

CS200: Tables and Priority Queues

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Value Oriented Data Structures



- Value-oriented operations are very common:
 - Find John Smith's facebook
 - Retrieve the student transcript of Ruth Mui
 - Register Jack Smith for an Amazon Cloud account
 - Add a user to a database (e.g., Netflix database).
- To support such uses: Arrange the data to facilitate search/insertion/deletion of an item given its **search key**

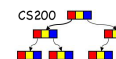
Example: Table of Student Points



Student ID	Student First Name	Student Last Name	Exam 1	Exam 2
001245	Jake	Glen	67	89
001247	Parastoo	Mahgreb	87	78
001256	Wayne	Dwyer	90	96
012345	Bob	Harding	45	50
022356	Mary	Laing	95	97

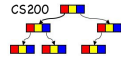
- Each row is a record
- Each column is a field
- Student ID is the search key field

Search Keys



- In many applications the search key must be unique to a *single* record
- Records should be organized to facilitate search for an item by search key
- The search key of a record must not change while it is in the table. **Why?**

Table Records



```
public abstract class KeyedItem<KT extends
    Comparable <? super KT>>
//KT is constrained to be a type that implements comparable or is a
//subclass of a type which does so
{
    private KT searchKey;

    public KeyedItem(KT key) {
        searchKey = key; } //constructor

    public KT getKey() {
        return searchKey; } //accessor
}
```

There is no method to set the search key. Why?

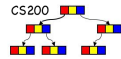
Table Record Example



```
public class User extends KeyedItem<String> {
    private String StudentID; // search key
    private String firstName;
    private String lastName; ...

    public User(String userID, String _firstName, ...) {
        super(userID); //Why is super used here?
        firstName = _firstName; ...
    } //constructor
```

Table Interface



```
public interface TableInterface<T extends KeyedItem<KT>,
    KT extends Comparable <? super KT>> {
    // Precondition for all operations:
    // No two items of the table have the same search key.
    // The table's items are sorted by search key
    // (actually not required)

    public boolean tableIsEmpty();
    // Determines whether a table is empty.
    // Postcondition: Returns true if the table is empty;
    // false otherwise

    public int tableLength();
    // Determines the length of a table.
    // Postcondition: Returns number of items in the table.
```

Table Interface (cont.)



```
public void tableInsert(T newItem) throws
    TableException;
// Inserts a record into a table in its proper sorted
// order according to the item's search key.
// Precondition: The record's (newItem's) search key
// must be unique in the table.
// Postcondition: If successful, newItem is in its
// proper order in table.
// Otherwise, throw TableException.

public boolean tableDelete(KT searchKey);
// Deletes a record with search key KT from table.
// Precondition: searchKey is the search key of item
// Postcondition: If there is a record with KT in the
// table, the item was deleted and method returns
// true. Otherwise, table is unchanged; return false.
```

Table Interface (cont.)



```
public KeyedItem tableRetrieve(KT searchKey);
// Retrieves a record with a search key KT from table.
// Precondition: searchKey is search key for record to
// be retrieved.
// Postcondition: If the retrieval was successful,
// table record with search key matching KT is returned.
// If no such record exists, return null.

} // end TableInterface
```

Reusing Data Structures

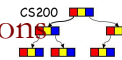


Possible Implementations



- Array sorted by search key
- Linked List sorted by search key
- Binary search tree

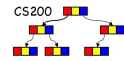
Performance of Table Implementations



	Search	Add	Remove
Sorted array-based	$O(\log n)$	$O(n)$	$O(n)$
Unsorted array-based	$O(n)$	$O(1)$	$O(n)$
BST*	$O(\log n)$ [$O(n)$]	$O(\log n)$ [$O(n)$]	$O(\log n)$ [$O(n)$]

* Worst case behavior in []

Priority Queues



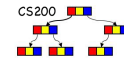
■ Characteristics

- Items are associated with a value: **priority**
- Provide access to one element at a time - the one with the highest priority

■ Uses

- Operating systems
- Network management
 - Real time traffic usually gets highest priority when bandwidth is limited

Priority Queue ADT Operations



1. Create an empty priority queue

```
createPQueue()
```

2. Determine whether empty

```
pqIsEmpty():boolean
```

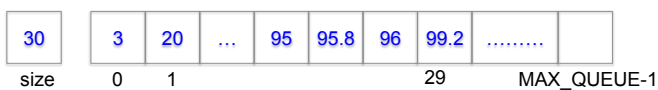
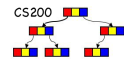
3. Insert new item

```
pqInsert(in newItem:PQItemType) throws  
PQueueException
```

4. Retrieve and delete the item with the highest priority

```
pqDelete():PQItemType
```

PQ – Array Implementation



■ ArrayList ordered by priority

- Find the correct position for the insertion
- Shift the array elements to make room for the new item

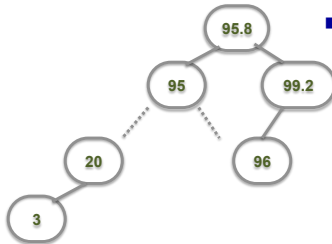
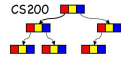
PQ – Reference-based Implementation



■ Reference-based implementation

- Sorted in descending order
 - Highest priority value is at the beginning of the linked list
 - pqDelete returns the item that psHead references and changes pqHead to reference the next item.
 - pqInsert must traverse the list to find the correct position for insertion.

PQ – BST Implementation



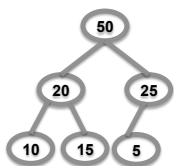
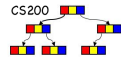
- Binary search tree
 - What is the highest value of the nodes?
 - Removing is easy
 - It has at most one child
 - You can use a balanced variation of the binary search tree.
- Other options?

Heap - Definition

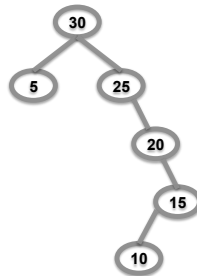


- A **maximum heap** (maxheap) is a **complete binary tree** that satisfies the following:
 - It is an empty tree
 - or it has the **heap property**:
 - Its root contains a key greater or equal to the keys of its children
 - Its left and right subtrees are also heaps
- Implications of the heap property:
 - The root holds the maximum value (global property)
 - Values in descending order on every path from root to leaf
- **Heap is NOT a binary search tree.**

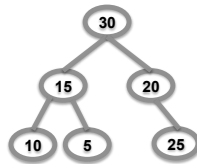
Examples



*Satisfies heap property
Complete*

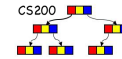


*Satisfies heap property
Not complete*



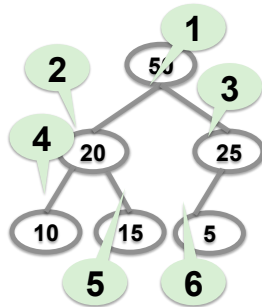
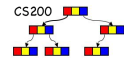
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Heap ADT



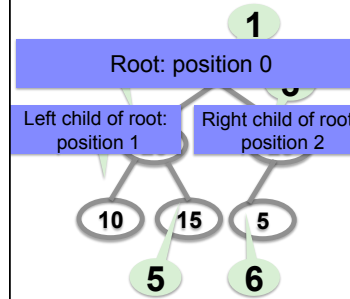
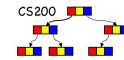
```
createHeap() // create empty heap  
heapIsEmpty():boolean  
    // determines if empty  
heapInsert(in newItem:HeapItemType)  
    throws HeapException  
    // inserts newItem based on its search key.  
    // Throws exception if heap is full  
heapDelete():HeapItemType  
    // retrieves and then deletes heap's root  
    // item which has largest search key
```

ArrayList Implementation



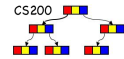
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4	10
5	15
6	5

ArrayList Implementation



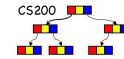
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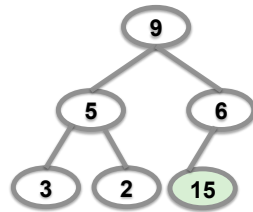
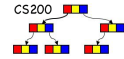
- Traversal items:
 - Root at position 0
 - Left child of position i at position $2i+1$
 - Right child of position i at position $2(i+1)$
 - Parent of position i at position $\lfloor (i-1)/2 \rfloor$

Heap Operations - heapInsert



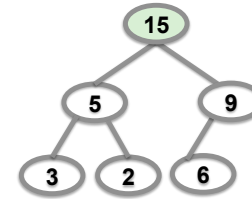
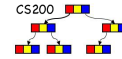
- **Step 1:** put a new value into first open position (maintaining completeness)
- **Step 2:** percolate values up
 - **Re-enforcing the heap property**
 - Swap with parent until in the right place

Insertion into a heap (Insert 15)



Insert 15
Trickle up
Trickle up

Insertion into a heap (Insert 15)



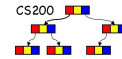
Heap Insert Pseudocode



```
// insert newItem into bottom of tree
items[size] = newItem
// percolate new item up to appropriate spot
place = size
parent = (place-1)/2
while (parent >= 0 and items[place] > items[parent])
{
    swap items[place] and items[parent]
    place = parent
    parent = (place-1)/2
}
increment size
```

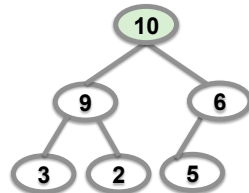
Part of the insert operation is often called `siftUp`

Heap operations – heapDelete



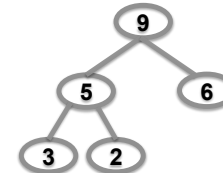
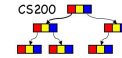
- **Step 1:** always remove value at root (Why?)
- **Step 2:** substitute with rightmost leaf of bottom level (Why?)
- **Step 3:** percolate/sift down
 - Swap with maximum child as necessary

Deletion from a heap



Delete 10
Place last node in root
Trickle down

Deletion from a heap



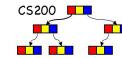
heapDelete Pseudocode



```
// return the item in root
rootItem = items[0]
//copy item from last node into root
items[0] = items[size-1]
size--
// restore the heap property
heapRebuild(items, 0, size)

return rootItem
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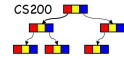
heapRebuild Pseudocode



```
heapRebuild(inout items:ArrayType, in root:integer,
            in size:integer)
{
    if (root is not a leaf) {
        child = 2 * root + 1 // left child
        if (root has right child) {
            rightChild = child + 1
            if (items[rightChild].getKey() >
                items[child].getKey()) {
                child = rightChild
            }
        } // larger child
        if (items[root].getKey() < items[child].getKey()) {
            swap items[root] and items[child]
            heapRebuild(items, child, size)
        }
    }
}
```

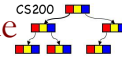
heapRebuild is also called siftDown

Array-based Heaps: Complexity



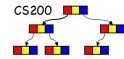
	Average	Worst Case
insert	$O(\log n)$	$O(\log n)$
delete	$O(\log n)$	$O(\log n)$

Heap versus BST for PriorityQueue



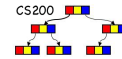
- BST can also be used to implement a priority queue
- How does worst case complexity compare?
- How does average case complexity compare?
- What if you know the maximum needed size for the PriorityQueue?

Small number of priorities



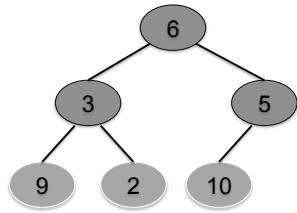
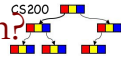
- A heap of queues with a queue for each priority value.

HeapSort



- Algorithm
 - Insert all elements (one at a time) to a heap
 - Iteratively delete them
 - Removes minimum/maximum value at each step
- Computational complexity?

Repeat n times of insert operation?



Question : Can we reduce the number of operations?

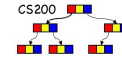


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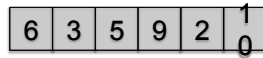
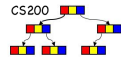


- Alternative method (in-place):
 - Create a heap out of the input array:
 - Consider the input array as a complete binary tree
 - Create a heap by iteratively expanding the portion of the tree that is a heap
 - Start from the leaves, which are semi-heaps
 - Move up to next level calling `heapRebuild` with each parent
 - Iteratively swap the root item with last item in unsorted portion and rebuild

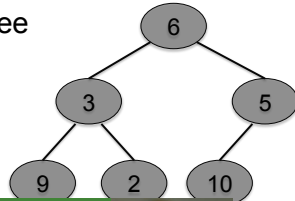
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Build initial tree



- Begin with the root
- Left to right down this tree



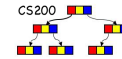
Question : To build this initial heap, how many operations are needed?

A. 3 B. 4 C. 5 D. 6

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Transform tree into a heap

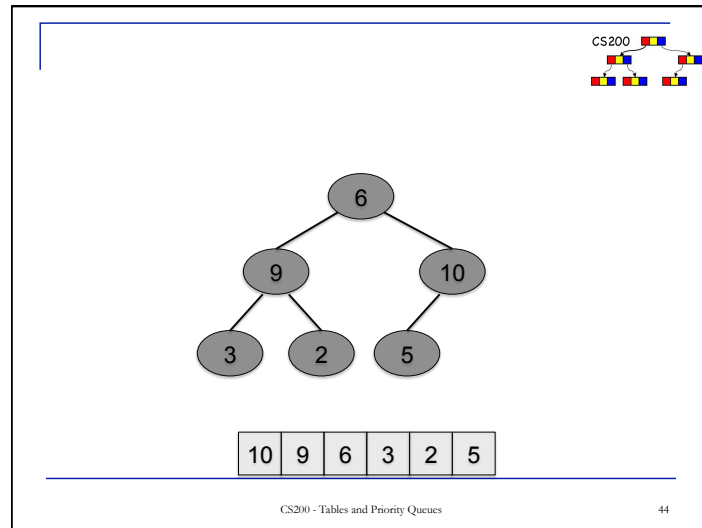
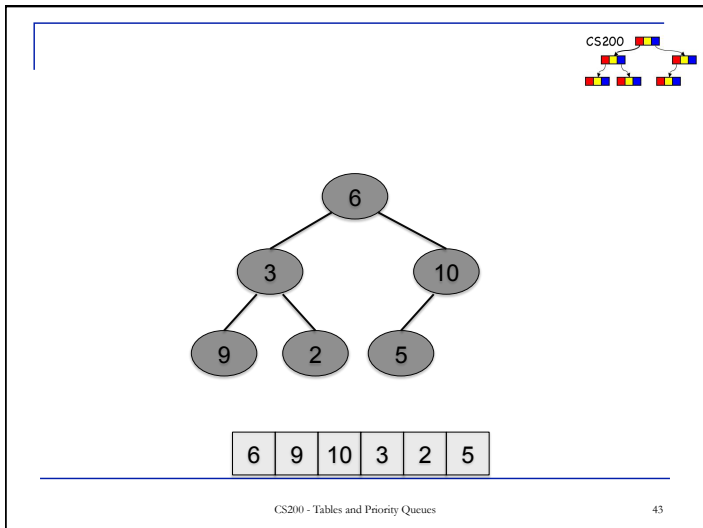
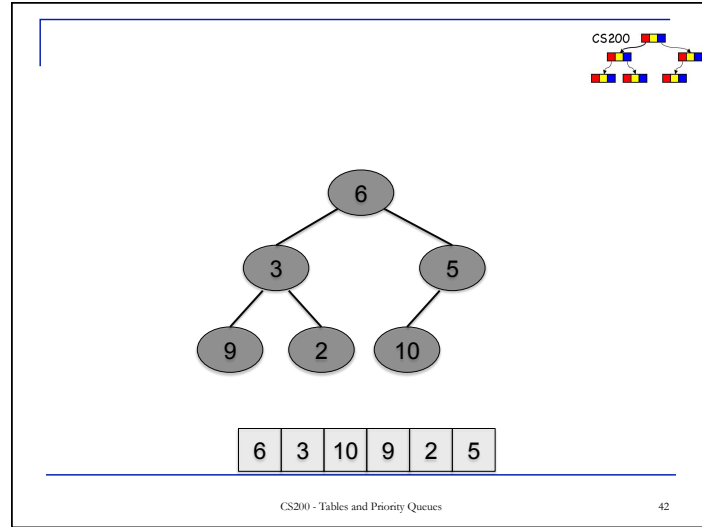
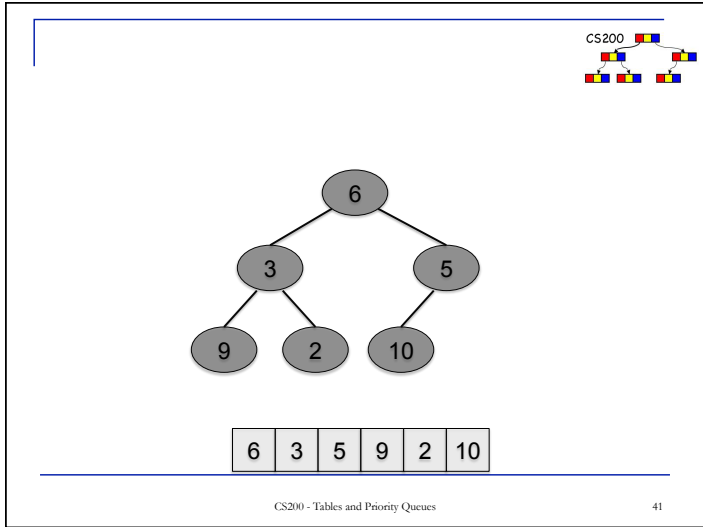


```
for (index = n - 1 down to 0)
  //Assertion: the tree rooted at index is a semiheap
  heapRebuild(anArray, index x)
  //Assertion: the tree rooted at index is a heap
```

- Call `heapRebuild()` on the leaves from right to left
- Move up the tree

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10
9 6
3 2 5

10 9 6 3 2 5

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Do we need n steps?

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6
3 5
9 2 10

No Child No Child No Child

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After transforming the array into a heap

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- Heapsort partitions the array into two regions
 - Heap region
 - sorted region

HEAP Sorted (Largest elements in array)

0 1 2 3 last last+1 n - 1

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Sorted : n-1 (5~)

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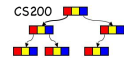
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Sorted: n-2 (4~)



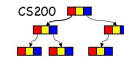
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2 5 6 3 9 10

Sorted: n-3 (3~)



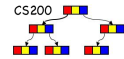
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Sorted: n-4 (2~)



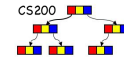
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Sorted: n-5 (1~)



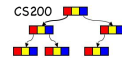
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Sorted :n-6 (0~)



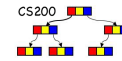
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HEAP 2 3 5 6 9 10 Sorted

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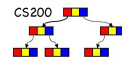
Final result 2 3 5 6 9 10

HeapSort Pseudocode



```
heapSort(ourItems:ArrayList, n:integer)
// First step: build heap out of the input array
for (index = n - 1 down to 0) {
    // Invariant: the tree rooted at index is a
    // semiheap
    // semiheap: tree where the subtrees of the
    // root are heaps
    heapRebuild(ourItems, index, n)
    // The tree rooted at index is a heap
}
```

HeapSort Pseudocode



```
heapSort(ourItems:ArrayList, n:integer)
for (index = n-1 down to 0) {
    heapRebuild(ourItems, index, n)
}
last = n - 1 // initialize the regions
for (step = 1 through n) {
    swap ourItems[0] and ourItems[last]
    decrement last
    heapRebuild(ourItems, 0, last) }
}
```

