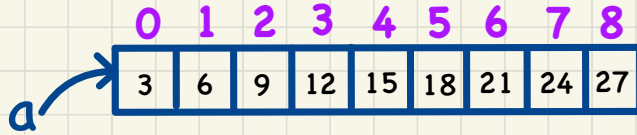
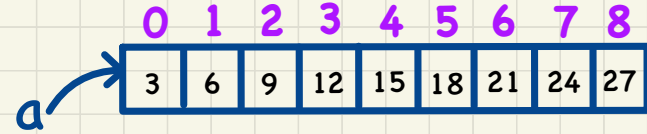


Binary Search: Tracing



`search(a,18)`
|
`binarySearchH(a,0,8,18)`
|
`binarySearchH(a,5,8,18)`
|
`binarySearchH(a,5,5,18)`



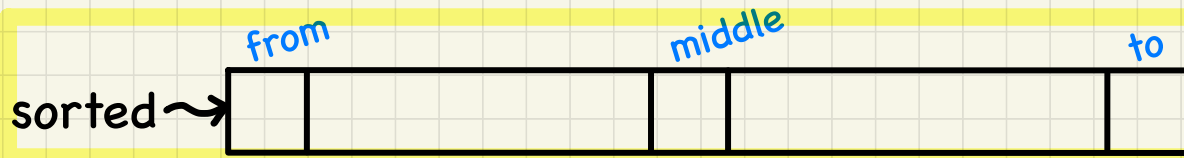
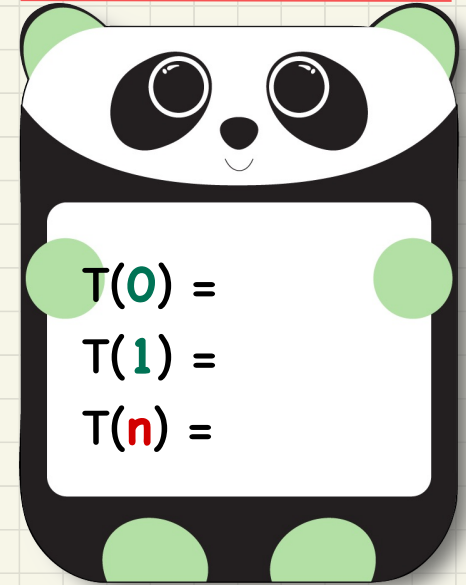
`search(a,7)`
|
`binarySearchH(a,0,8,7)`
|
`binarySearchH(a,0,3,7)`
|
`binarySearchH(a,2,3,7)`
|
`binarySearchH(a,2,1,7)`



Binary Search: Running Time

```
boolean binarySearch(int[] sorted, int key) {  
    return binarySearchH(sorted, 0, sorted.length - 1, key);  
}  
boolean binarySearchH(int[] sorted, int from, int to, int key) {  
    if (from > to) { /* base case 1: empty range */  
        return false; }  
    else if (from == to) { /* base case 2: range of one element */  
        return sorted[from] == key; }  
    else {  
        int middle = (from + to) / 2;  
        int middleValue = sorted[middle];  
        if (key < middleValue) {  
            return binarySearchH(sorted, from, middle - 1, key);  
        }  
        else if (key > middleValue) {  
            return binarySearchH(sorted, middle + 1, to, key);  
        }  
        else { return true; }  
    }  
}
```

Running Time as a Recurrence Relation



Running Time: Unfolding Recurrence Relation

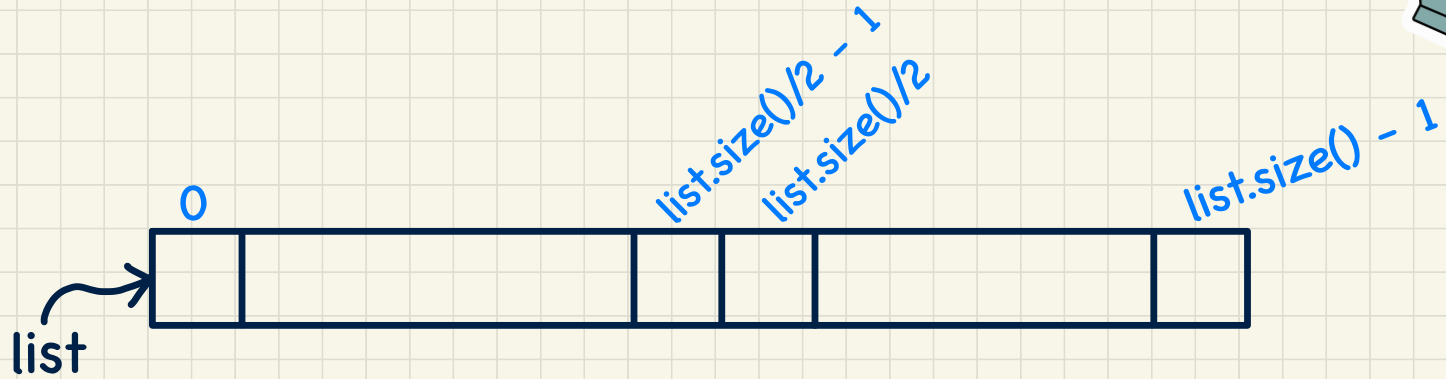
$$T(0) = 1$$

$$T(1) = 1$$

$$T(n) = T(n/2) + 1$$

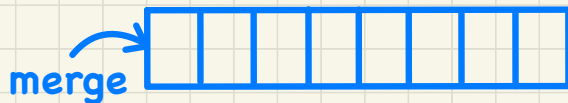
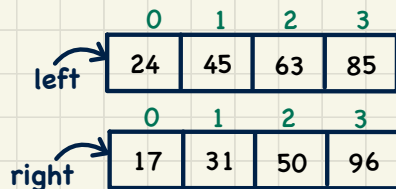


Merge Sort: Ideas



Merge Sort in Java

```
public List<Integer> sort(List<Integer> list) {
    List<Integer> sortedList;
    if(list.size() == 0) { sortedList = new ArrayList<>(); }
    else if(list.size() == 1) {
        sortedList = new ArrayList<>();
        sortedList.add(list.get(0));
    }
    else {
        int middle = list.size() / 2;
        List<Integer> left = list.subList(0, middle);
        List<Integer> right = list.subList(middle, list.size());
        List<Integer> sortedLeft = sort(left);
        List<Integer> sortedRight = sort(right);
        sortedList = merge(sortedLeft, sortedRight);
    }
    return sortedList;
}
```



```
/* Assumption: L and R are both already sorted. */
private List<Integer> merge(List<Integer> L, List<Integer> R) {
    List<Integer> merge = new ArrayList<>();
    if(L.isEmpty() || R.isEmpty()) { merge.addAll(L); merge.addAll(R); }
    else {
        int i = 0;
        int j = 0;
        while(i < L.size() && j < R.size()) {
            if(L.get(i) <= R.get(j)) { merge.add(L.get(i)); i++; }
            else { merge.add(R.get(j)); j++; }
        }
        /* If i >= L.size(), then this for loop is skipped. */
        for(int k = i; k < L.size(); k++) { merge.add(L.get(k)); }
        /* If j >= R.size(), then this for loop is skipped. */
        for(int k = j; k < R.size(); k++) { merge.add(R.get(k)); }
    }
    return merge;
}
```

Merge Sort: Tracing

→ split
→ merge

85

24

63

45

17

31

96

50

