

NCKU Programming Contest Training Course

Time Complexity & Sorting

2017/02/16

Jingfei Yang

`e84016184@mail.ncku.edu.tw`

<http://myweb.ncku.edu.tw/~e84016184/sorting.pdf>

Department of Computer Science and Information Engineering
National Cheng Kung University
Tainan, Taiwan



Time Complexity



Time Complexity

- How to evaluate the execution time?

Run ID	User	Problem	Result
12350938	106580	1840	Time Limit Exceeded
12350931	hncu110610230	3903	Time Limit Exceeded
12350906	20112685	3233	Time Limit Exceeded
12350904	20112685	3233	Time Limit Exceeded
12350899	hncu793116483	1833	Time Limit Exceeded
12350889	xk2741	3016	Time Limit Exceeded
12350859	superstarzhu	3461	Time Limit Exceeded
12350840	davidlee1999WTK	1251	Time Limit Exceeded
12350835	altair21	1811	Time Limit Exceeded
12350797	altair21	1811	Time Limit Exceeded
12350786	hncu793116483	1833	Time Limit Exceeded
12350773	block3	3993	Time Limit Exceeded
12350770	clbq2012	1273	Time Limit Exceeded



Time Complexity

- Technical Analysis!!



Time Complexity

- k nested loops with n iterations each:
 - $O(n^k)$



Time Complexity

- k nested loops with n iterations each:
 - $O(n^k)$

- b recursive calls per level with maximum L levels:
 - $O(b^L)$



Time Complexity

- k nested loops with n iterations each:
 - $O(n^k)$
- b recursive calls per level with maximum L levels:
 - $O(b^L)$
- Process 2D $n \times m$ matrix with k op. each cell:
 - $O(n \times m \times k)$



Time Complexity

- Examples
- `for(i=0;i<n;i++)`
 `if(.....)`
- $O(n)$



Time Complexity

- Examples
- ```
for(i=0;i<n;i++)
 for(j=0;j<n;j++)
 if(.....)
```
- $O(n^2)$



# Time Complexity

---

- Examples
- ```
int two(int n){  
    if(n<2) return 1<<n;  
    return two(n-1)+two(n-1);  
}  
/* maximum n=M */
```
- $O(2^M)$



Time Complexity

- Given Input Size $n = 1,000$:
 - $O(n) =$
 - $O(n^2) =$
 - $O(n \lg n) =$

- Given Input Size $n = 1,000,000$:
 - $O(n) =$
 - $O(n^2) =$
 - $O(n \lg n) =$



Time Complexity

- Given Input Size $n = 1,000$:
 - $O(n) = O(1,000)$ **OK**
 - $O(n^2) = O(1,000,000)$ **OK**
 - $O(n \lg n) \doteq O(9965)$ **OK**

- Given Input Size $n = 1,000,000$:
 - $O(n) = O(1,000,000)$ **OK**
 - $O(n^2) = O(1,000,000,000,000)$ **Not good. Why...?**
 - $O(n \lg n) \doteq O(9,965,784)$ **OK**



Time Complexity

n	Worst AC Algorithm
$\leq [10..11]$	$O(n!), O(n^6)$
$\leq [15..18]$	$O(2^n \times n^2)$
$\leq [18..22]$	$O(2^n \times n)$
≤ 100	$O(n^4)$
≤ 400	$O(n^3)$
$\leq 2K$	$O(n^2 \log_2 n)$
$\leq 10K$	$O(n^2)$
$\leq 1M$	$O(n \log_2 n)$
$\leq 100M$	$O(n), O(\log_2 n), O(1)$

*A typical year 2013 CPU can process 100M operations in few seconds.

*Referenced from Competitive Programming, 3ed.



Time Complexity

- But!!
- The actual running time depends on your actual number of operations and CPU power.
- For safety: $10^6 - 10^7$ \Rightarrow ≤ 3 seconds
 - Modern computers



Sorting



What is sorting?

- Order the sequence by some rules
- Ex: ascending order
 - 6 5 1 4 3 2
 - 1 2 3 4 5 6



Bubble Sort

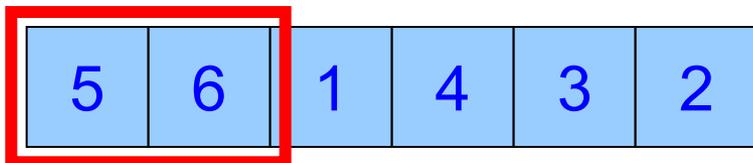
- Original

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



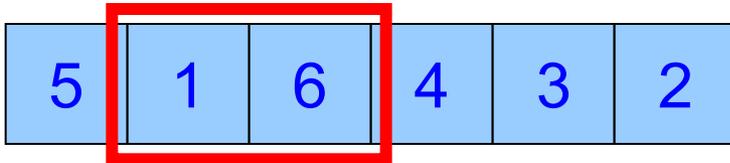
Bubble Sort

- Swap



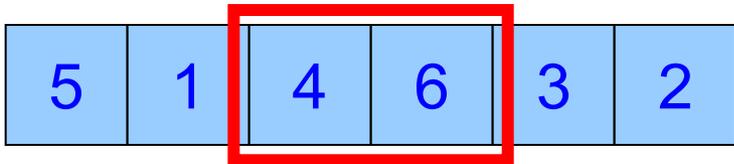
Bubble Sort

- Swap



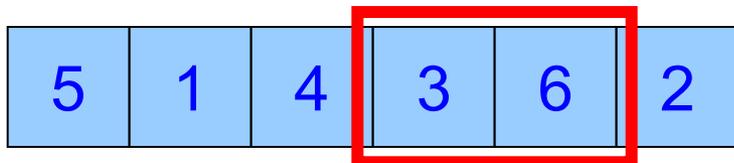
Bubble Sort

- Swap



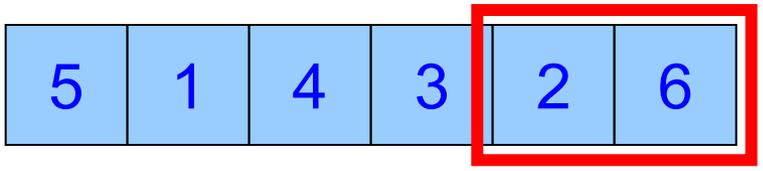
Bubble Sort

- Swap



Bubble Sort

- Swap



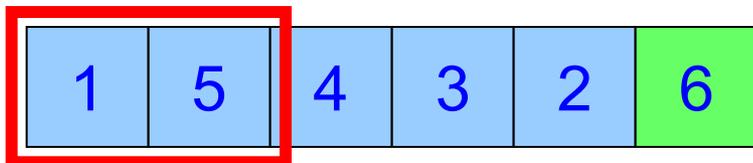
Bubble Sort

- End of First Iteration



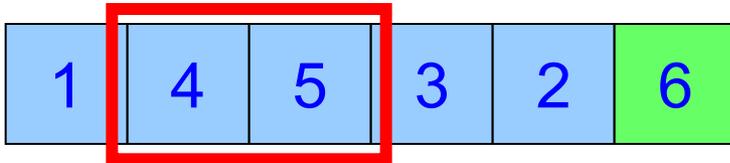
Bubble Sort

- Swap



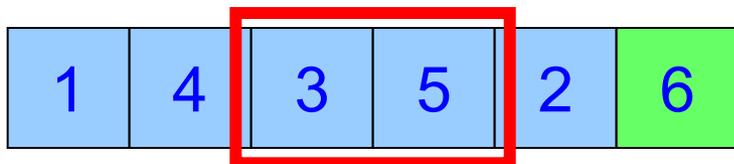
Bubble Sort

- Swap



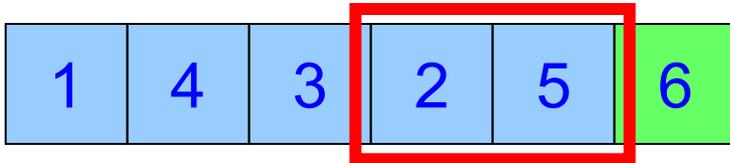
Bubble Sort

- Swap



Bubble Sort

- Swap



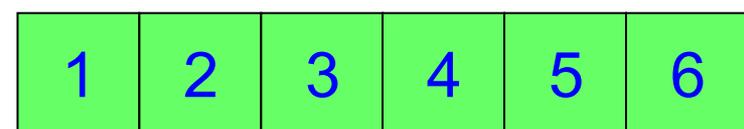
Bubble Sort

- End of Second Iteration



Bubble Sort

- And so on....



Done.



Bubble Sort

- Code

```
// Bubble Sort
for (i=n-1; i>0; i--) {
    for (j=0; j<i; j++) {
        if (ary[j]>ary[j+1]) {
            tmp=ary[j];
            ary[j]=ary[j+1];
            ary[j+1]=tmp;
        }
    }
}
```



Insertion Sort

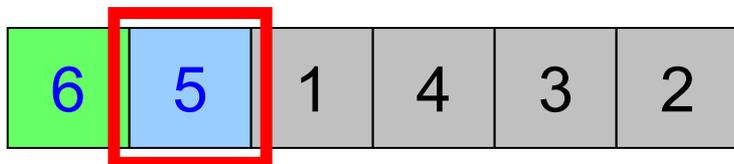
- Original

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



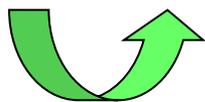
Insertion Sort

- Choose one to insert



Insertion Sort

- If value larger than chosen, then shift



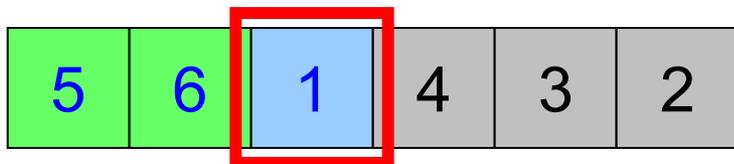
Insertion Sort

- Insert



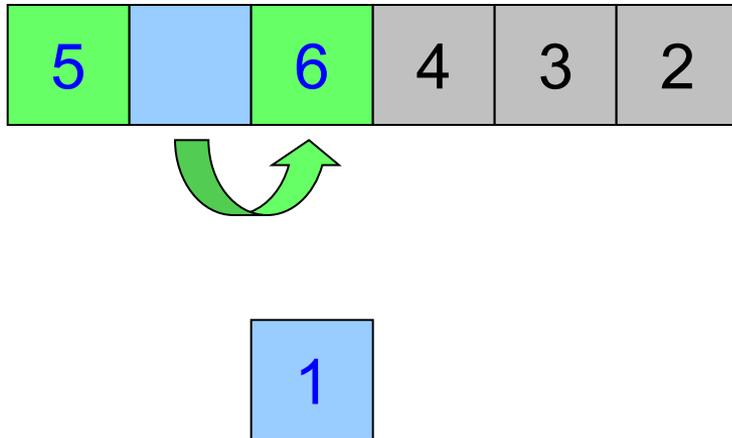
Insertion Sort

- Choose one to insert



Insertion Sort

- Shift



Insertion Sort

- Shift



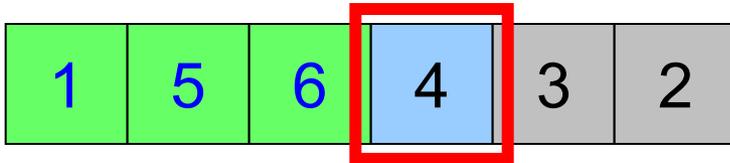
Insertion Sort

- Insert



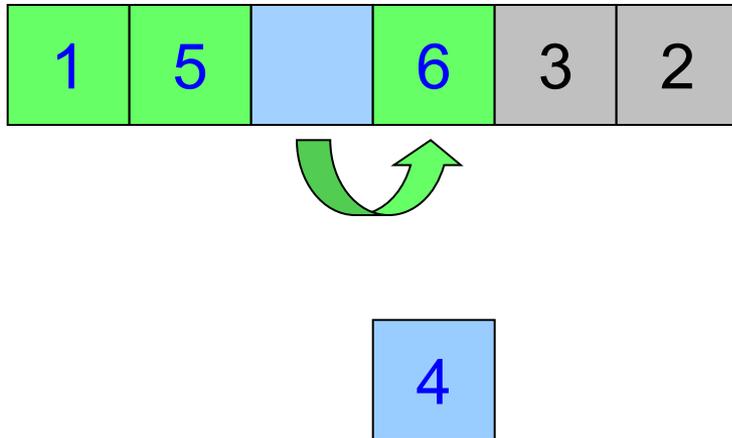
Insertion Sort

- Choose one to insert



Insertion Sort

- Shift



Insertion Sort

- Shift



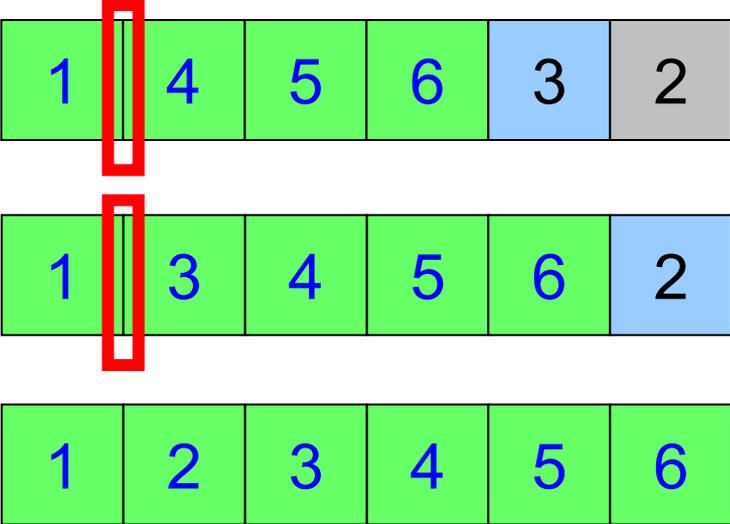
Insertion Sort

- Insert



Insertion Sort

- And so on...



Done.



Insertion Sort

- Code

```
// Insertion Sort
for(i=1;i<n;i++){
    tmp=ary[i];
    for(j=i-1;j>=0;j--){
        if(ary[j]>tmp) ary[j+1]=ary[j];
        else break;
    }
    ary[j+1]=tmp;
}
```



Example 1

UVa 10327 - Flip Sort

Sorting in computer science is an important part. Almost every problem can be solved efficiently if sorted data are found. There are some excellent sorting algorithms which have already achieved the lower bound $n \lg n$. In this problem we will also discuss about a new sorting approach. In this approach only one operation (Flip) is available and that is you can exchange two adjacent terms. If you think a while, you will see that it is always possible to sort a set of numbers in this way.

A set of integers will be given. Now using the above approach we want to sort the numbers in ascending order. You have to find out the minimum number of flips required. Such as to sort "1 2 3" we need no flip operation whether to sort "2 3 1" we need at least 2 flip operations.



Example 1

The Input

The input will start with a positive integer N ($N \leq 1000$). In next few lines there will be N integers. Input will be terminated by EOF.

The Output

For each data set print "Minimum exchange operations : M " where M is the minimum flip operations required to perform sorting. Use a separate line for each case.

Sample Input

```
3 1 2 3
3 2 3 1
```

Sample Output

```
Minimum exchange operations : 0
Minimum exchange operations : 2
```



逆序數

- 逆序對
 - $ary[i] > ary[j]$ for some $i < j$
- 逆序數
 - Sequence中所有逆序對的個數



Merge Sort

- Divide & Conquer
- $O(n \lg n)$

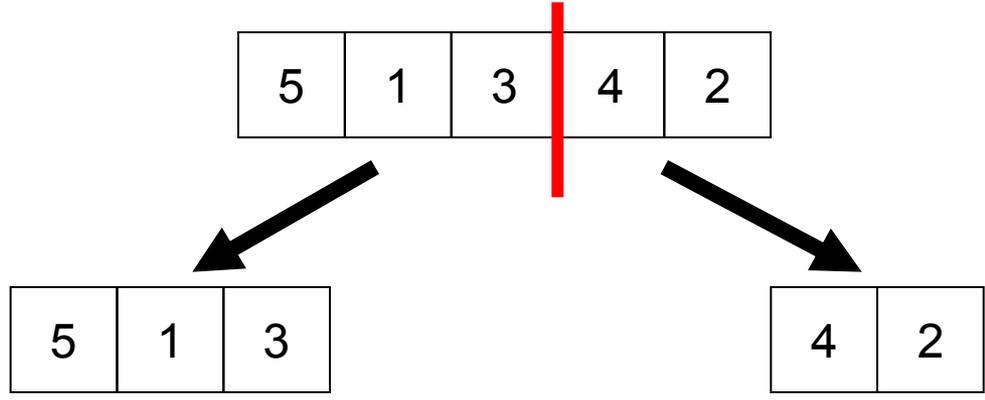


Merge Sort

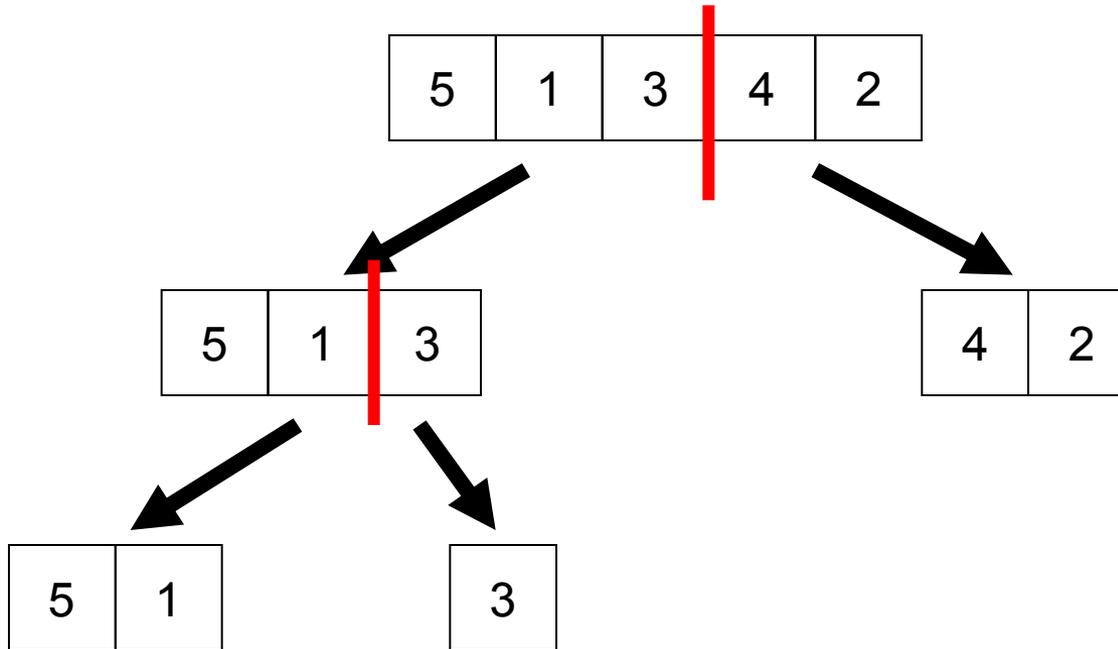
5	1	3	4	2
---	---	---	---	---



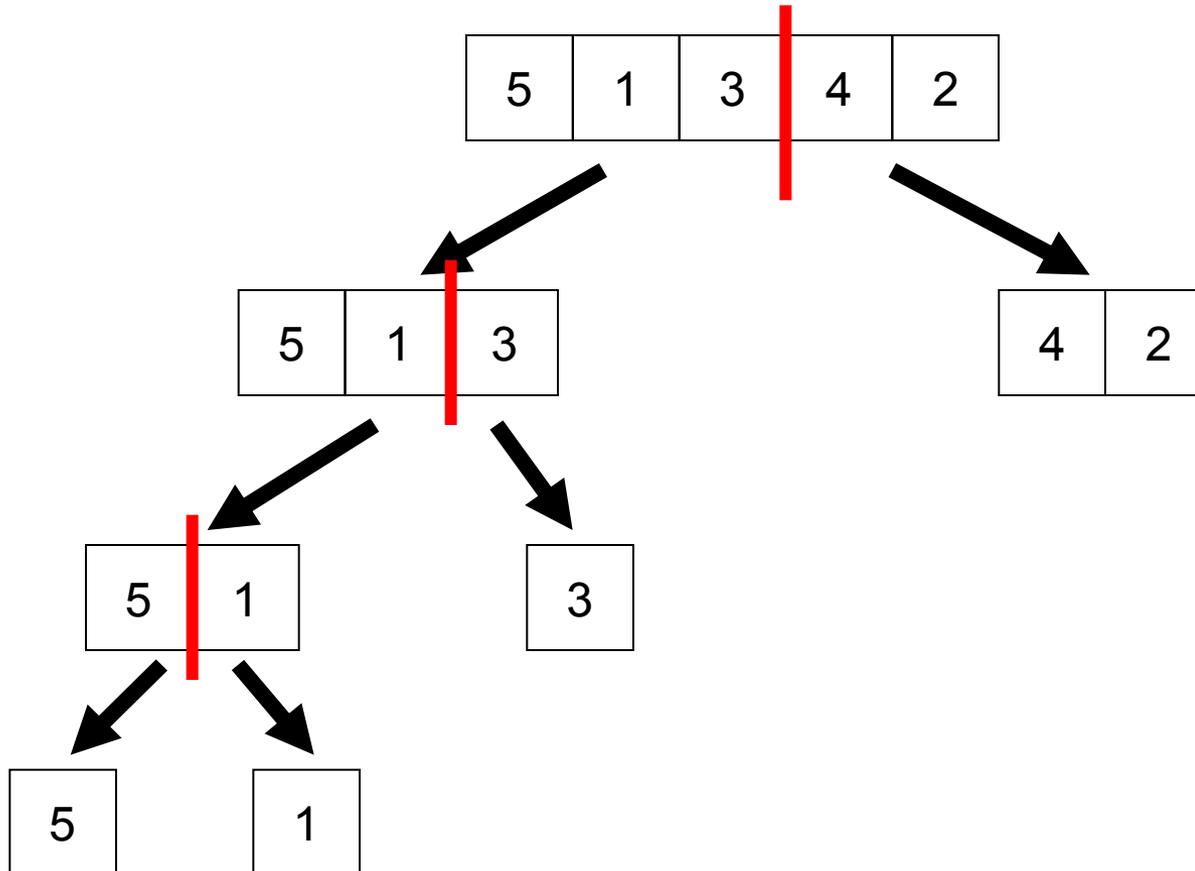
Merge Sort



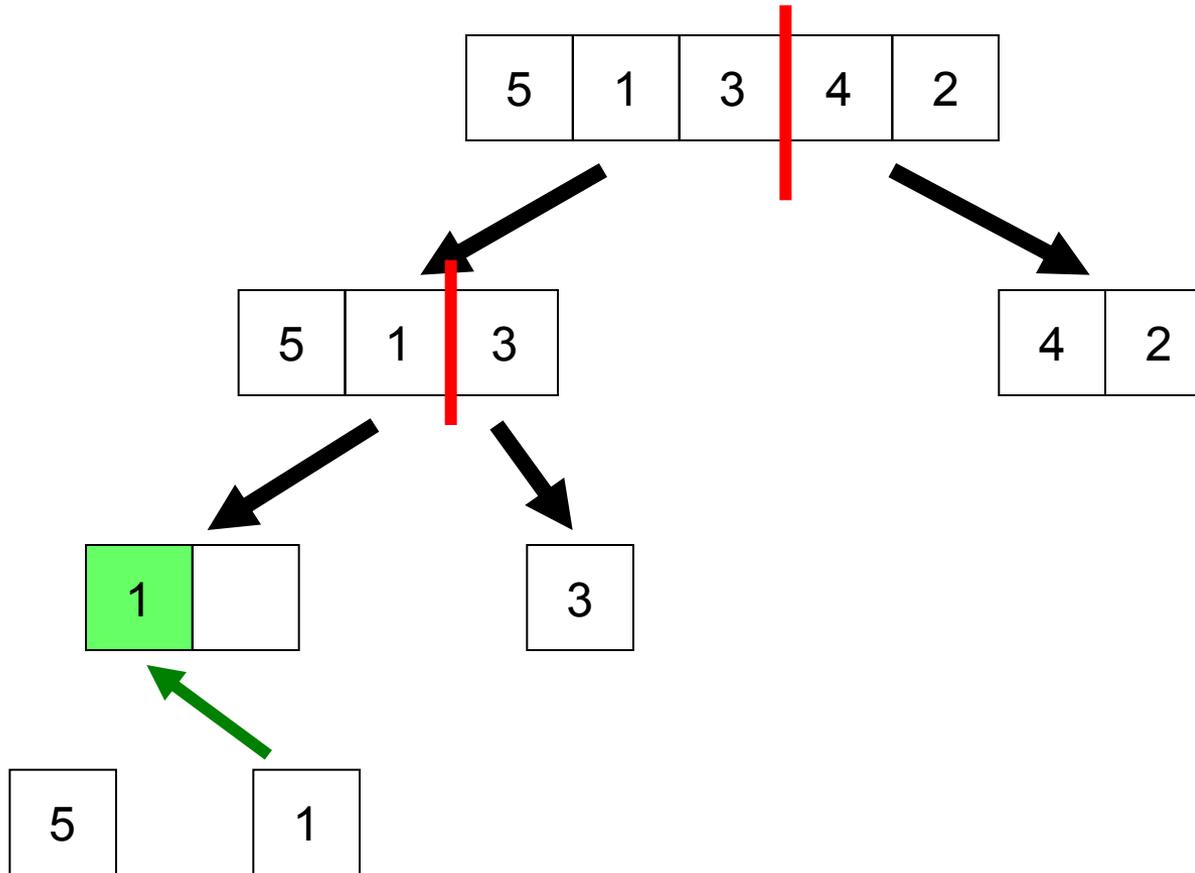
Merge Sort



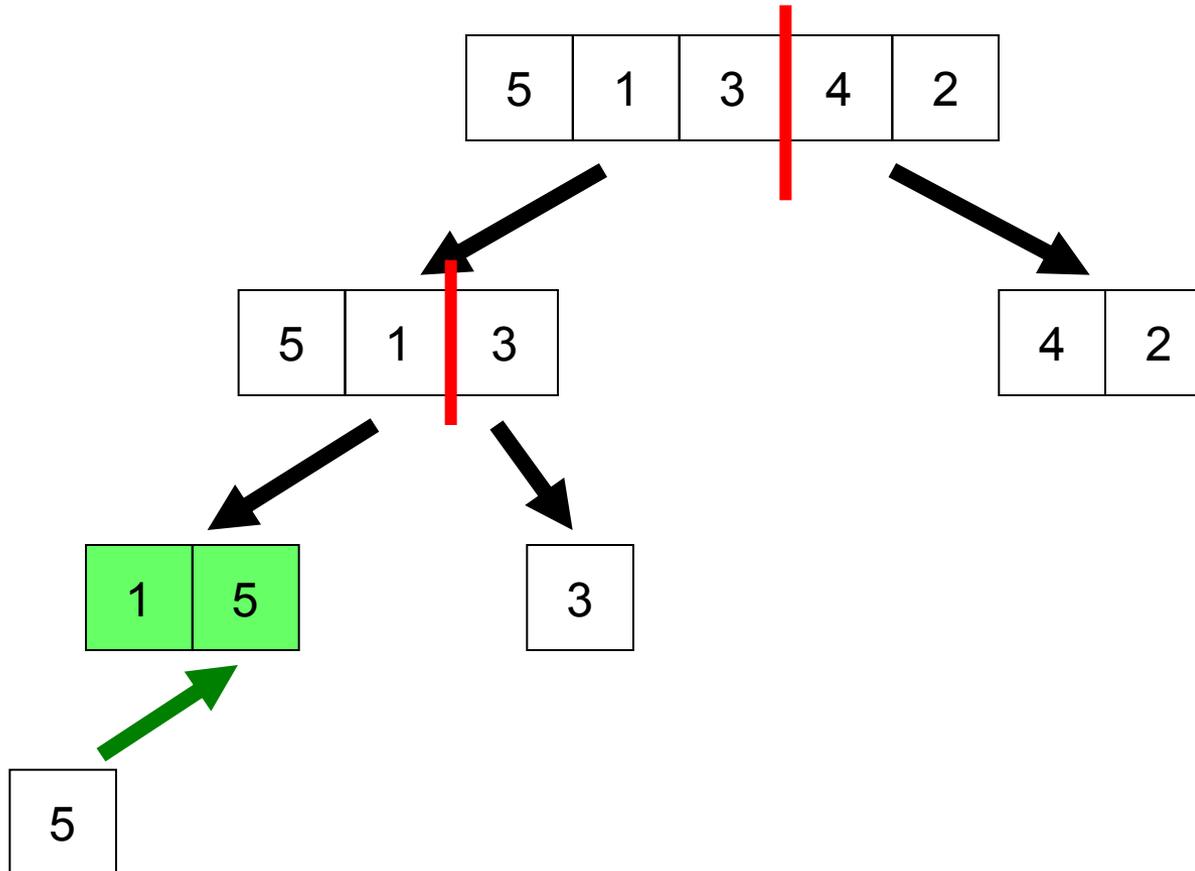
Merge Sort



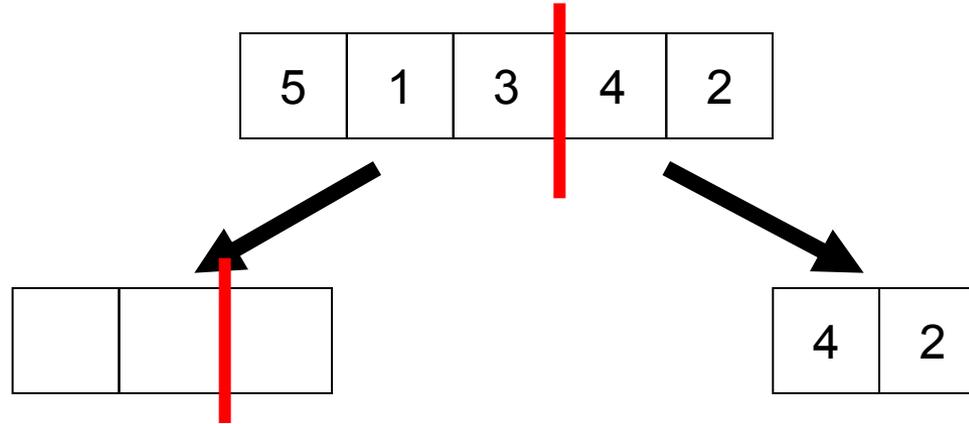
Merge Sort



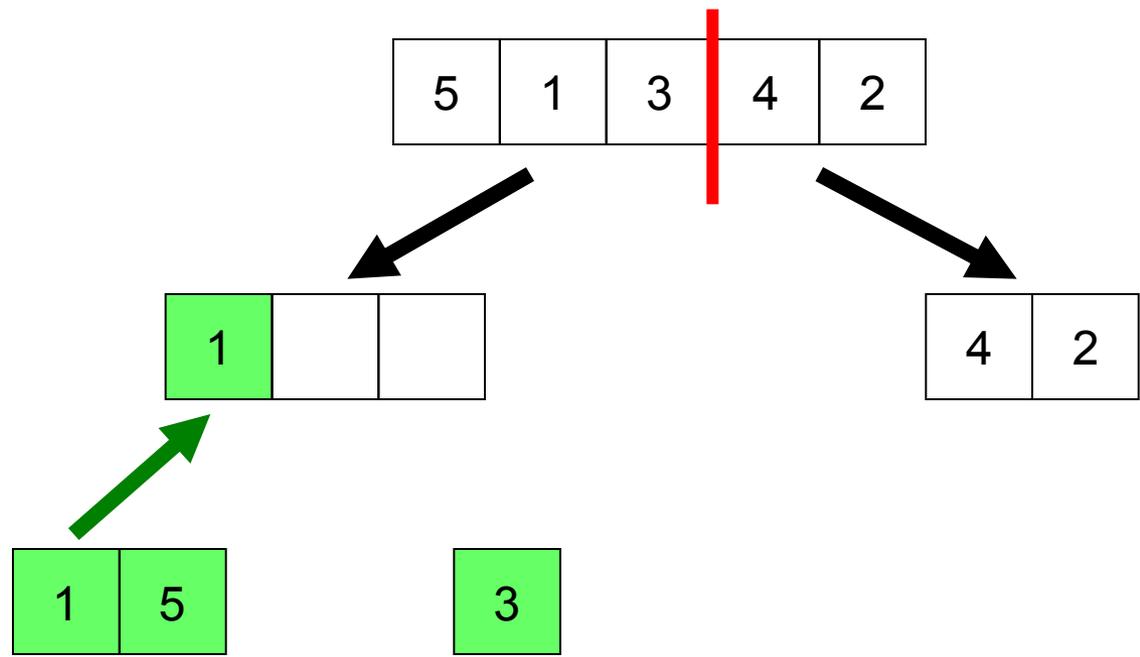
Merge Sort



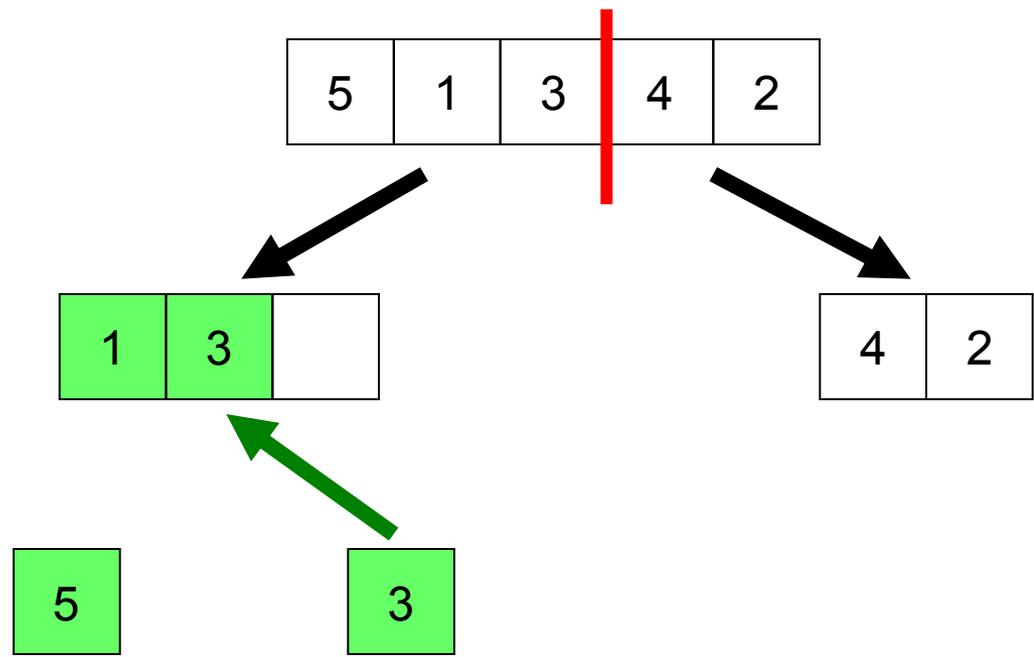
Merge Sort



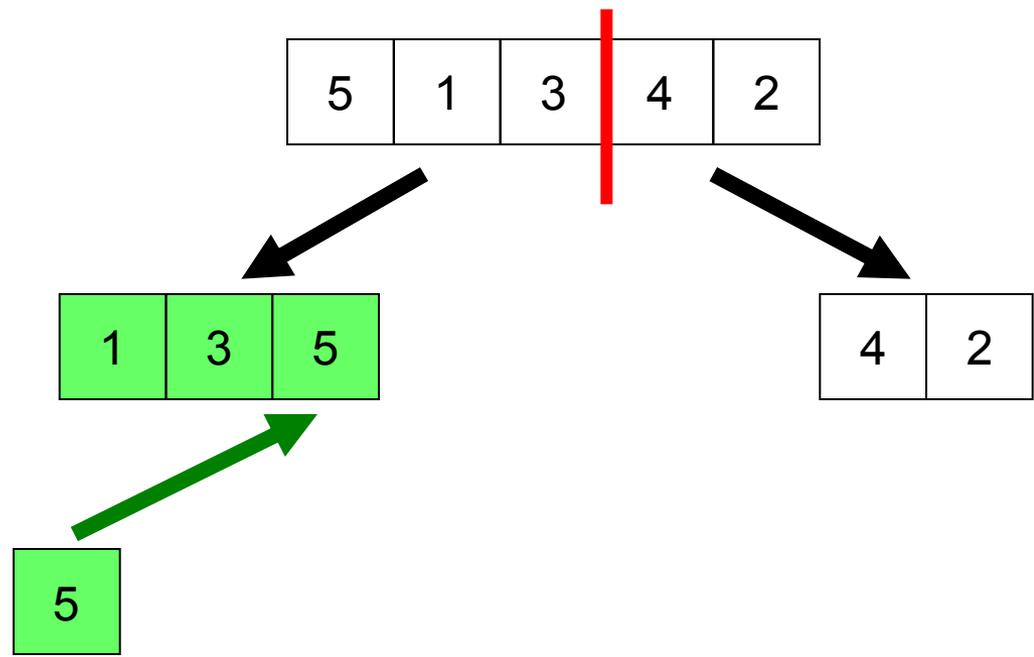
Merge Sort



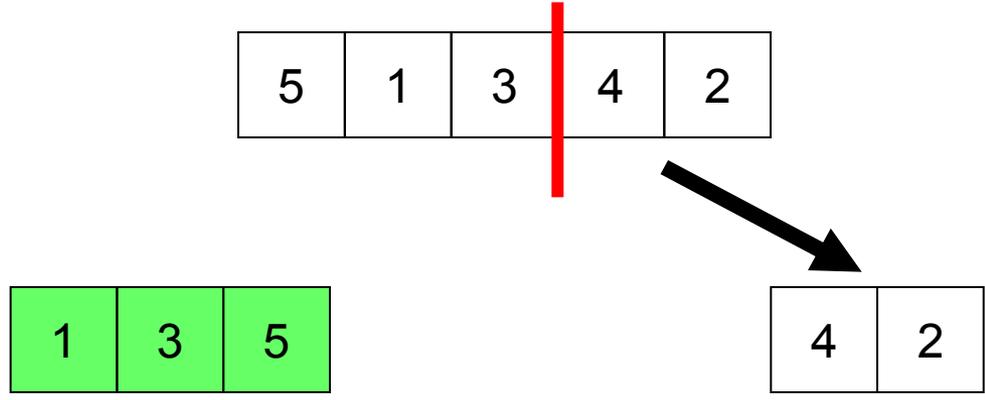
Merge Sort



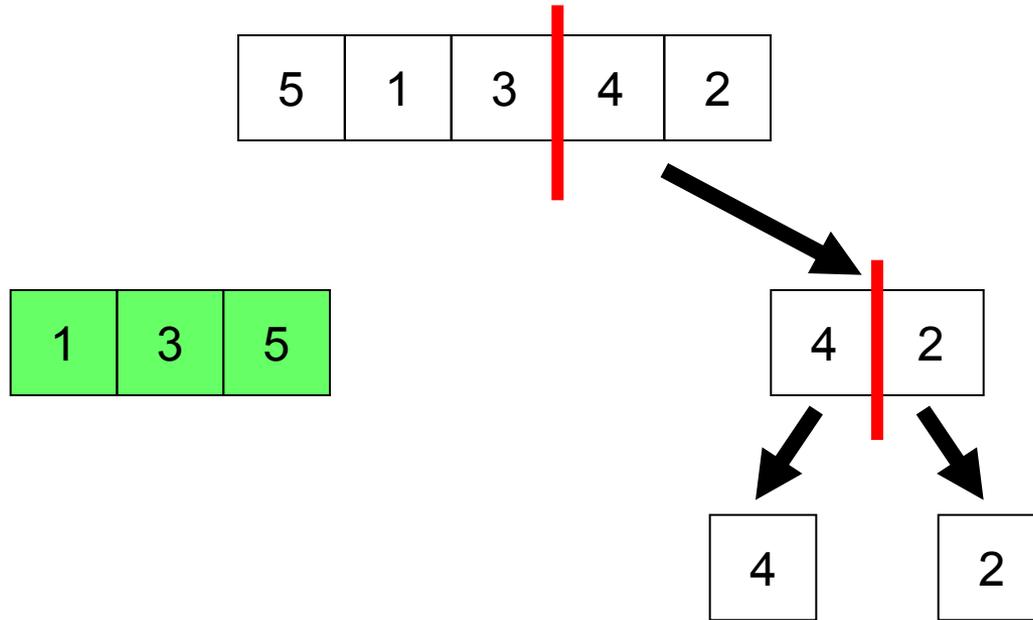
Merge Sort



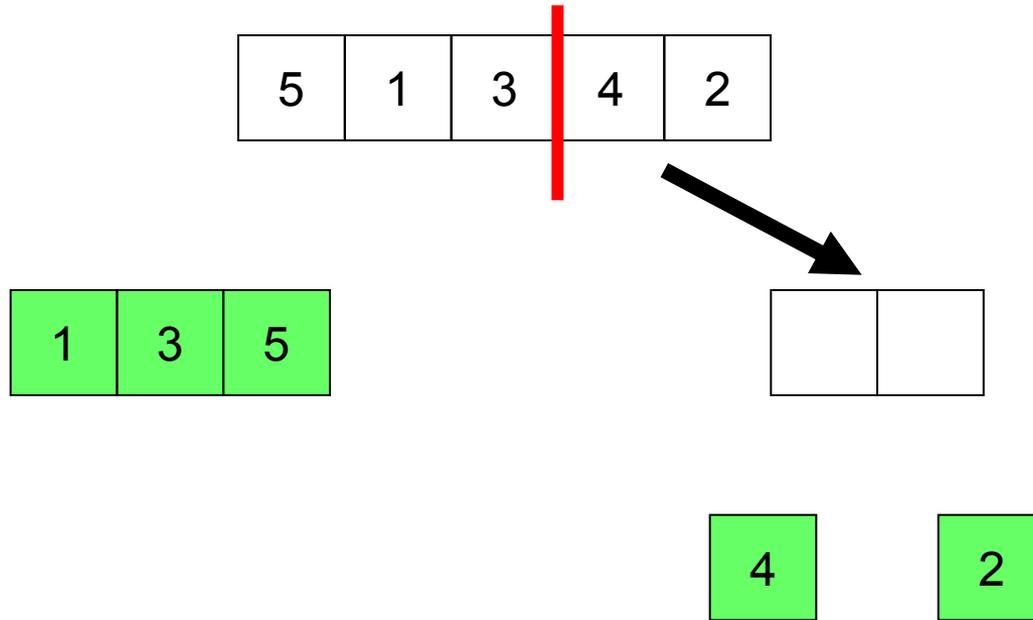
Merge Sort



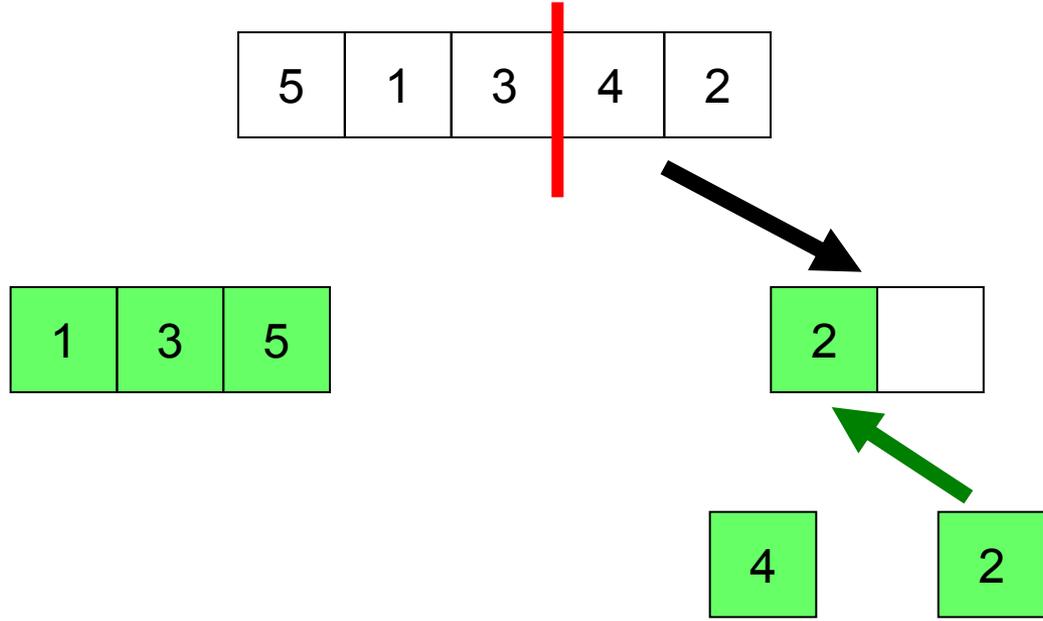
Merge Sort



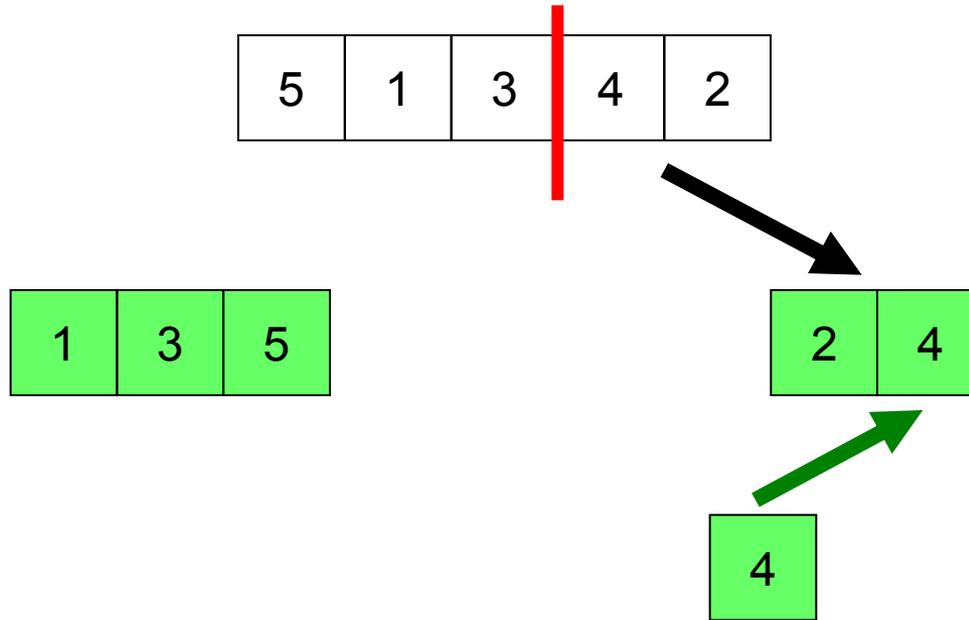
Merge Sort



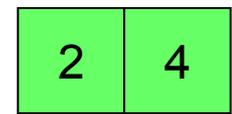
Merge Sort



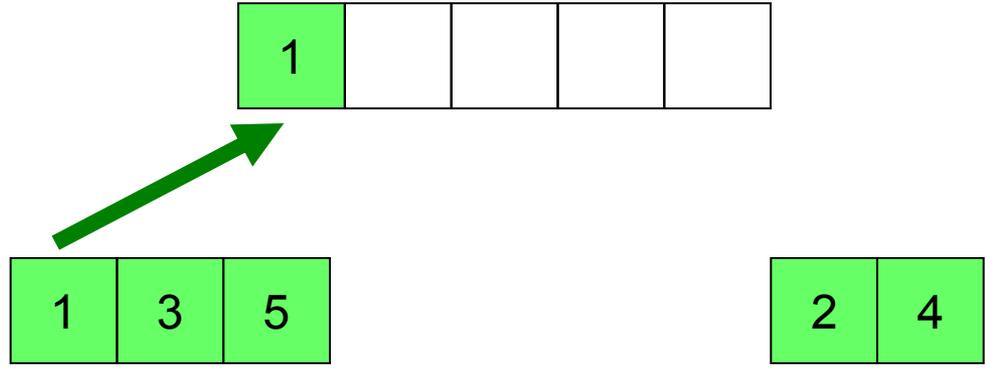
Merge Sort



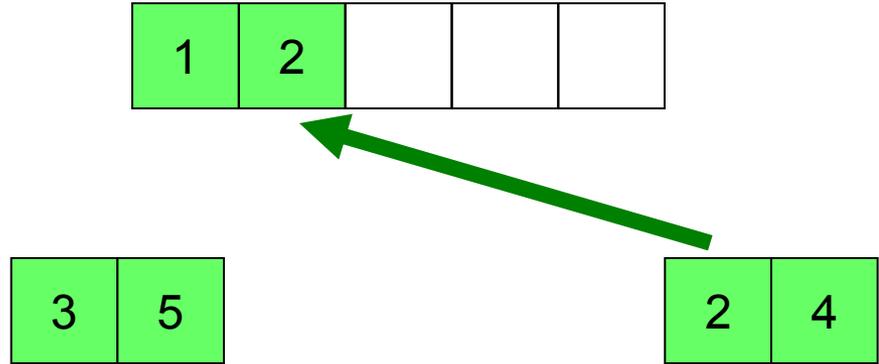
Merge Sort



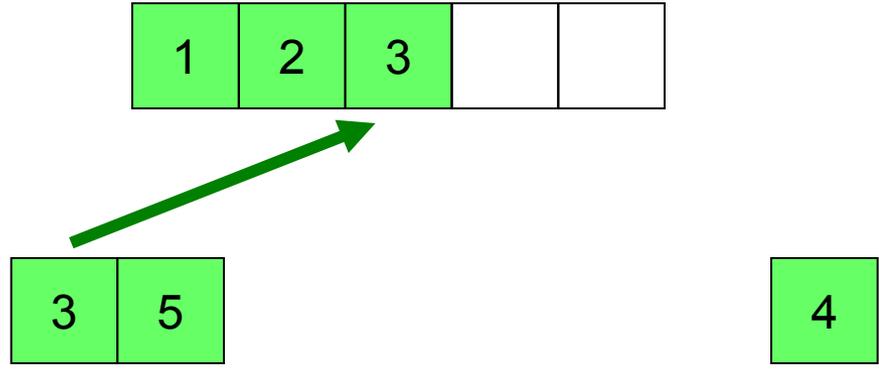
Merge Sort



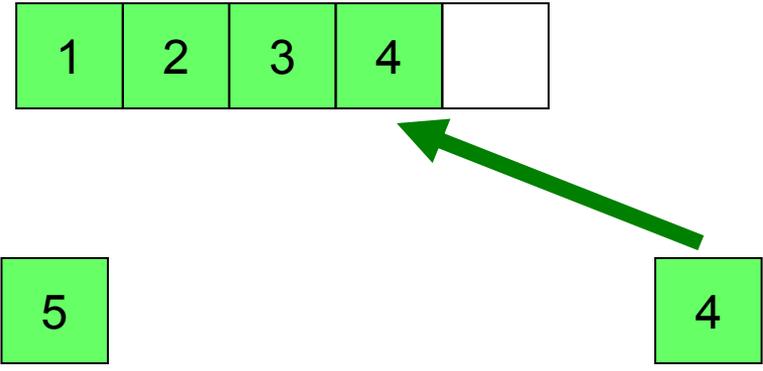
Merge Sort



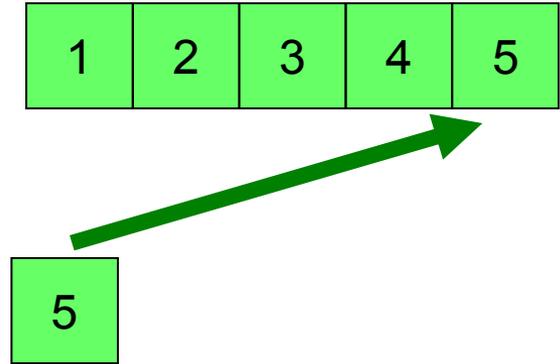
Merge Sort



Merge Sort



Merge Sort



Merge Sort

1	2	3	4	5
---	---	---	---	---

Done!!



Example 2

UVa 10810 - Ultra-QuickSort

In this problem, you have to analyze a particular sorting algorithm. The algorithm processes a sequence of n distinct integers by swapping two adjacent sequence elements until the sequence is sorted in ascending order. For the input sequence `9 1 0 5 4`, Ultra-QuickSort produces the output `0 1 4 5 9`. Your task is to determine how many swap operations Ultra-QuickSort needs to perform in order to sort a given input sequence. The input contains several test cases. Every test case begins with a line that contains a single integer $n < 500,000$ -- the length of the input sequence. Each of the the following n lines contains a single integer $0 \leq a[i] \leq 999,999,999$, the i -th input sequence element. Input is terminated by a sequence of length $n = 0$. This sequence must not be processed.

For every input sequence, your program prints a single line containing an integer number op , the minimum number of swap operations necessary to sort the given input sequence.



Example 2

Sample Input

5
9
1
0
5
4
3
1
2
3
0

Output for Sample Input

6
0



STL - sort

- `#include<algorithm> // C++`
- `sort(ary, ary + n);`
 - Ascending order
- `sort(ary, ary + n, cmp);`
 - Comparison Function 'cmp'



Example (builtin type)

```
int main() {
    int n, N[ 10010 ];
    while ( scanf( "%d", &n ) != EOF ) {
        int x;
        for ( int i = 0; i < n; ++i ) {
            scanf( "%d", &x );
            N[ i ] = x;
        }
        sort( N, N + n );
    }
    return 0;
}
```

Customized Data Type

Function prototype for operator <:

```
bool operator< ( const type_name &p ) const;
```

return value

means

TRUE

this < p

FALSE

this >= p

Example (custom type)

```
struct T {
    int x, y;
    bool operator< ( const struct T &p ) const {
        return x == p.x ? y < p.y : x < p.x;
    }
} pt[ 10010 ];

int main() {
    int n;
    while ( scanf( "%d", &n ) != EOF ) {
        int x, y;
        for ( int i = 0; i < n; ++i ) {
            scanf( "%d %d", &x, &y );
            pt[ i ].x = x, pt[ i ].y = y;
        }
        sort( pt, pt + n );
    }
    return 0;
}
```

Customized Data Type

Function prototyp:

```
bool function_name ( type_name p1, type_name p2 );
```

return value

means

TRUE

$p1 < p2$

FALSE

$p1 \geq p2$

Example (descending)

```
bool descending( int p1, int p2 ) {  
    return p1 >= p2;  
}  
  
int main() {  
    int n, N[ 10010 ];  
    while ( scanf( "%d", &n ) != EOF ) {  
        int x;  
        for ( int i = 0; i < n; ++i ) {  
            scanf( "%d", &x );  
            N[ i ] = x;  
        }  
        sort( N, N + n, descending );  
    }  
    return 0;  
}
```

Example 3

POJ 3664 - Election Time

The cows are having their first election after overthrowing the tyrannical Farmer John, and Bessie is one of N cows ($1 \leq N \leq 50,000$) running for President. Before the election actually happens, however, Bessie wants to determine who has the best chance of winning.

The election consists of two rounds. In the first round, the K cows ($1 \leq K \leq N$) cows with the most votes advance to the second round. In the second round, the cow with the most votes becomes President.

Given that cow i expects to get A_i votes ($1 \leq A_i \leq 1,000,000,000$) in the first round and B_i votes ($1 \leq B_i \leq 1,000,000,000$) in the second round (if he or she makes it), determine which cow is expected to win the election.

Happily for you, no vote count appears twice in the A_i list; likewise, no vote count appears twice in the B_i list.



Example 3

Input

- * Line 1: Two space-separated integers: N and K
- * Lines 2.. $N+1$: Line $i+1$ contains two space-separated integers: A_i and B_i

Output

- * Line 1: The index of the cow that is expected to win the election.

Sample Input

```
5 3
3 10
9 2
5 6
8 4
6 5
```

Sample Output

```
5
```



Thank you for your listening!



Practice

- Uva (6)
 - 10327, 10810, 10107, 10026, 10420
- POJ (11)
 - 3664, 3067, 3262, 1002, 1007, 2231, 2371, 2388, 1318, 1971, 3663

