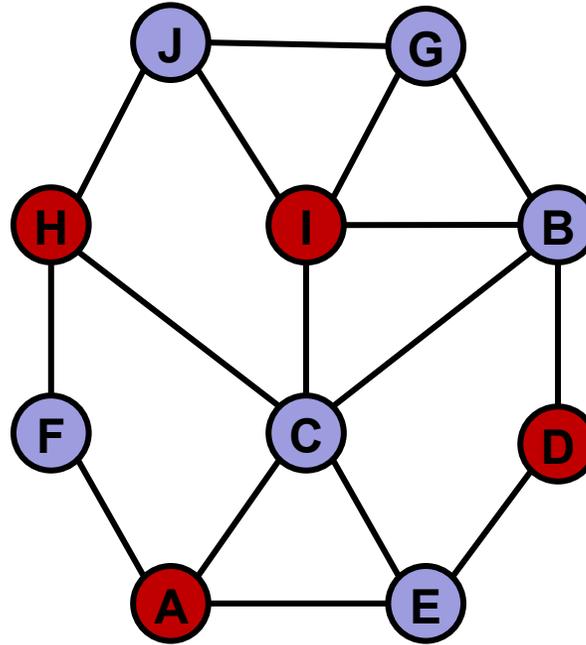
# Theorem (Gale, Shapley 1962)

A stable marriage always exist



(Shapley got the Nobel price in economics for the result in 2012)

# Independent set vs vertex cover



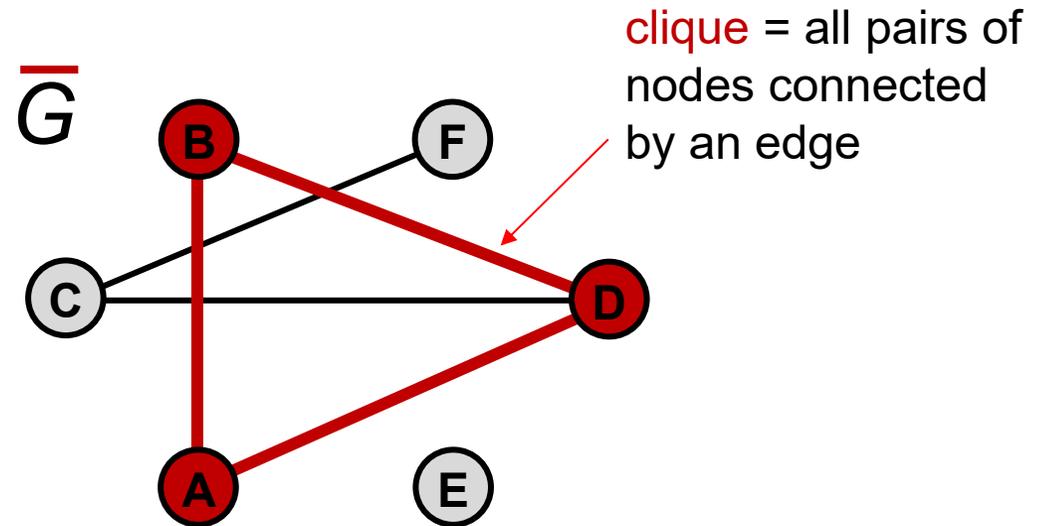
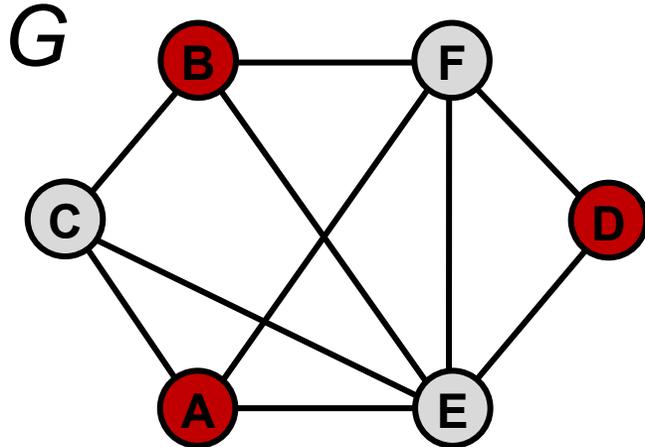
## Lemma

$I \subseteq V$  independent set  $\Leftrightarrow V \setminus I$  covers all edges

## Theorem

$I \subseteq V$  maximum independent set  $\Leftrightarrow V \setminus I$  minimum vertex cover

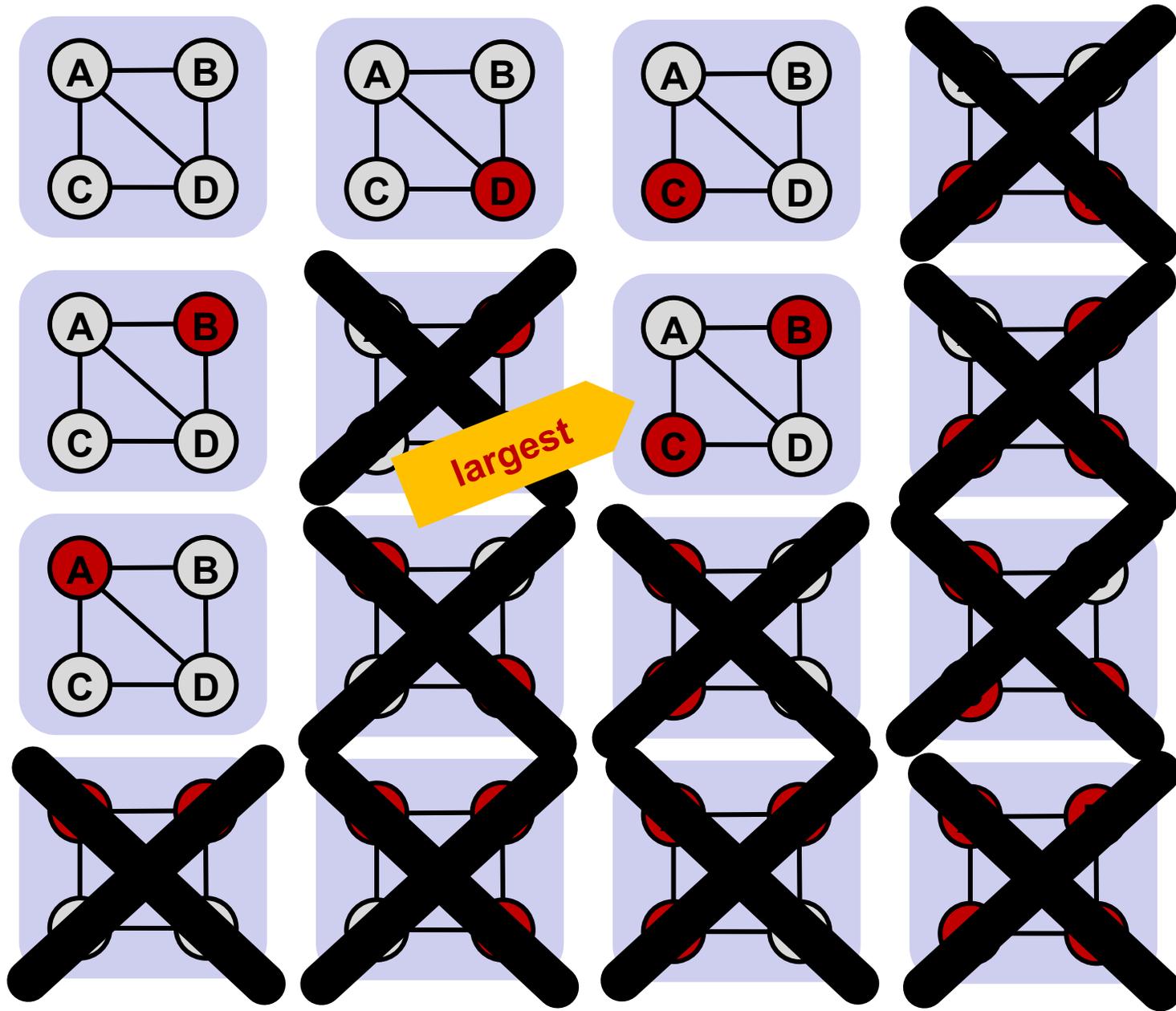
# Independent set vs clique



## Theorem

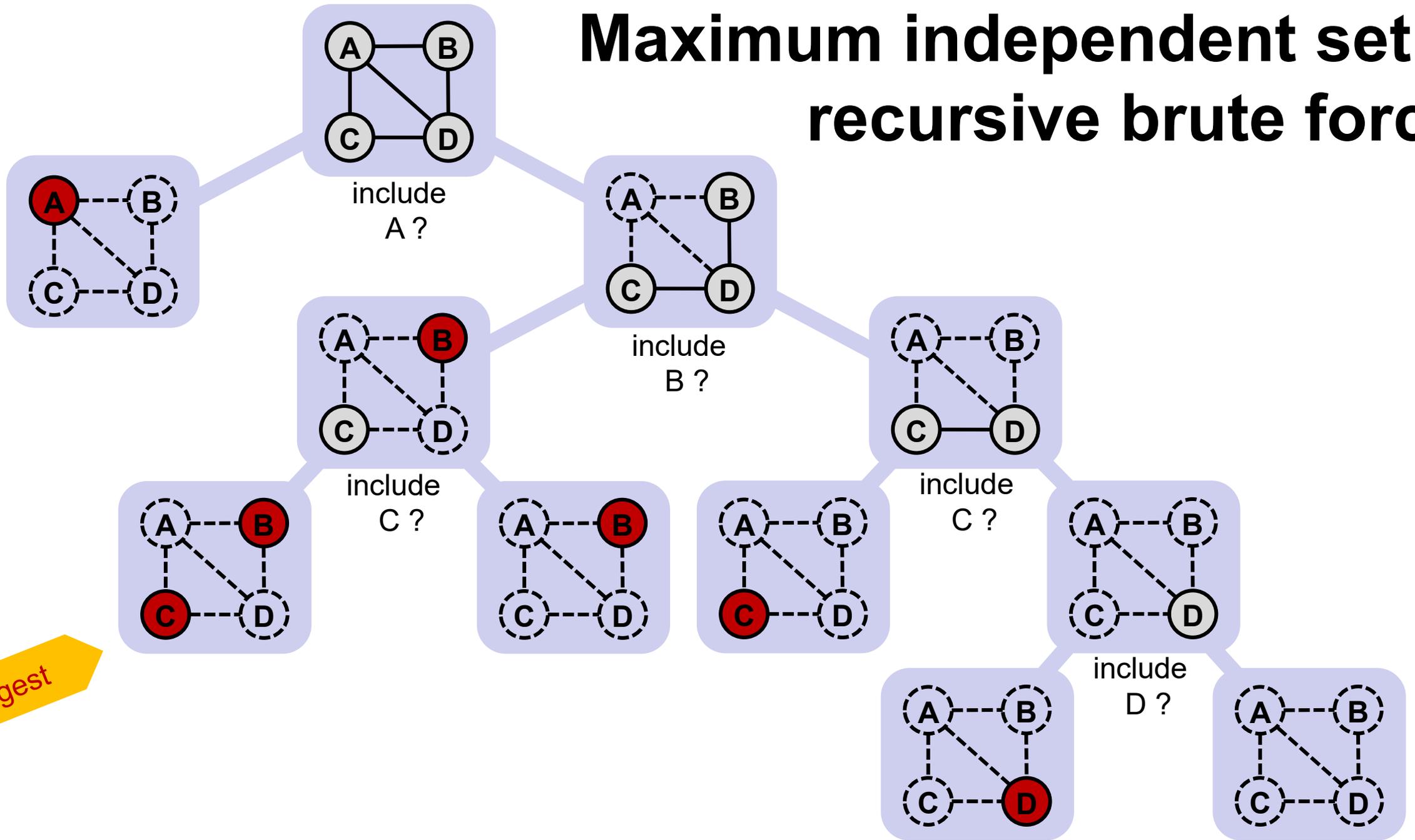
$I \subseteq V$  maximum independent set in  $G \iff I$  maximum clique in  $\overline{G}$

# Maximum independent set – try all $2^n$ subsets



Time  $O(m \cdot 2^n)$

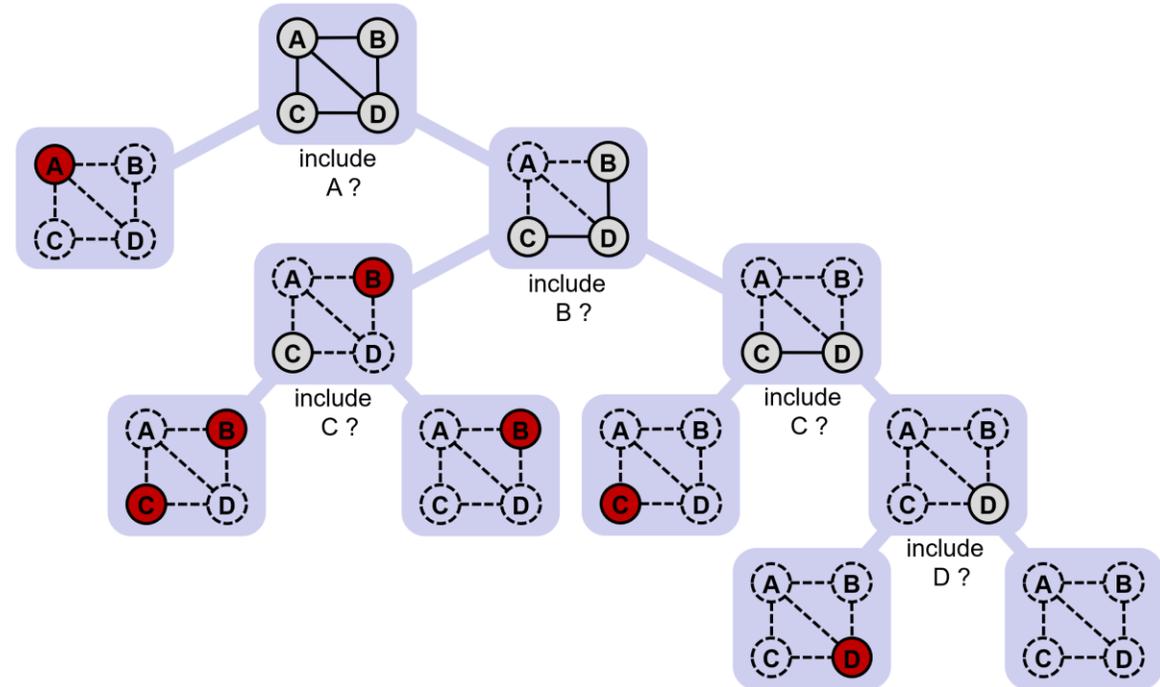
# Maximum independent set – recursive brute force



# Maximum independent set

**Algorithm** MIS1( $G$ )

- 1 **if**  $V_G = \emptyset$  **then**
- 2     **return**  $\emptyset$
- 3 let  $v \in V_G$  be an arbitrary vertex
- 4  $I = \text{MIS1}(G \setminus \{v\})$
- 5  $I' = \{v\} \cup \text{MIS1}(G \setminus \{v\} \setminus \text{adj}_G(v))$
- 6 **if**  $|I'| > |I|$  **then**
- 7      $I = I'$
- 8 **return**  $I$

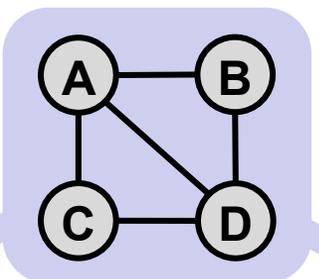
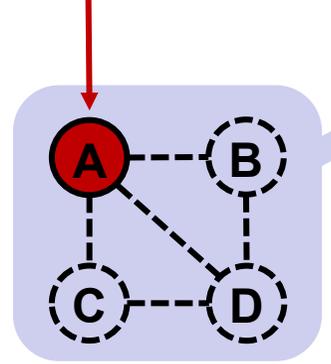


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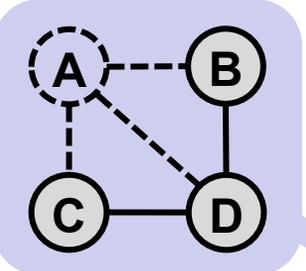
# recursive calls

$$T(n) \leq \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } n = 0 \\ 1 + 2 \cdot T(n-1) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \Rightarrow T(n) \leq 2^{n+1} - 1$$

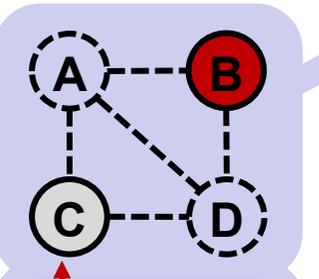
high degree removes many neighbors from one recursive call



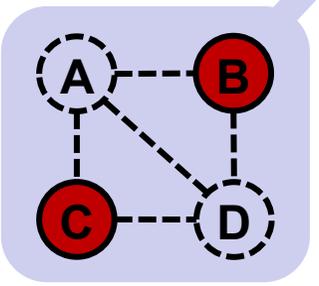
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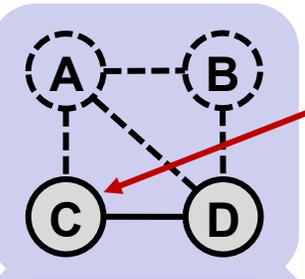
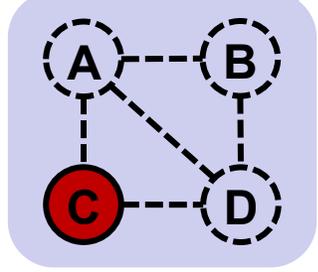
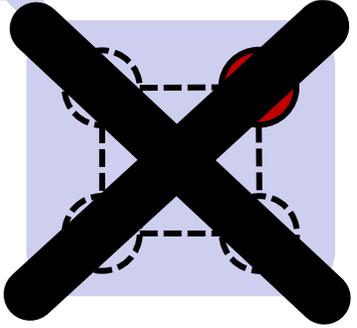
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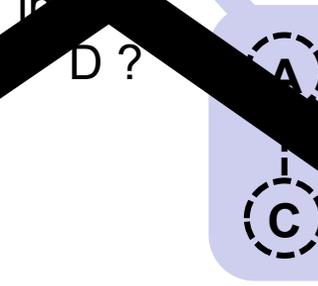
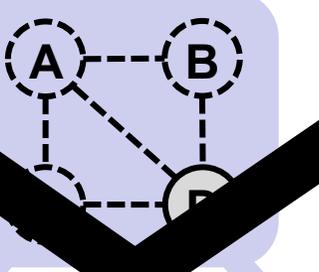
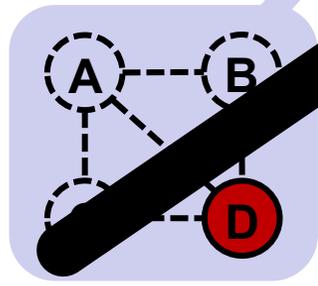
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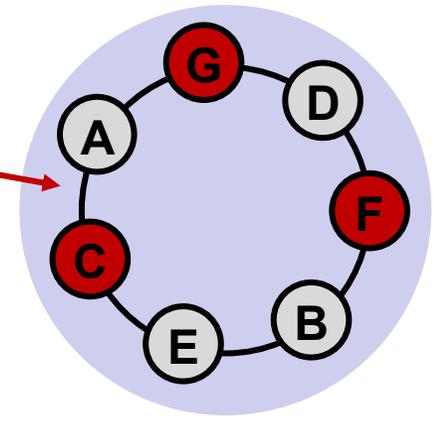
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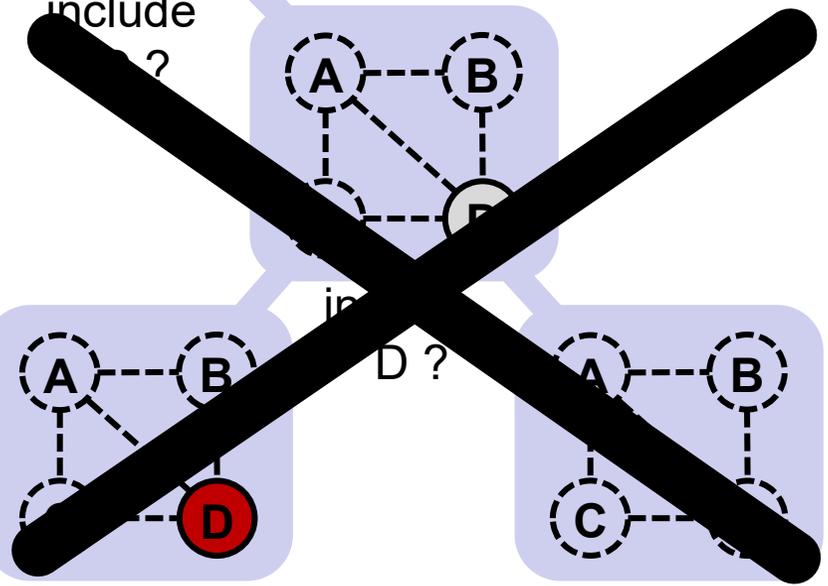
include D?



all nodes degree = 2 ( $\geq 1$  cycles), include every second node



degree = 1 can be included



## Algorithm MIS2 ( $G$ )

```
1   $I = \emptyset$ 
2  while  $\exists v \in V_G : |\text{adj}_G(v)| \leq 1$  do
3       $I = I \cup \{v\}$ 
4       $G = G \setminus \{v\} \setminus \text{adj}_G(v)$ 
5  # all vertices have degree  $\geq 2$ 
6  if  $\exists v \in V_G : |\text{adj}_G(v)| \geq 3$  then
7       $I_1 = I \cup \text{MIS2}(G \setminus \{v\})$ 
8       $I_2 = I \cup \{v\} \cup \text{MIS2}(G \setminus \{v\} \setminus \text{adj}_G(v))$ 
9      return  $I_1$  if  $|I_1| \geq |I_2|$  otherwise  $I_2$ 
10 # all remaining vertices have degree 2
11 while  $\exists$  cycle  $C = (c_1, c_2, \dots, c_k)$  in  $G$  do
12      $I = I \cup \{c_1, c_3, c_5, \dots, c_{2\lfloor k/2 \rfloor}\}$ 
13      $G = G \setminus C$ 
14 return  $I$ 
```

greedy include nodes with degree 0 and 1

like MIS1, except  $\geq 4$  nodes are removed in second call

greedy include nodes on cycles

## Analysis

# recursive calls  $T(n) \leq \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } n = 0 \\ 1 + T(n-1) + T(n-4) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \Rightarrow T(n) = O(1.38028^n)$

# Reduction – 3-SAT to independent set

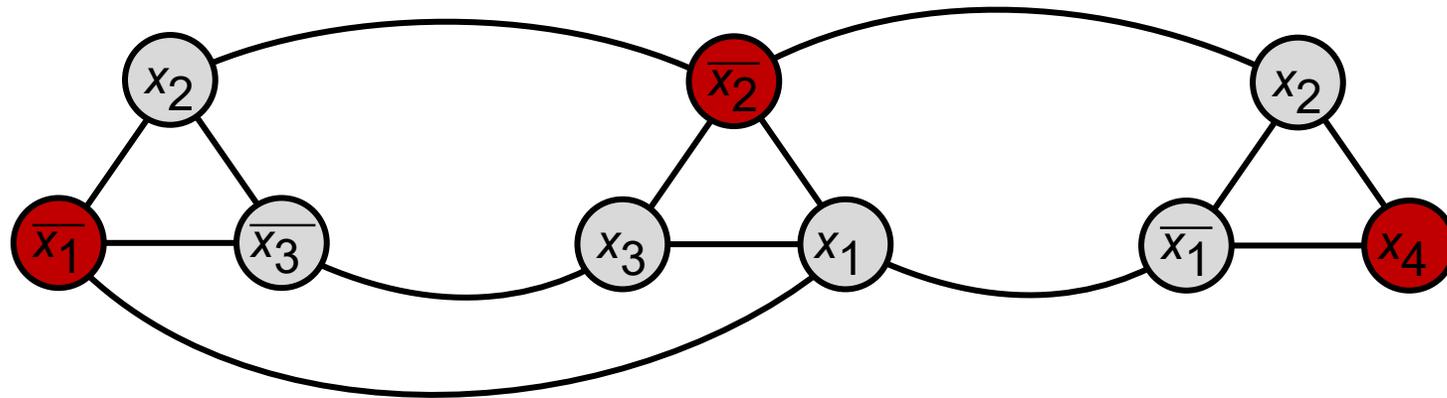
- **3-SAT** Given a Boolean formula in conjunctive normal form (CNF), where all  $n$  clauses have three literals, e.g.

$$\varphi = (\overline{x_1} \vee x_2 \vee \overline{x_3}) \wedge (x_1 \vee \overline{x_2} \vee x_3) \wedge (\overline{x_1} \vee x_2 \vee x_4)$$

- Exists assignment of true/false to the literals  $x_1, x_2, \dots$  such that the equation is true?

$$x_1 = x_2 = \text{false}, \quad x_3 = x_4 = \text{true}$$

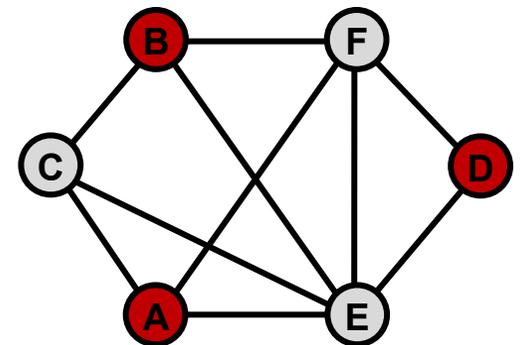
- **Reduction** Create one triangle per clause, one node per literal. Add edges  $(\overline{x_j}, x_j)$ .



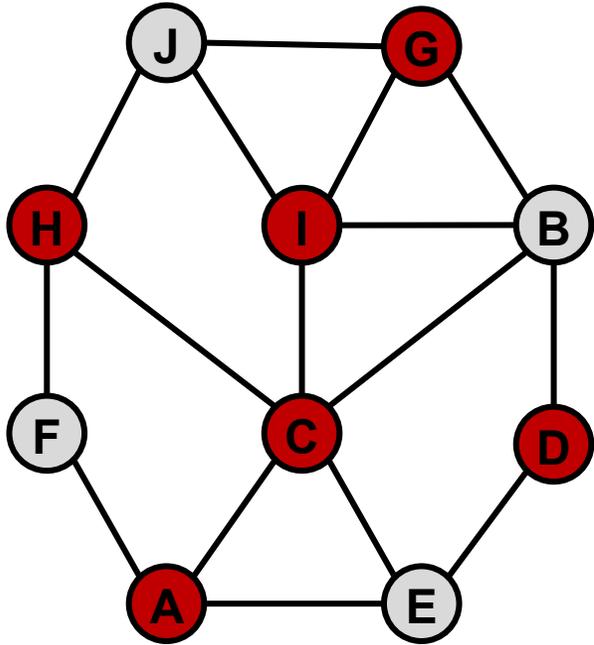
- **Theorem** 3-SAT formula satisfiable  $\Leftrightarrow$  maximum independent set of size  $n$

# NP-hardness

- 3-SAT is an **NP-hard** problem, implying that it is questionable if there exist better than exponential time algorithms
- The reduction implies that the following problems are also NP-hard
  - **maximum independent set**
  - **maximum clique** (= independent set in the negated graph)
  - **minimum vertex cover** (= negation of maximum independent set)
- Maximum independent set can be solved in time  $O(1.1996^n)$  [Xiao & Nagamochi, 2017]



# 2-approximation of minimum vertex cover



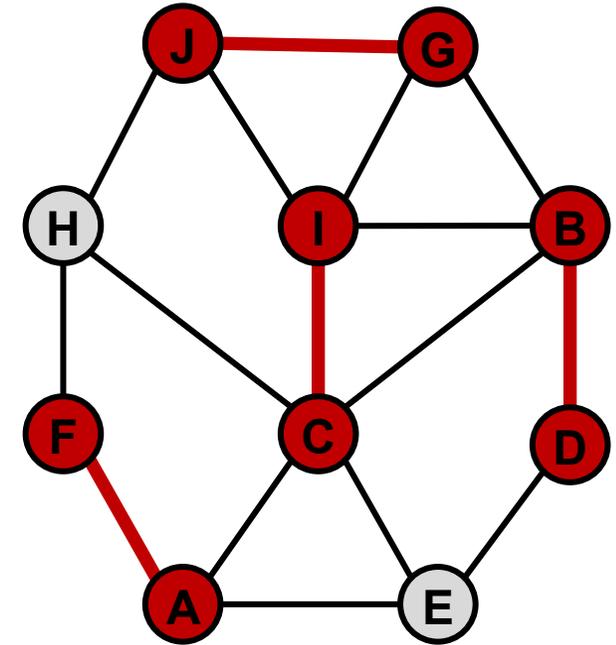
Minimum  
vertex cover  $C_{\text{optimal}}$

## Algorithm

- Compute a **maximal** matching  $M$
- Vertex cover  $C =$  all nodes in  $M$

## Analysis

- $C$  is at most twice the minimum vertex cover  $C_{\text{optimal}}$ , since all edges in  $M$  must include a node from  $C_{\text{optimal}}$
- Time  $O(n + m)$



maximal matching  $M$   
 $\Rightarrow$  vertex cover  $C$

Minimum vertex cover cannot be approximated in polynomial time better than...

- factor  $\sqrt{2} \approx 1.4142$ , provided  $\mathbf{P} \neq \mathbf{NP}$  (the big open problem in computer science)
- factor 2, provided the "unique games conjecture" is true (i.e., the above is best possible)

# Summary

- Maximal and maximum matchings
- Stable marriage problem
- Maximum clique
- Maximum independent sets
- Minimum vertex cover
- 3-SAT (NP-hardness)
- Reductions
- Exponential time algorithms
- Approximation algorithms

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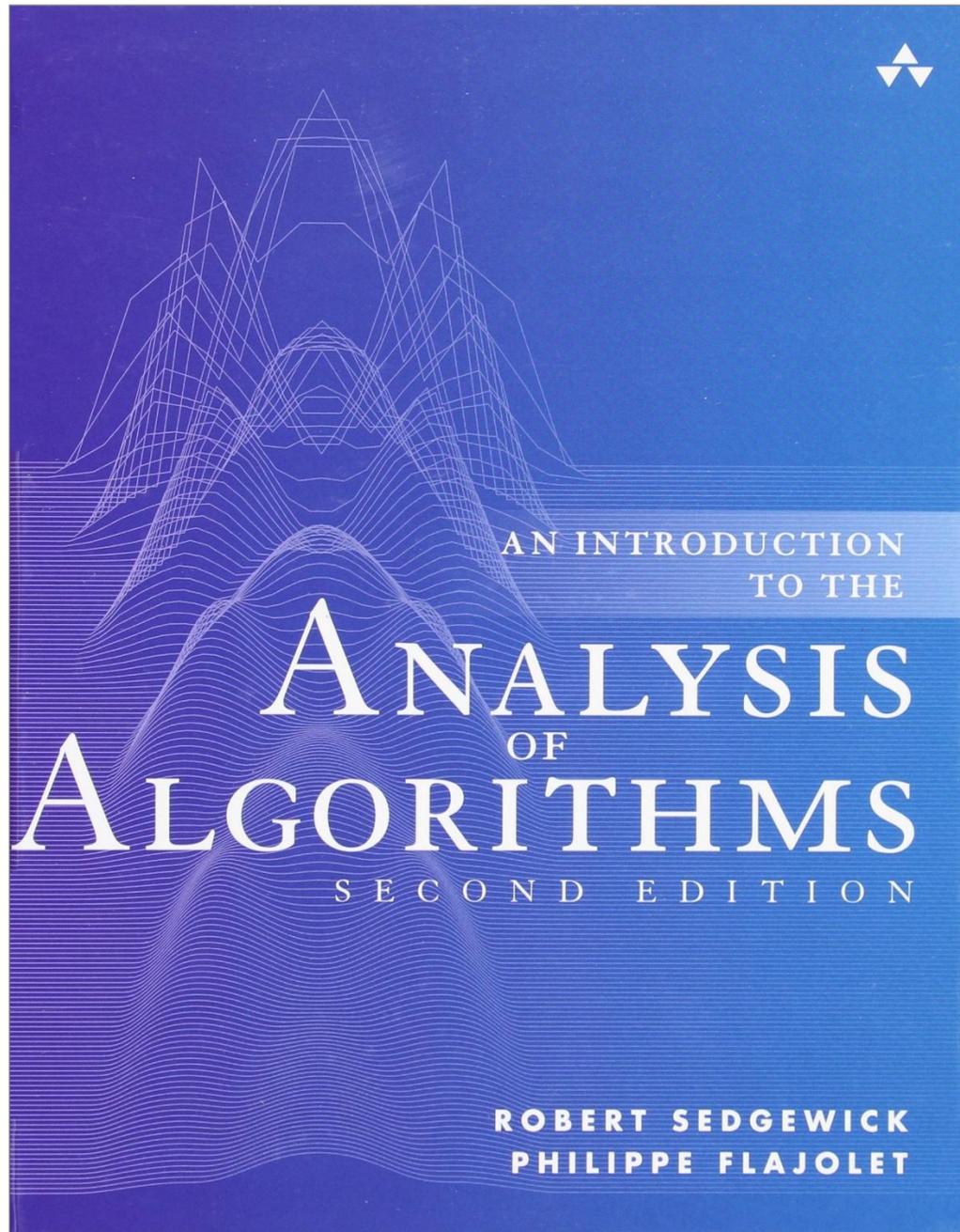
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- Multiple-choice on paper
- No aids allowed at the exam (also not textbooks or personal notes)
- 2 hours
- Preparation for the exam: Solve old exam exercises + Q&A

Algorithms and Data Structures (520251E001)

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