

Algorithm	Intuition	Bounds (T runtime, S space)
QuickSelect	Randomized quicksort on half	$T(n) = \theta(n)$
DetSelect	Median of medians, $\lceil \frac{g}{2} \rceil$ have $\lceil \frac{gsize}{2} \rceil$ elements \leq or \geq the pivot	$T(n) \leq O(n)$
Kruskal MST	Sort edges, greedily pick avoiding cycle by using union-find	$T(n) \leq O(m \log m)$ sort + UnionFind
Prim MST	All edges into minheap, pick starting vertex, repeatedly add shortest edge	$T(n) \leq O(m \log n)$ pq $T(n) \leq O(m + n \log n)$ fibheap
Union Find	Trees for connected components, union by rank, lazy path compression	$T(n) \leq O(\log n)$ worst F/U $T(n) \leq O(\log^* n)$ amortized F/U
Perfect Hashing	Method 1. Univ hash with $O(n^2)$ space Method 2. Univ hash into $O(n)$ table, then $O(n)$ table (squaring sizes) per bucket	M1. $S(n) = O(n^2)$ M2. $S(n) = O(n)$, $E[\sum_i (L_i)^2] < 2n$ indicators to $P[\sum_i (L_i)^2 > 4n] < \frac{1}{2}$
Majority	Counter, different gangs shoot each other	
ϵ -heavy hitter	Count top k elements, decrement all buckets by 1 upon non-heavy hitter, $0 \leq c_i(e) - e_i(e) \leq \frac{1}{k+1} \leq \epsilon t$, $k = \lceil \frac{1}{\epsilon} \rceil - 1$	$S(n) = (\log \Sigma + \log t) O(\frac{1}{\epsilon})$ (elem, cnt) * (num elem)
ϵ -heavy hitter with deletions	Idea: use hashtable for counts, error is $e_i(e) - c_i(e) = \sum_{e' \neq e} c_i(e') 1(h(e) = h(e'))$ and $E[error] \leq \frac{ S_i }{k} = \frac{ active\ set_i }{num\ hashtable\ slots}$	$(\lg k)(\lg \Sigma)$ bits per hash fn k counters of at most $\lg t$ bits
Misra-Gries	Apply boosting to reduce error, m hashtables each with their own counts, by Markov $P\{error > 2 \frac{ S_i }{k}\} \leq \frac{1}{2}$ hence $P\{all\ large\ error\} \leq \frac{1}{2^m}$, so $P\{min\ of\ ests\ is\ small\ error\} = 1 - \frac{1}{2^m}$ Picking $k = \frac{2}{\epsilon}$ and $m = \lg \frac{1}{\delta}$ we get $P\{ best_i(e) - count_i(e) \leq \epsilon S_i \} \geq 1 - \delta$	For boosted final version, $S(n) = O(\frac{1}{\epsilon} \lg \frac{1}{\delta})$ km counters + $(\lg \frac{1}{\epsilon})(\lg \Sigma) O(\lg \frac{1}{\delta})$ m hash fns TLDR: $\frac{1}{\delta}$ times polylog factors
String Equality	Draw p from $[1, M = 2sN \lg(sN)]$ Send $p, x \bmod p$, recv $x \bmod p =? y \bmod p$ $2^N \geq D = y - x = p_1^{i_1} \dots p_k^{i_k} \geq 2^k$ so $P\{false\ positive\} \leq \frac{N}{\pi(M)} \leq \frac{1}{s}$	$S(n) \leq 2 \lg M$ send $p, x \bmod p$ i.e. $S(n) = O(\log N)$
Karp-Rabin	$m = text , n = pat $, pick $p \in [1, M = 2sn \lg(sn)]$, store $h_p(P), h_p(2^n)$, rolling hash in constant time $h_p(x') = (2h_p(x) - x_{hb}h_p(2^n) + x'_{lb}) \bmod p$	$T(n) = O(m + n)$ initial hash is $O(n)$, following hash $O(1)$ so $O(m)$ of those. $O(\log m + \log n)$ bits for p if $s = 100m$

<p><u>LCS</u> LCS_{mn} longest $O(mn)$</p> <p>0 if $i = 0$ or $j = 0$</p> <p>$\max\{LCS_{i-1,j}, LCS_{i,j-1}\}$ if $S_i \neq T_j$</p> <p>$1 + LCS_{i-1,j-1}$ if $S_i = T_j$</p>	<p><u>Knapsack</u> $V(n, S)$ highest value $O(nS)$</p> <p>0 if $k = 0$</p> <p>$V(k-1, B)$ if $s_k > B$</p> <p>$\max\{v_k + V(k-1, B - s_k), V(k-1, B)\}$ else</p>	<p><u>MWIS (tree)</u> $\max\{U(r), N(r)\}$ $O(n)$</p> <p>indep set = no edge both endpt in set</p> <p>use $U(v) = w_v + \sum_{u \in C(v)} N(u)$</p> <p>not use $N(v) = \sum_{u \in C(v)} \max\{N(u), U(u)\}$</p>
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<p>OBST $C_{1,n}$ $O(n^3) / O(n^2)$</p> <p>0 if $i > j$ f_i if $i = j$ $\min_{i \leq k \leq j} f_{i,j} + C_{i,k-1} + C_{k+1,j}$ else</p> <p>where $f_{i,j} = \sum_{k=i}^j f_k$</p>	<p>Dijkstra SSSP $O(m \log n)$ or $O(m + n \log n)$</p> <p>while nodes unvisited: visit cheapest n, update neighbor costs to $\min(\text{old}, n + \text{edge})$</p> <p>Can't do negative edges because we don't revisit visited nodes.</p>	<p>Bellman-Ford SSSP $D_{v,n-1}$ $O(mn)$</p> <p>0 if $k = 0$ and $v = s$ ∞ if $k = 0$ and $v \neq s$ $\min\{D_{v,k-1}, \min_{x \in N(v)} D_{x,k-1} + \text{len}(x,v)\}$ else</p> <p>"Extend one edge at a time" Can detect negative cycles.</p>
<p>Matrix APSP $O(n^3 \log n)$</p> <p>$B_{ij} = \min_k \{A_{ik} + A_{kj}\}$ (≤ 2 edges) $C = B \times B$ (≤ 4 edges), ... $O(\log n)$ squarings, mult is $O(n^3)$</p> <p>Floyd-Warshall APSP $O(n^3)$</p> <p>for k in [1,n]: for all i,j: $A_{ij} = \min\{A_{ij}, A_{ik} + A_{kj}\}$</p>	<p>Johnson APSP $O(mn + n^2 \log n)$</p> <p>Add dummy node with len 0 to every other, run Bellman to find shortest path, add that length of shortest path to all so that nonnegative, run Dijkstra from every node</p>	<p>TSP $T(n) = O(n^2 2^n)$, $S(n) = O(n 2^n)$</p> <p>$\text{len}(x,t)$ if $S = \{x,t\}$ $\min_{t \in S, t \neq s, t \neq x} C(S-t, t) + \text{len}(t, t)$ else</p>

MATH

- Prime Number Theorem: $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\pi(n)}{n/\ln n} = 1$ $P\{x \text{ is prime} \mid x \in [n]\} \geq \frac{1}{\ln n}$ for $k \geq 4, n \geq 2k \lg k \Rightarrow \pi(n) \geq k$
- $\ln(n+1) < H_n < 1 + \ln n, H_n \approx \log n, \left(\frac{n}{k}\right)^k \leq \binom{n}{k} \leq \left(\frac{ne}{k}\right)^k, \frac{x}{\ln x - 1} < \pi(x) < \frac{x}{\ln x - 1.1}$
- $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(n)}{g(n)} : 0 \leq f \in O(g) < f \in o(g) ; (0, \infty) = f \in \theta(g) ; \infty > f \in \omega(g) \geq f \in \Omega(g)$
- $\sum a_i r^k = \frac{a_1}{1-r}, \sum_{k=0}^n r^k = \frac{1-r^{n+1}}{1-r}, \sum_{k=0}^n k r^k = \frac{r(n r^{n+1} - (n+1) r^n + 1)}{(r-1)^2}, \sum_{i=1}^n i = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}, \sum_{i=1}^n i^2 = \frac{1}{6} n(n+1)(2n+1), \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{i^2} = \frac{\pi^2}{6}$
- Universal: $\forall x \neq y P_{h \leftarrow H} \{h(x) = h(y)\} \leq \frac{1}{M}$
- k-Universal: $\forall x_1 \dots x_k$ distinct, $v_1 \dots v_k$ anything, $P_{h \leftarrow H} \{\wedge h(x_i) = v_i\} = \frac{1}{M^k}$
- k-Universal \Rightarrow m-Universal $\forall 1 \leq m \leq k$

THEOREMS

- $T(n) = a T(\frac{n}{b}) + cn^k$ solves to $\theta(n^k)$ if $a < b^k$, $\theta(n^k \log n)$ if $a = b^k$, $\theta(n^{\log_b a})$ if $a > b^k$
- $T(n) \leq T(a_1 n) + T(a_2 n) + \dots + T(a_k n) + cn$ with $\sum a_i < 1$ implies $T(n) \in O(n)$
- All comparison-based sorts need at least $\lg(n!)$ compares to sort n elements
- Amortized Cost := Actual Cost + $\Delta\Phi$, i.e. $A_i = c_i + \Phi(s_i) - \Phi(s_{i-1})$

(Potential Function) If the heights of the stacks are a and b , there are at least $3|a-b|$ tokens in the system. For each unit-cost operation, the potential increases by at most 3, and the actual cost is 1, so the amortized cost is at most 4. For a rebalance with k elements, the potential changes from $3k$ to at most 3 , and the actual cost is at most $3k+1$, so the amortized cost is at most $\Delta\Phi + c_i = (3-3k) + (3k+1) = 4$. Hence the proof.

Discrete	$E[X]$	$Var[X]$	$p_x(x)$	$E[X] = \sum_x x P\{X=x\}$	Markov $P\{X \geq a\} \leq \frac{E[X]}{a}$
Bernoulli(p)	p	pq	p at 1, q at 0	$E[g(X)] = \sum_x g(x) P\{X=x\}$ $Var[X] = E[(X-E[X])^2]$	Chebyshev $P\{ X-\mu \geq k\sigma\} \leq \frac{1}{k^2}$
Binomial(n, p)	np	npq	$\binom{n}{x} p^x q^{n-x}$	$Var[X] = E[X^2] - E[X]^2$	Jensen $F(E[X]) \leq E[F(X)]$ for X rv, F convex
Geometric(p)	$\frac{1}{p}$	$\frac{q}{p^2}$	$q^{x-1} p$	$E[X] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x f_x(x) dx$	
Poisson(λ)	λ	λ	$\frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^x}{x!}$	$Var[X] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} (x-E[X])^2 f_x(x) dx$	
Continuous	$E[X]$	$Var[X]$	$f_x(x)$	$F_x(x)$	
Uniform(a, b)	$\frac{b+a}{2}$	$\frac{(b-a)^2}{12}$	$\frac{1}{b-a}$ $a \leq x \leq b$ 0 else	$\frac{x-a}{b-a}$ $x \in [a, b)$ 0 if $x < a$ 1 if $x > b$	
Exponential(λ)	$\frac{1}{\lambda}$	$\frac{1}{\lambda^2}$	$\lambda e^{-\lambda x}$ $x \geq 0$ 0 else	$F_x(x) = 1 - e^{-\lambda x}$ $x \geq 0$ $F_x(x) = 0$ else	
Normal(μ, σ^2)	μ	σ^2	$\frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp(-\frac{1}{2} (\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma})^2)$		