

CS 410/584, Algorithm Design & Analysis: Lecture 1

Algorithm Design & Analysis

Algorithm Design & Analysis

David Maier
Portland State University

All material © 1994, 2003,
2006, 2008, 2009,
2011 David Maier

Lecture 1

David Maier

1

Algorithm Design & Analysis

Let's Solve a Problem

Longest Common Subsequence (LCS)

$$S = a_1 a_2 \dots a_n$$

A subsequence is

A B S Q U A T U L A T E

Lecture 1

David Maier

2

1

© 1994, 2003, 2006, 2008, 2009,
2011 David Maier

Common Subsequence

$$S_1 = a_1 a_2 \dots a_n$$

$$S_2 = b_1 b_2 \dots b_m$$

$$S =$$

where s is a subsequence of

A B S Q U A T U L A T E

C A L E F A C T I O N

Longest Common Subsequence

G A N G L I O N

H A G I O L A T R Y

Given sequences S_1 and S_2 , want to find

Enumeration Algorithm

```
LCS(S1, S2)
max ← 0
for every subseq. R1 of S1
  for every subseq. R2 of S2
    if R1 = R2 and length(R1) > max
      then max ← length(R1)
return (max)
```

time complexity =

Divide and Conquer

$S_1 \dots S_2 \dots$

$S_1' \dots S_1'' \dots S_2' \dots S_2'' \dots$

$LCS(S_1, S_2) =$

Recursion

```
R  a  b  b  c  d  a
S  a  e  b  b  a  e  e
```

```
R[i] ≠ S[j]
LCS(i, j) = max(LCS(    ), LCS(    ))
LCS(6, 7) =
```

```
R[i] = S[j]
LCS(i, j) = LCS(    ) + 1
LCS(6, 5) =
```

Recursion 2

```
LCS(i, j)
  if i=0 or j=0 then LCS ← 0
  else if R[i] ≠ S[j] then
    LCS ← max(LCS(i-1, j), LCS(i, j-1))
  else
    LCS ← LCS(i-1, j-1) + 1
```

Count comparisons

```
c(LCS(i, j)) =
```

Dynamic Programming

Have matrix $LCS(0-m, 0-n)$ and fill it in

R = a a b c a b

S = c a b b

	Ri		a	a	b	c	a	b
Sj	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
c	1	0						
a	2	0						
b	3	0						
b	4	0						

Algorithm Longest

1. Set $LCS[i, j] \leftarrow 0$ if $i=0$ or $j=0$
2. **for** $j = 1$ **to** n **do**
 for $i = 1$ **to** m **do**
 if $R[i] \neq S[j]$ **then**
 $LCS[i, j]$
 $\leftarrow \max(LCS[i-1, j], LCS[i, j-1])$
 else
 $LCS[i, j] \leftarrow LCS[i-1, j-1] + 1$
3. **return** $LCS[\quad]$

Time complexity

Logistics

Course web page is

<http://www.cs.pdx.edu/~maier/cs584>

Expect class email list to be

cs584@cs.pdx.edu

(Watch the web page for sure.)

Will try to post weekly lecture slides
by the evening before Monday class

Class Activity and Quiz

Work in groups on a sample execution
of the Freq algorithm

Will have a short quiz on it -

The quiz doesn't count, but should help you
assess if you are prepared for this class

I assume you know the material from
CS350

```
Freq(S)
0. If |S| = 0, return (null, 0)

1. Pick some element  $e \in S$ .

2. Split  $S$  into two subsets:
    $S_{low} \leftarrow \{d \in S \mid d < e\}$ 
    $S_{high} \leftarrow \{d \in S \mid d > e\}$ 

3. Set  $f \leftarrow |S| - |S_{low}| - |S_{high}|$ 
   Set  $(e_{low}, f_{low}) \leftarrow \text{Freq}(S_{low})$ 
   Set  $(e_{high}, f_{high}) \leftarrow \text{Freq}(S_{high})$ 

4. If  $f > f_{low}$  and  $f > f_{high}$ , return  $(e, f)$ 
   else if  $f_{low} > f_{high}$ , return  $(e_{low}, f_{low})$ 
   else return  $(e_{high}, f_{high})$ 
```

Study of Algorithms

- Design techniques
- Specific algorithms
- Proofs of correctness
- Complexity analysis
 - measure
 - time it takes, space it consumes
 - worst case
 - average case

Study of Problems

- What's the best any algorithm can do?
- Relatedness
- Intractability of problems

Complexity of an Algorithm

Amount of time and space required as a function of size of input

$T(n)$ = maximum time required

$S(n)$ = maximum space required

Input size

Time measures

Time Complexity of a Problem

Minimum time over all algorithms

to get

upper bound:

lower bound:

Asymptotic Complexity

order notation

$f(n)$ has $O(g(n))$ if

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

$$f(n) = n^2 + 3n + 4$$

$f(n)$ has

$f(n)$

Asymptotic Notation

$O(g(n)) = \{ f(n) \mid \text{there are positive } c \text{ and } n_0$
 such that $f(n) \leq c \cdot g(n) \text{ for all } n > n_0 \}$

$$n^2 + 3n + 4 = O(n^2)$$

means

$\Theta(g(n)) = \{ f(n) \mid \text{there are positive } c_1, c_2$
 and n_0 such that $c_1 \cdot g(n) \leq f(n) \leq c_2 \cdot g(n)$
 for all $n > n_0 \}$

$$n^2 + 3n + 4 \in \Theta(n^2)$$

Asymptotic Notation 2

Note

$$n^2 + 3n + 4 \in O(n^3)$$

$$n^2 + 3n + 4 \in \Theta(n^2)$$

$\Omega(g(n)) = \{ f(n) \mid \text{there are positive } c \text{ and } n_0$
 such that $f(n) \geq c \cdot g(n) \text{ for all } n > n_0 \}$

asymptotic

- upper bound
- tight bound
- lower bound

Asymptotic Notation 3

Theorem

$f(n) \in O(g(n))$ and
 $f(n) \in \Omega(g(n))$
imply

Other facts

$f(n) \in \Theta(h(n))$ and $h(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$
imply
 $f(n) \in \Theta(g(n))$
implies

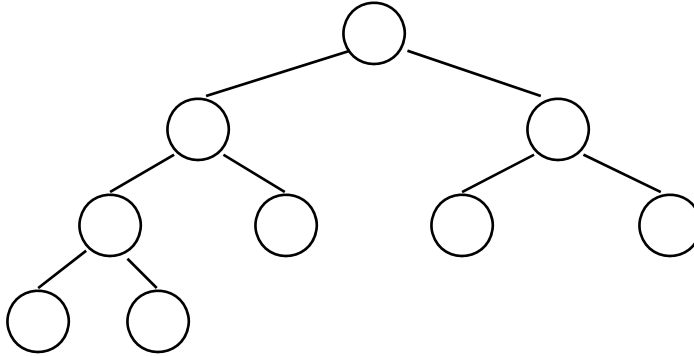
Heapsort

Heap: binary tree where all leaves at depth

node labels are

value at node all values in subtrees

Example Heap



Heapsort Algorithm

Heapsort

1. remove
2. move
3. delete
4. remake

Implicit data structure

$A[1..n]$
 $A[1]$ is
left and right children of $A[i]$ are

CS 410/584, Algorithm Design & Analysis: Lecture 1

Algorithm Design & Analysis

Example Structure

i 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

A[i]

Restriction:

Lecture 1 David Maier **25**

Algorithm Design & Analysis

Remove Root Value

Swap

Pretend array runs

23 15 3 6 13 1 2 4 5

Remake heap:
exchange value with

Lecture 1 David Maier **26**

Formally

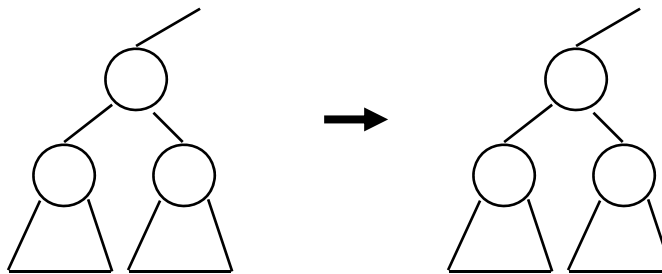
Input: $a_1 a_2 \dots a_n$ to sort

Initialize $A[i] \leftarrow$

build-max-heap

 want $A[i]$

 for i between 1 and $n/2$



Heap Construction

Assume:

Want:

max-heapify (i, j)

if i not a leaf **and**

 a child of i has a greater value

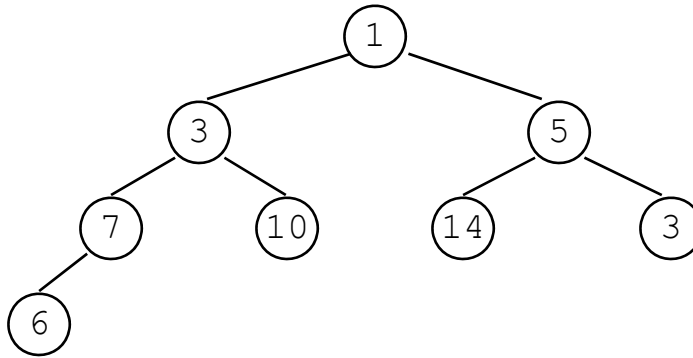
then

 let k be child with larger value

build-max-heap

 for $i = n$ **downto** 1 **do**

Example of Build-max-heap



Complexity of Build-max-heap

Theorem: build-max-heap has $O(n)$ time complexity

Define $T(h)$ as the time to max-heapify a node of height h

$$T(h) \leq$$

$$T(h)$$

Build-max-heap calls max-heapify once per node.
How many nodes of height i ?

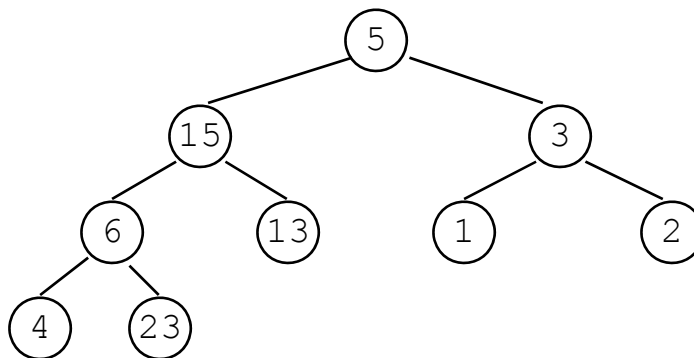
Heapsort Algorithm

```
heapsort  
  build-max-heap  
  for i = n to 2 do
```

Sorted list ends up in $A[1] \dots A[n]$

Time complexity:

Heapsort Example

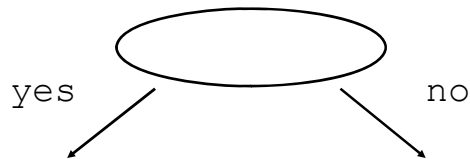


Lower Bounds on Sorting

Counting comparisons

Assume $A[1], A[2], \dots, A[n]$ are distinct

Represent algorithm by a decision tree



Fact: Binary tree of height h has at most 2^h leaves

Consequence

Corollary: Any algorithm for sorting by comparisons needs $\Omega(n \log n)$ compares for some $c > 0$ and large n .

$$n! \geq n(n-1) \dots (n/2) \geq (n/2)^{n/2}$$

$n \log n \geq \log n!$ since