

QuickSort

1. Divide: Split $A[p \dots r]$ into $A[p \dots q]$ and $A[q+1 \dots r]$
 Recurse: Sort $A[p \dots q]$ and $A[q+1 \dots r]$.
 Combine: Automatic

Procedure QuickSort(p, r)

if $p < r$ then $q := \text{Partition}(p, r)$;

QuickSort(p, q);

QuickSort($q+1, r$);

endif

2. The Partition

Objective: split A into a left and right part so that all numbers in the left part are \leq to all numbers in the right part.

Ex. | 20 | 1 | 7 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 10 | 11 | 5 | 6 | 2 | 22 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 25 | 31 | 47 |

function Partition (p, r)

$x := A[p]; i := p-1; j := r+1;$

loop repeat $j := j-1$ until $A[j] \leq x;$

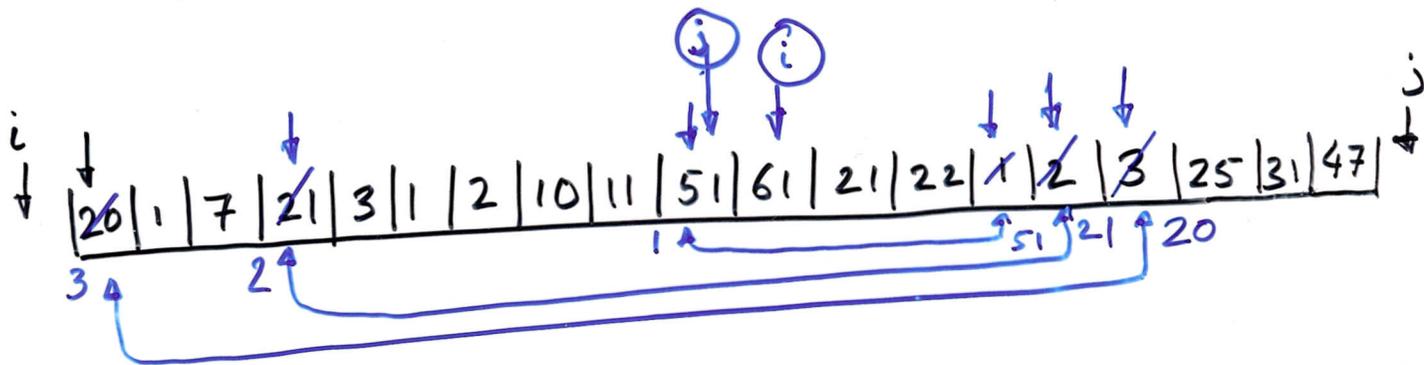
repeat $i := i+1$ until $A[i] \geq x;$

if $i < j$ then $A[i] \leftrightarrow A[j]$

else Partition := j ; exit

endif

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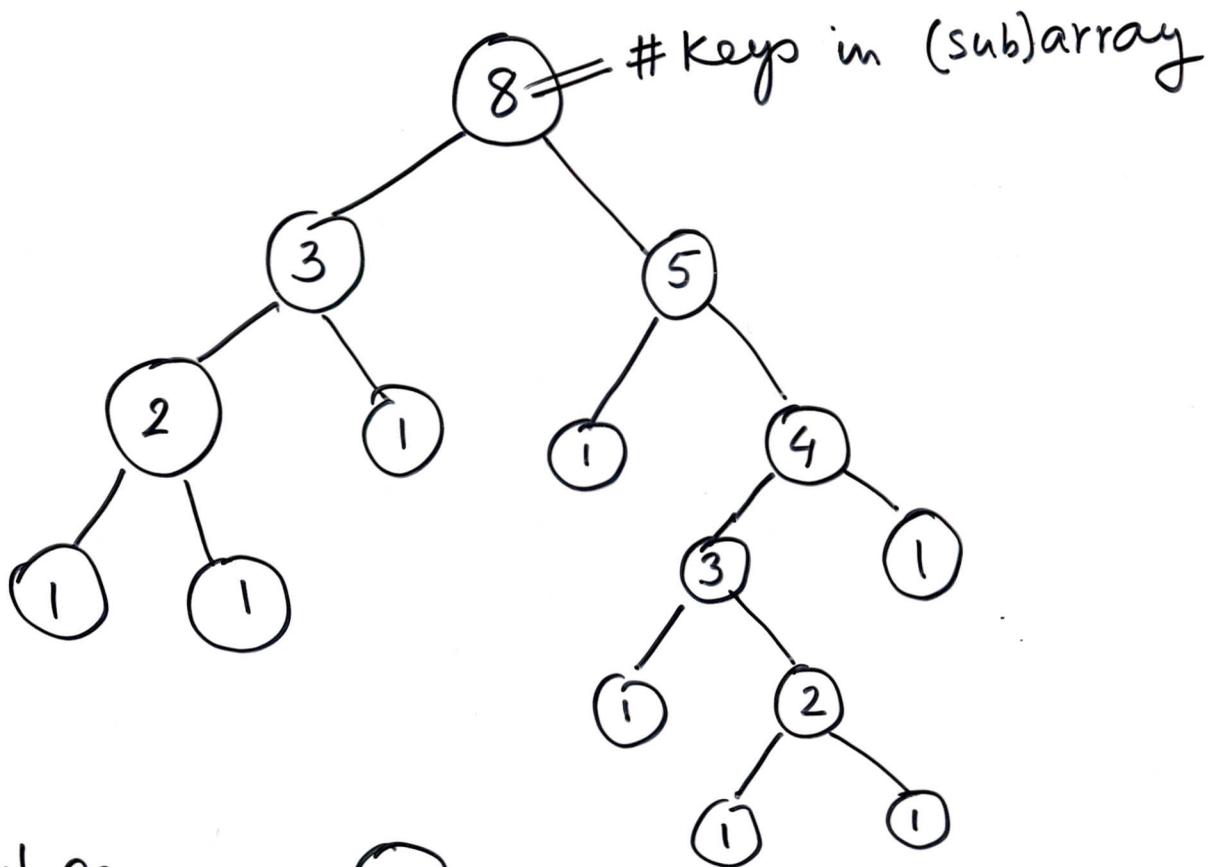
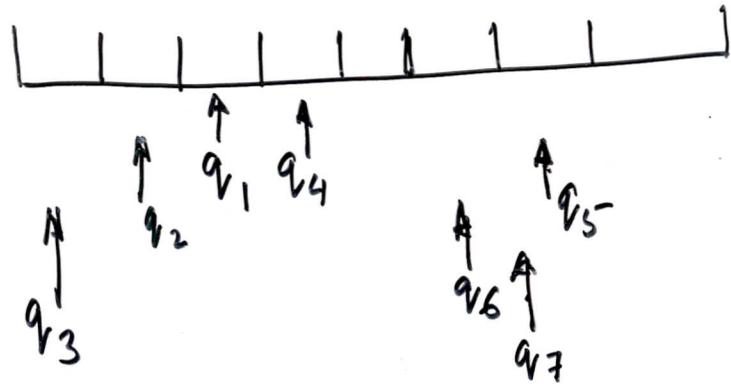


- If $A[p]$ is smallest then Partition = p; recursion continues with arrays of lengths 1 and $r-p$

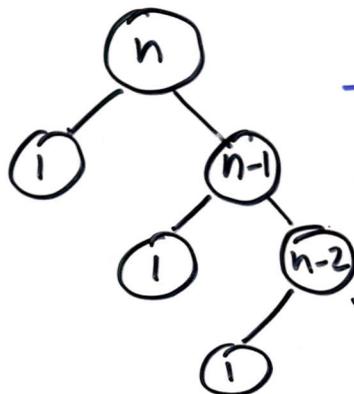
- If $A[p]$ is k -smallest, for $k \geq 2$, then Partition = $k-1$, so we recurse with lengths $k-1$ and $(r-p+1) - (k-1) = r-p-k+2$

- Time complexity = $O(\quad)$

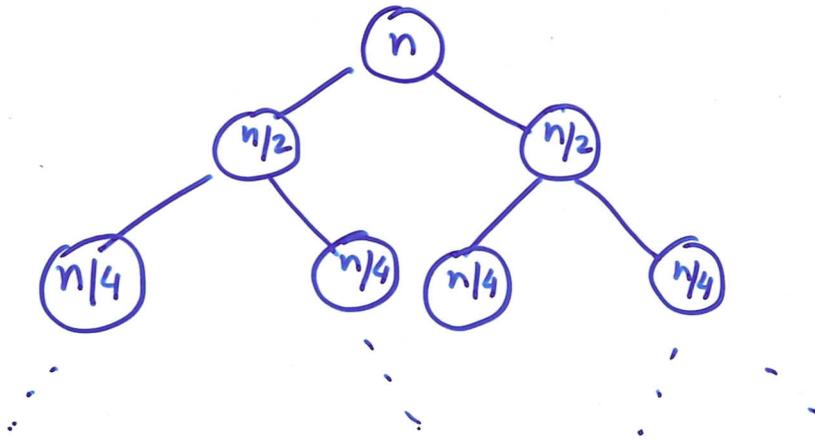
3. Worst and Best case



Worst case



$$\begin{aligned}
 T(n) &= T(n-1) + T(1) + n \\
 &= n + (n-1) + (n-2) + \dots + 2 + n \\
 &= 1 + 2 + \dots + (n) + (n-1) \\
 &= \left(\frac{n+1}{2}\right) + (n-1) = \Theta(n^2)
 \end{aligned}$$

Best Case

$$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + n, \quad T(1) = 1$$

$$= \Theta(n \log n)$$

Randomized QuickSort

function Random-Partition (p, r)

$i := \text{Random}(p, r); A[p] \leftrightarrow A[i];$

Random-Partition := Partition(p, r).

Average Analysis

$$T(n) = \frac{1}{n} \left(T(1) + T(n-1) + \sum_{q=1}^{n-1} (T(q) + T(n-q)) \right) + \Theta(n)$$

$$= O(n^2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{q=1}^{n-1} (T(q) + T(n-q)) + \Theta(n) = \frac{2}{n} \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} T(k) + \Theta(n)$$

Assume inductively $T(n) \leq a \log n + b$

$$T(n) \leq \frac{2}{n} \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} (a k \log k + b) + \theta(n)$$

$$= \frac{2a}{n} \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} k \log k + \frac{2b(n-1)}{n} + \theta(n)$$

$$\leq a n \log n - \frac{a n}{4} + 2b + \theta(n)$$

$$= a n \log n + b + \left(\theta(n) + b - \frac{a n}{4} \right) \leq a n \log n + b$$

$$\left(\sum_{k=1}^{n-1} k \log k \leq \frac{1}{2} n^2 \log n - \frac{n^2}{8} \right)$$

$$\theta(n) + b - \frac{a n}{4} \leq 0$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{a n}{4} \geq c n + b$$

$$\text{or, } a \geq 4c + 4b$$