

## Sort1

Sort1(S)

While there are integers  $x$  and  $y$  in  $S$  such that  $x$  precedes  $y$  in  $S$  and  $x > y$

Swap  $x$  and  $y$  in  $S$

Return  $S$

Is Sort1 an algorithm if a selection rule is specified?

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## Correctness

Correct Algorithm: Well-defined sequence of computational steps that produce a correct output for every valid input.

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## Proof of Correctness

At each stage of Sort1 let  $T_j = \sum_{k \leq j} S_k$

**Claim 1:**  $T_j$  is non-increasing

**Claim 2:** In each swap some  $T_j$  decreases

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## Sort1 Analysis

	S	T
Input:	5, 3, 8, 1, 2	5, 8, 16, 17, 19
Swap 3 and 2:	5, 2, 8, 1, 3	5, 7, 15, 16, 19
Swap 3 and 5:	3, 2, 8, 1, 5	
Swap 3 and 2:	2, 3, 8, 1, 5	
Swap 2 and 1:	1, 3, 8, 2, 5	
Swap 3 and 2:	1, 2, 8, 3, 5	
Swap 8 and 5:	1, 2, 5, 3, 8	
Swap 5 and 3:	1, 2, 3, 5, 8	

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## Sort1 Analysis cont.

	S	T
Input:	5, 3, 8, 1, 2	5, 8, 16, 17, 19
Swap 3 and 2:	5, 2, 8, 1, 3	5, 7, 15, 16, 19
Swap 3 and 5:	3, 2, 8, 1, 5	3, 5, 13, 14, 19
Swap 3 and 2:	2, 3, 8, 1, 5	2, 5, 13, 14, 19
Swap 2 and 1:	1, 3, 8, 2, 5	1, 4, 12, 14, 19
Swap 3 and 2:	1, 2, 8, 3, 5	1, 3, 11, 14, 19
Swap 8 and 5:	1, 2, 5, 3, 8	1, 3, 8, 11, 19
Swap 5 and 3:	1, 2, 3, 5, 8	1, 3, 6, 11, 19

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## Alternative Proof of Correctness (as suggested in class)

**Claim:** The number of out-of-order pairs in  $S$  decreases with each swap.

At each stage of the algorithm let  $M(k,m)$ ,  $1 \leq k, m \leq n$ , be

1 if  $k < m$  and  $S_k > S_m$   
0 otherwise

Note that the number of out-of-order pairs in  $S$  is

$$\sum_{k,m} M(k,m)$$

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## Alternative Proof cont.

- We can match each pair  $k, m$  such that:  
 $M(k, m) = 0 \xrightarrow{\text{swap}} M(k, m) = 1$
- To a pair  $k', m'$  such that"  
 $M(k', m') = 1 \xrightarrow{\text{swap}} M(k', m') = 0$
- And still find an unmatched pair  $k'', m''$  such that"  
 $M(k'', m'') = 1 \xrightarrow{\text{swap}} M(k'', m'') = 0$

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## Purely Iterative vs. Recursive Algorithms

- Recursive algorithm: An algorithm which calls itself.
- Purely iterative algorithm: One that doesn't.

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Sort2(S)
  If  $|S| \leq 1$ 
    Return: S
  Else
    Return: Sort2(S, max-element(S), max-element(S))
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## Sort2 Example

Input: 5, 3, 8, 1, 2

Sort2(5,3,8,1,2) = Sort2(5,3,1,2), 8  
= Sort2(3,1,2), 5, 8  
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## Sort2 Example cont.

Input: 5, 3, 8, 1, 2

Sort2(5,3,8,1,2) = Sort2(5,3,1,2), 8  
= Sort2(3,1,2), 5, 8  
= Sort2(1,2), 3, 5, 8  
= Sort2(1), 2, 3, 5, 8  
= 1, 2, 3, 5, 8

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## The Questions To Ask:

- Is the algorithm correct?
- Is the algorithm efficient?

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