
Algorithm 2.1 QUICKSORT

Input. Sequence (a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n)

Output. Sequence (b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n)

- (1) If $n = 0$ return.
 - (2) Otherwise let $p = a_1$. Let ℓ and r be two empty sequences.
 - (3) For $i = 2, \dots, n$, if $a_i \leq p$ append a_i to ℓ otherwise append a_i to r .
 - (4) Return $(\text{QUICKSORT}(\ell), p, \text{QUICKSORT}(r))$
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Algorithm 2.2 QUICKSELECT

Input. Sequence (a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n) , integer k

Output. Element b

- (1) If $n = 0$ return.
 - (2) Otherwise let $p = a_1$. Let ℓ and r be two empty sequences.
 - (3) For $i = 2, \dots, n$, if $a_i \leq p$ append a_i to ℓ otherwise append a_i to r .
 - (4) If $|\ell| = k - 1$ return $b = p$. Else, if $|\ell| > k$ return QUICKSELECT(ℓ, k), otherwise return QUICKSELECT($r, k - |\ell|$)
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