

# Algo Design 2

## Cours 2

Sort, Recursivity and Linked Lists

# Algorithm Complexity

- **Goal : measure the inherent efficiency**
  - As a function of the data **input size**
  - Compute the number of elementary operations
  - **Asymptotic** measure
  - **Worst-case/Average-case**
  - **Time / Space** complexity

# Sorting Problem

Algorithms	Worst-case	Average
Insertion Bubble Sort	$\Theta(n^2)$	$\Theta(n^2)$
Quicksort	$\Theta(n^2)$	$\Theta(n \cdot \log(n))$
Merge Sort	$\Theta(n \cdot \log(n))$	$\Theta(n \cdot \log(n))$

# Merge Sort

- Sort an array  $A$  between the indices  $p$  &  $r$  :

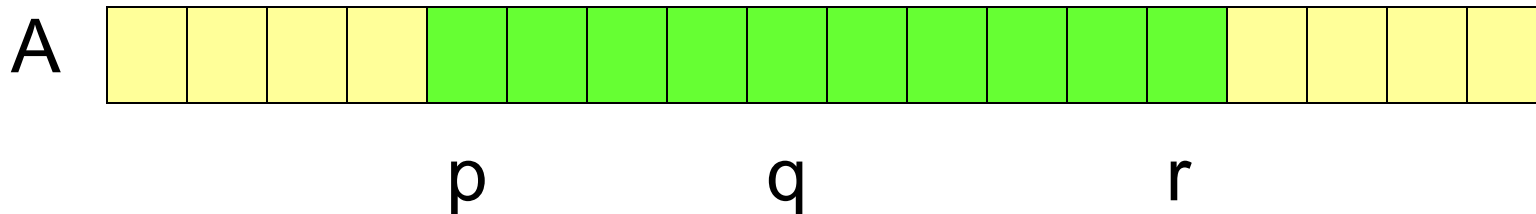
- if  $p < r$  then

$$q = (p+r) / 2$$

 mergesort ( $A, p, q$ )

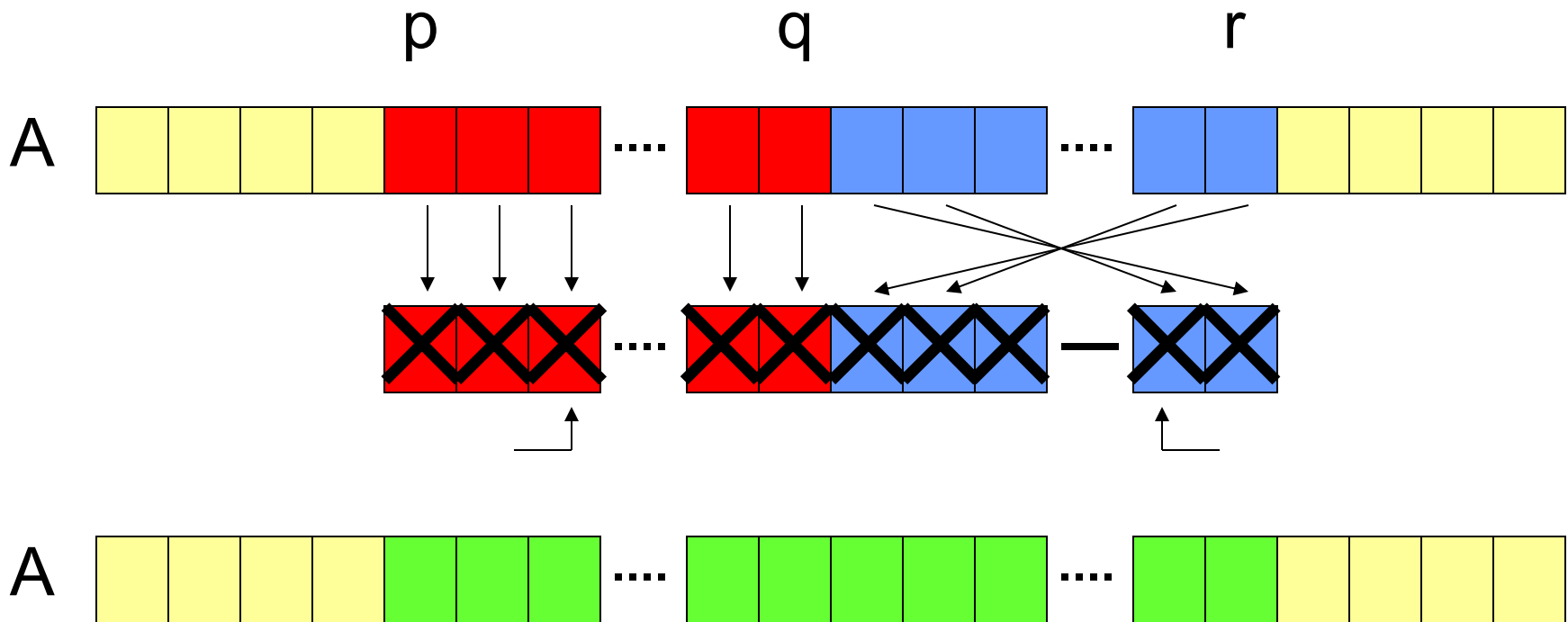
 mergesort ( $A, q+1, r$ )

 merge ( $A, p, q, r$ )



# Merge Sort

- Merge of two sorted arrays:



- Complexity  $\approx$  number of elements to merge

# Merge Sort

2	8	12	1	7	16	15	5	3	4	9	14	10	13	11	6
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2	8	1	12	7	16	5	15	3	4	9	14	10	13	6	11
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1	2	8	12	5	7	15	16	3	4	9	14	6	10	11	13
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1	2	5	7	8	12	15	16	3	4	6	9	10	11	13	14
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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
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$2 \times 2^3$

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$2^3 \times 2$

$2^4 \times 1$

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 $4 \times 2^4$

$$C_n = \Theta(\log(n) \times n)$$

# Quicksort

- Recursive Sort based on partition
- `if p < r then`
  - `q = partition(A, p, r)`
  - `quicksort(A, p, q - 1)`
  - `quicksort(A, q + 1, r)`
- Worst-case complexity:  $C_n = \Theta(n^2)$
- Average-case complexity:  $C_n = \Theta(n \cdot \log(n))$

# Sort : can we do better ?

- If we do not make any additional assumption on the data
- Representation of the algorithm with a *decision tree*
- **Any sorting algorithm needs about  $n \cdot \log(n)$  comparisons**



# Sort : can we do better ?

- *Decision tree :*

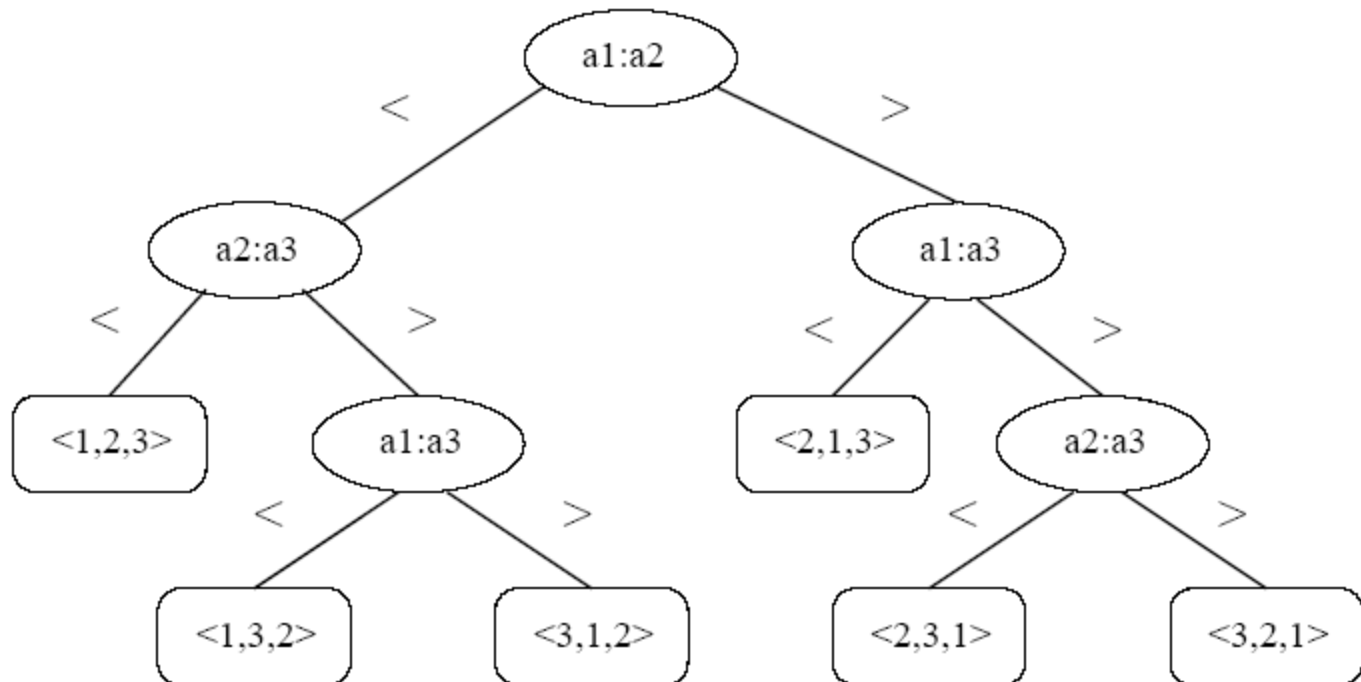


FIG. 2.3 – Arbre de décision d'un algorithme de tri

# Sort : can we do better ?

- Number of « leaves »  $\geq$  number of permutations with  $n$  elements =  $n!$

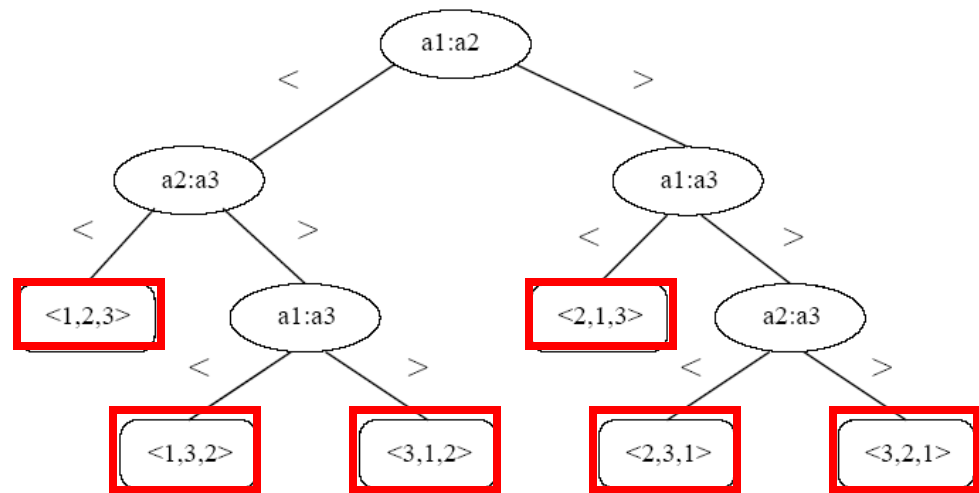


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# Sort : can we do better ?

- Number of comparisons to sort = length of the branch
- Height Tree = maximum number of comparisons

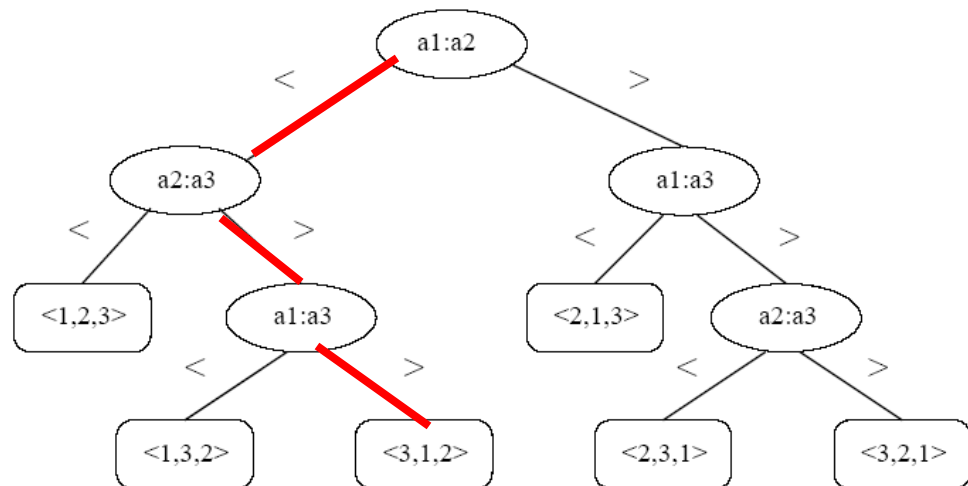


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# Sort : can we do better ?

- Height Tree  $h$

Maximum number of leaves =  $2^h$

- $2^h \geq \text{Number of leaves} \geq n!$

$$h \geq \log n! > \log \left( \left( \frac{n}{e} \right)^n \right) = n \log n - n \log e$$

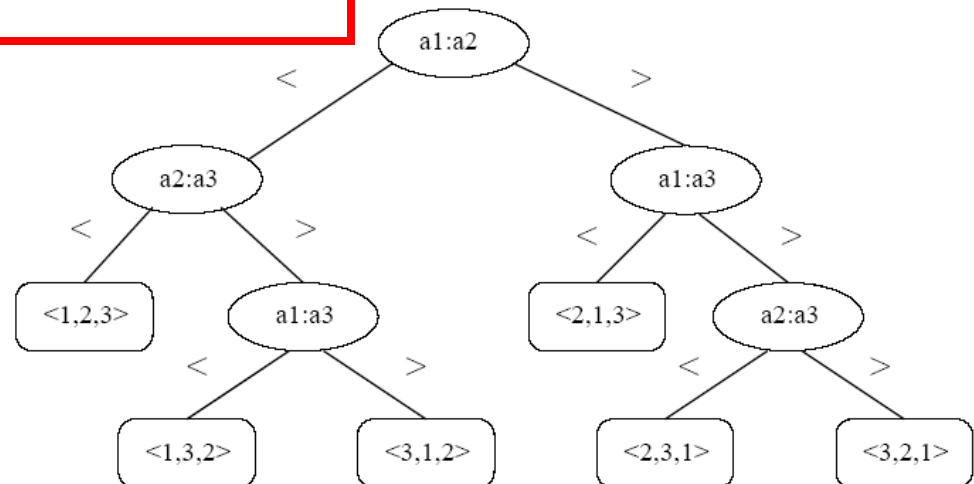
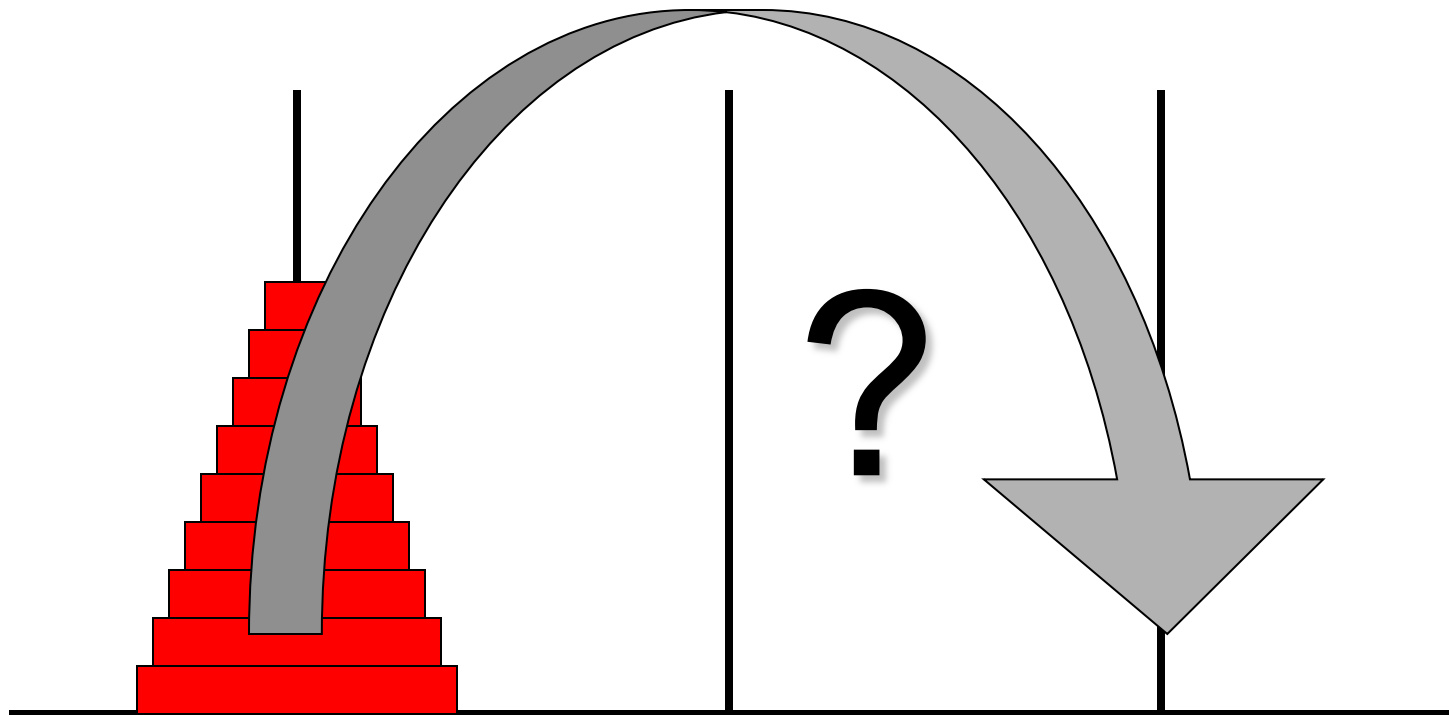


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# Sort : can we do better?

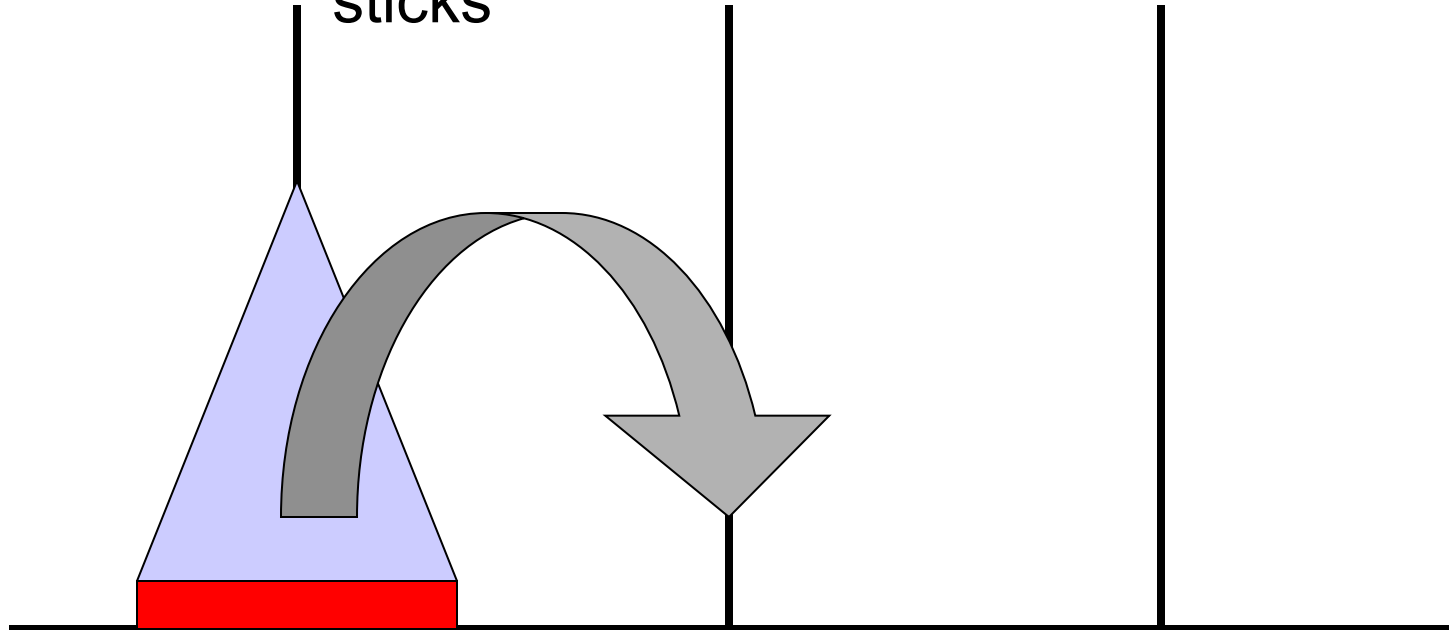
- If we do not make any additional assumption on the data, **any sorting algorithm needs at least about  $n \cdot \log(n)$  comparisons**
- And if we do additional assumption, ...?

# Hanoi Towers



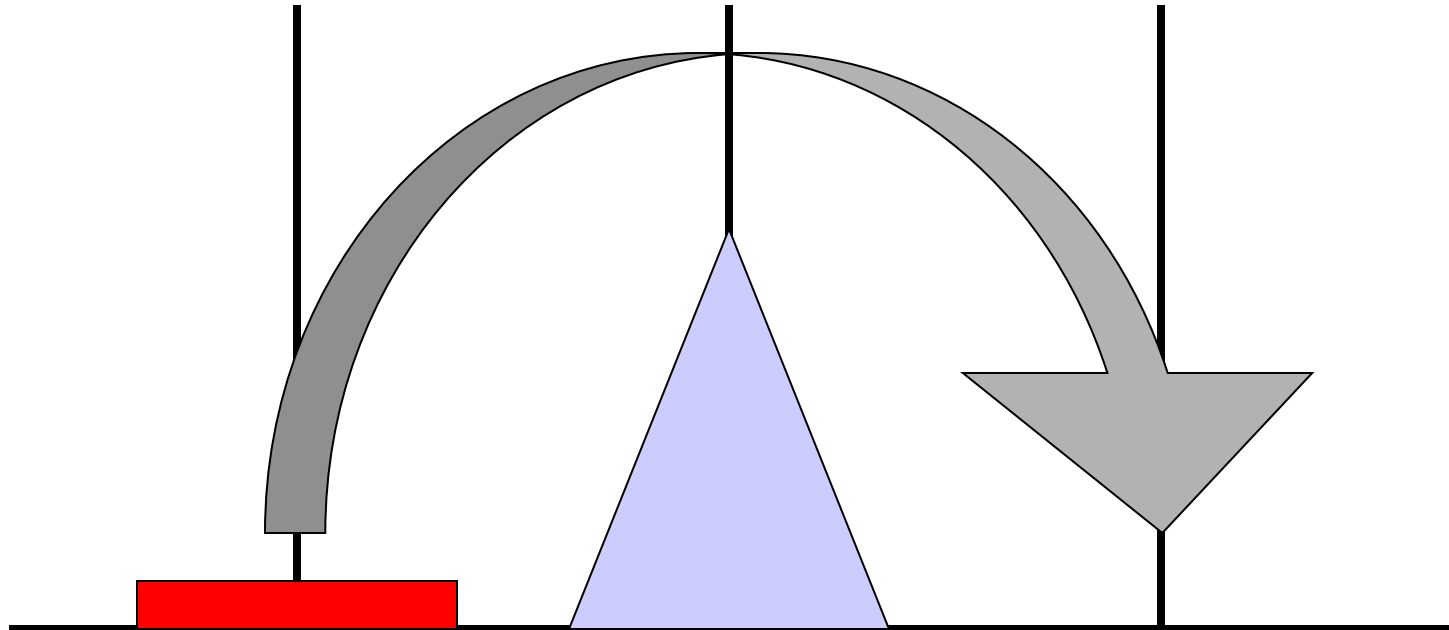
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**Recursive**  
move of **n-1**  
sticks



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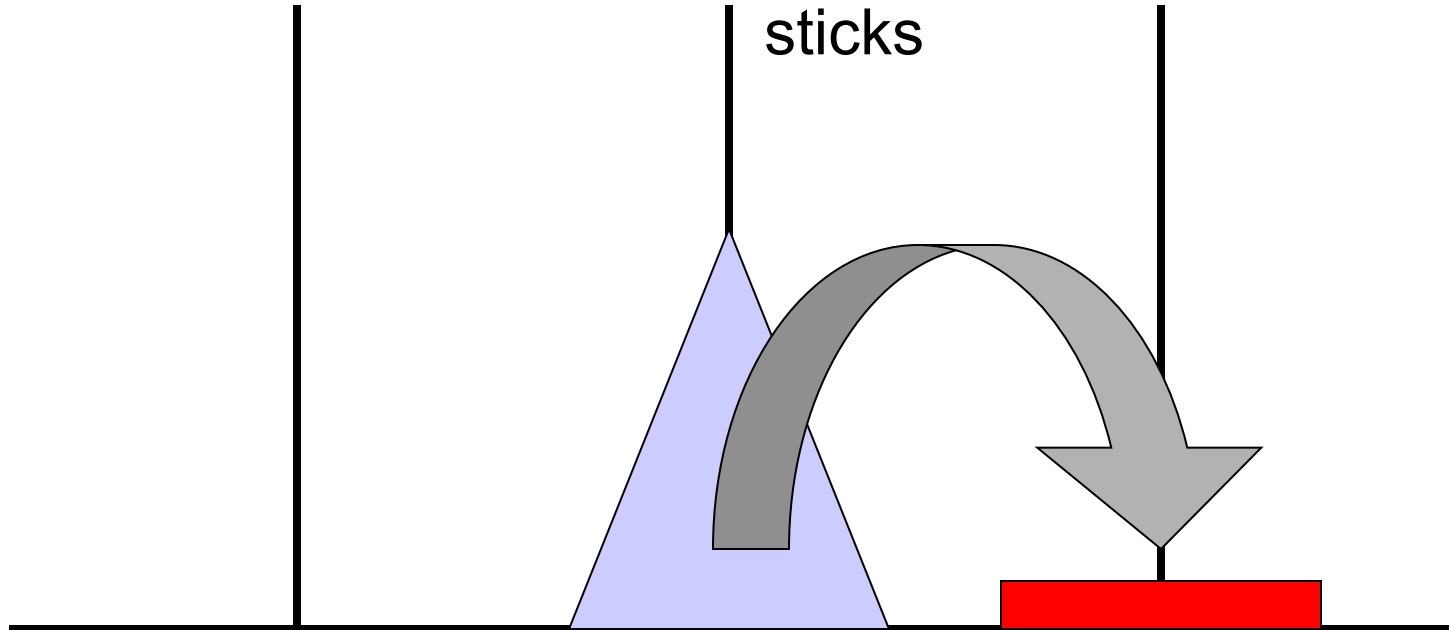
Move largest one



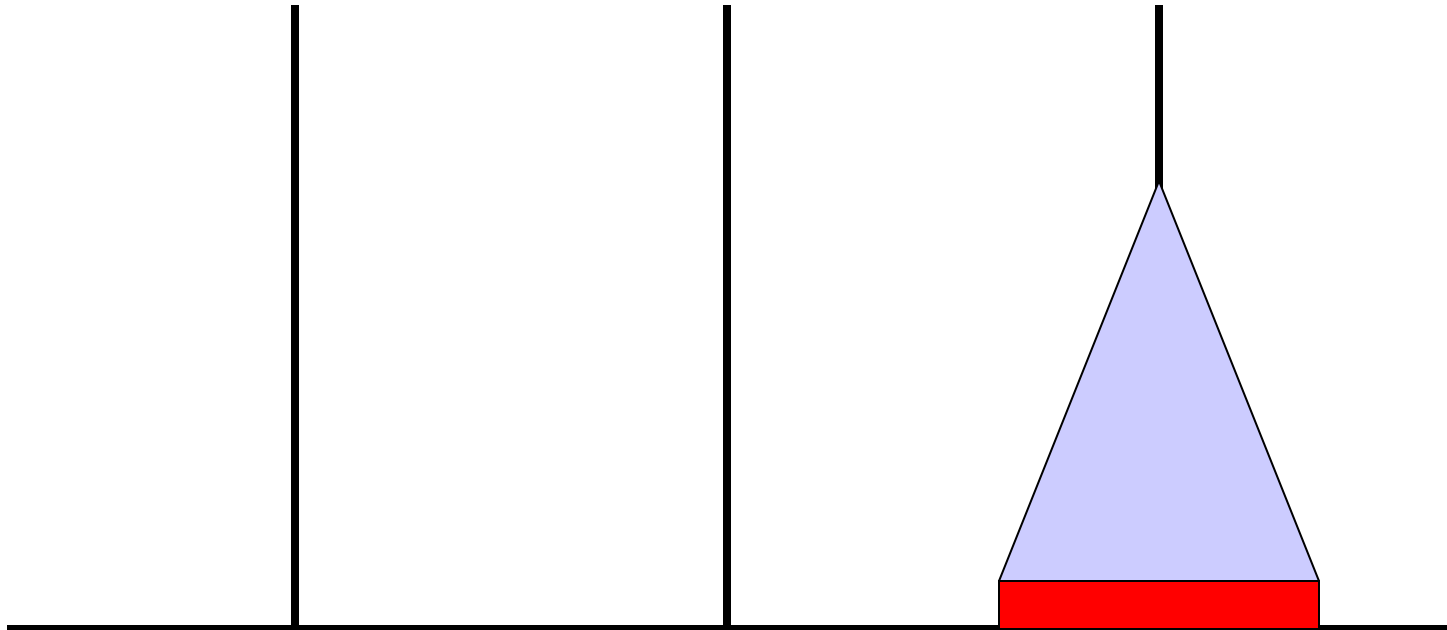


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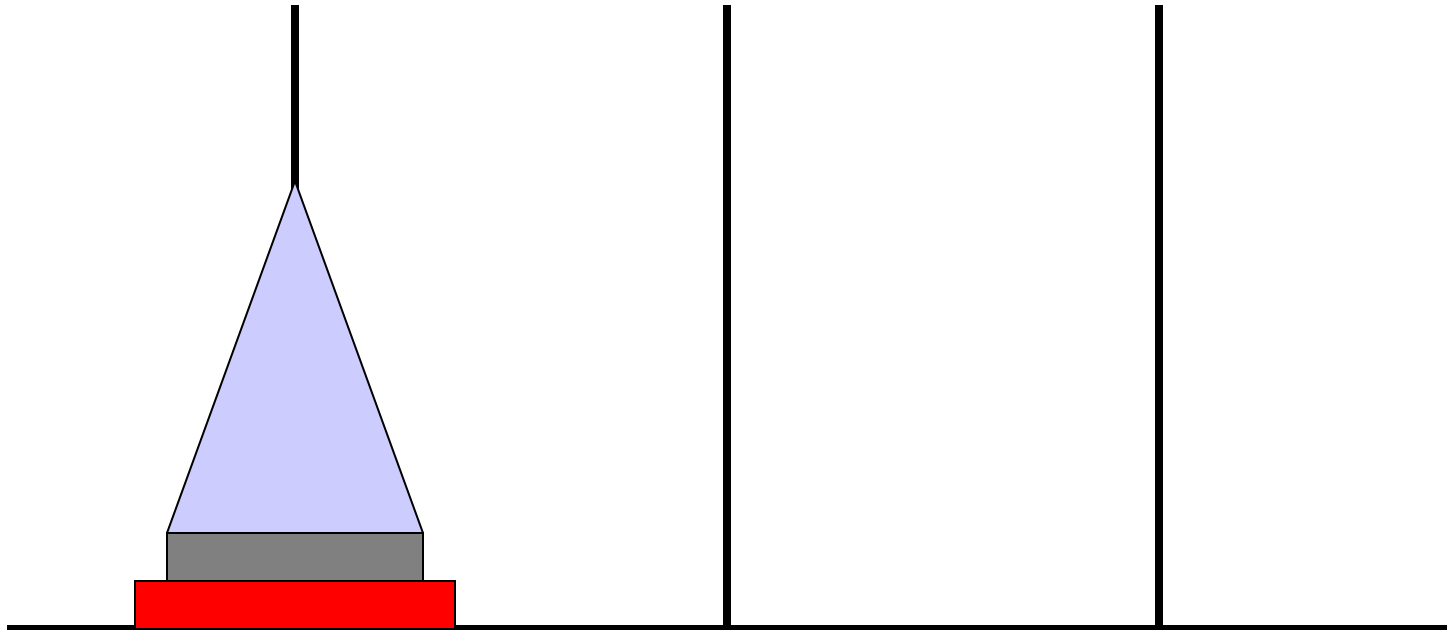
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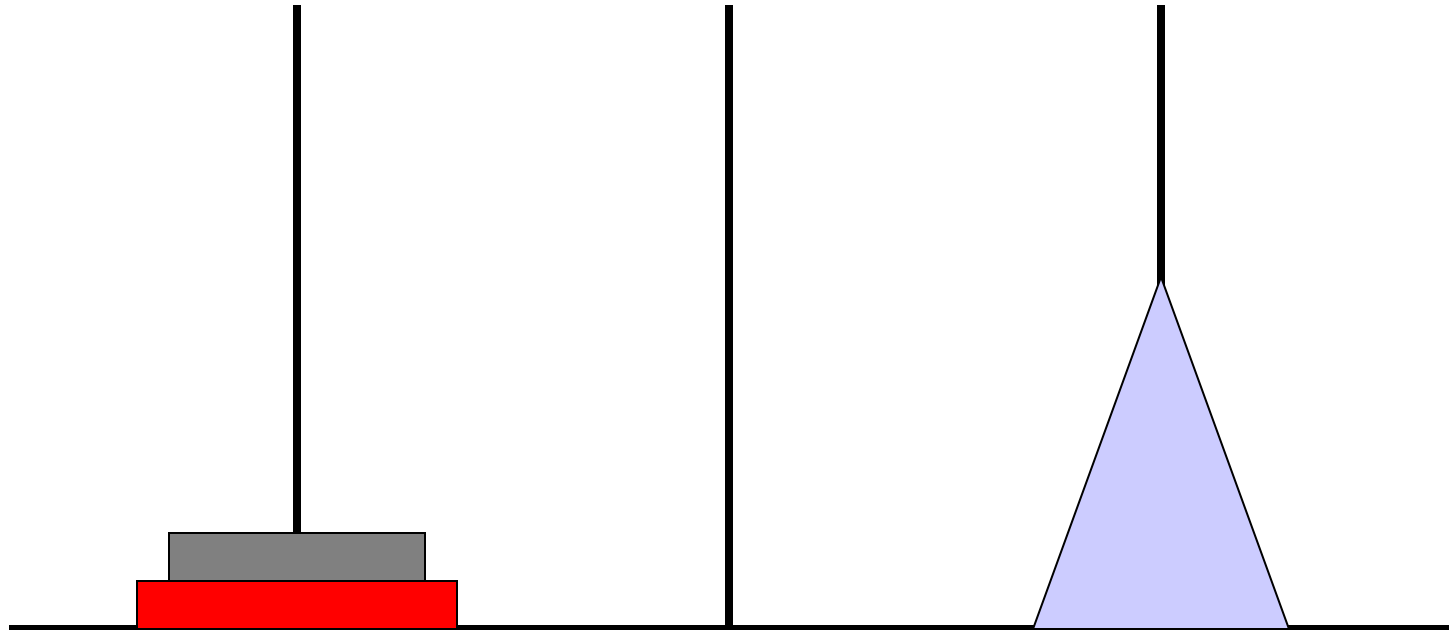
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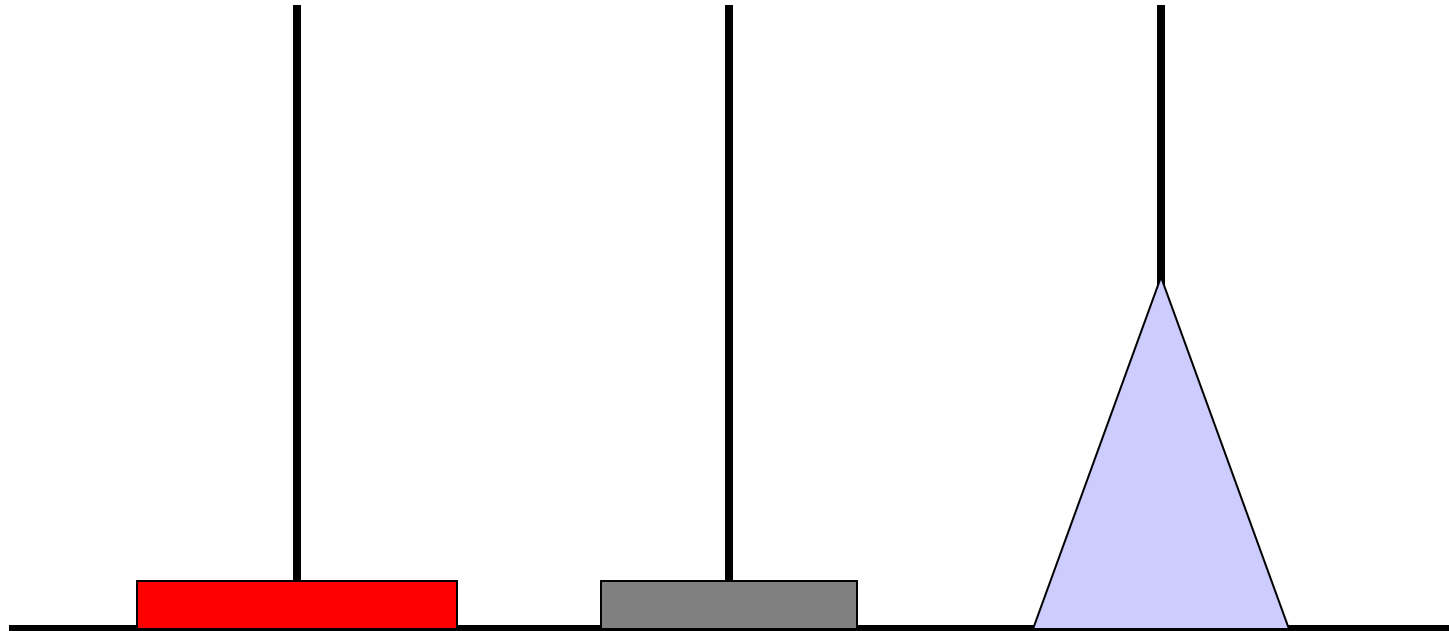
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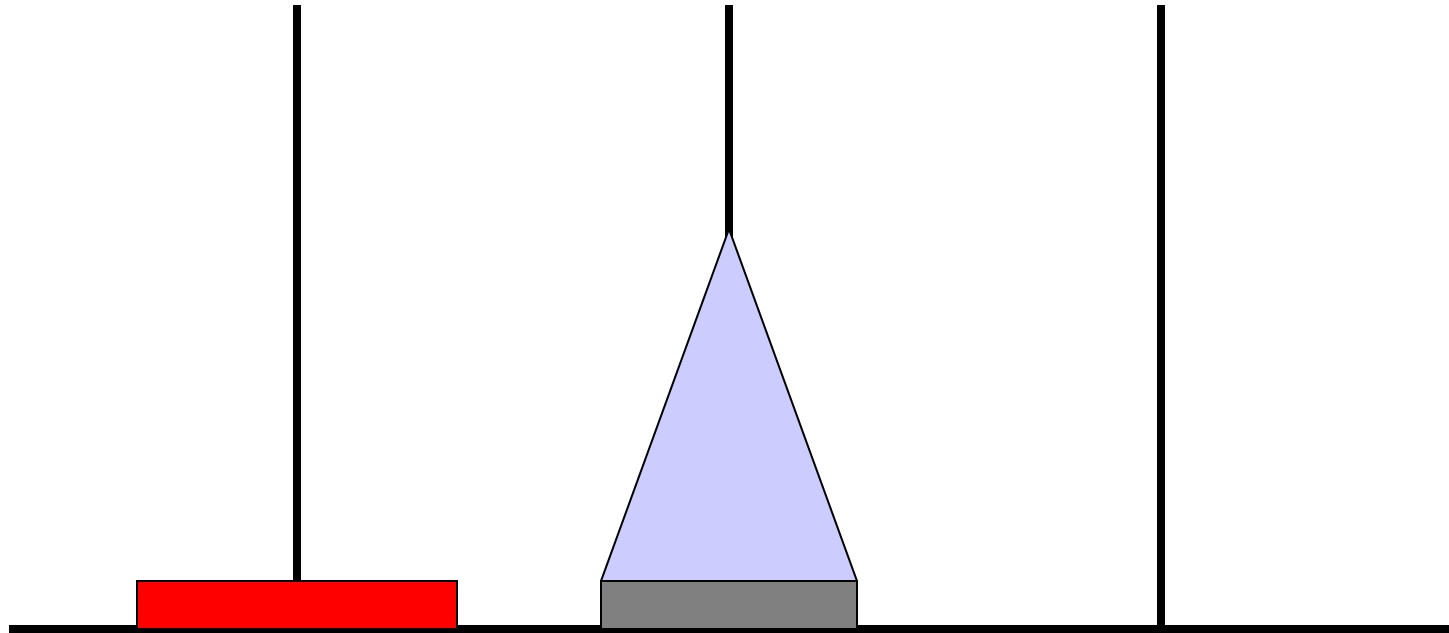
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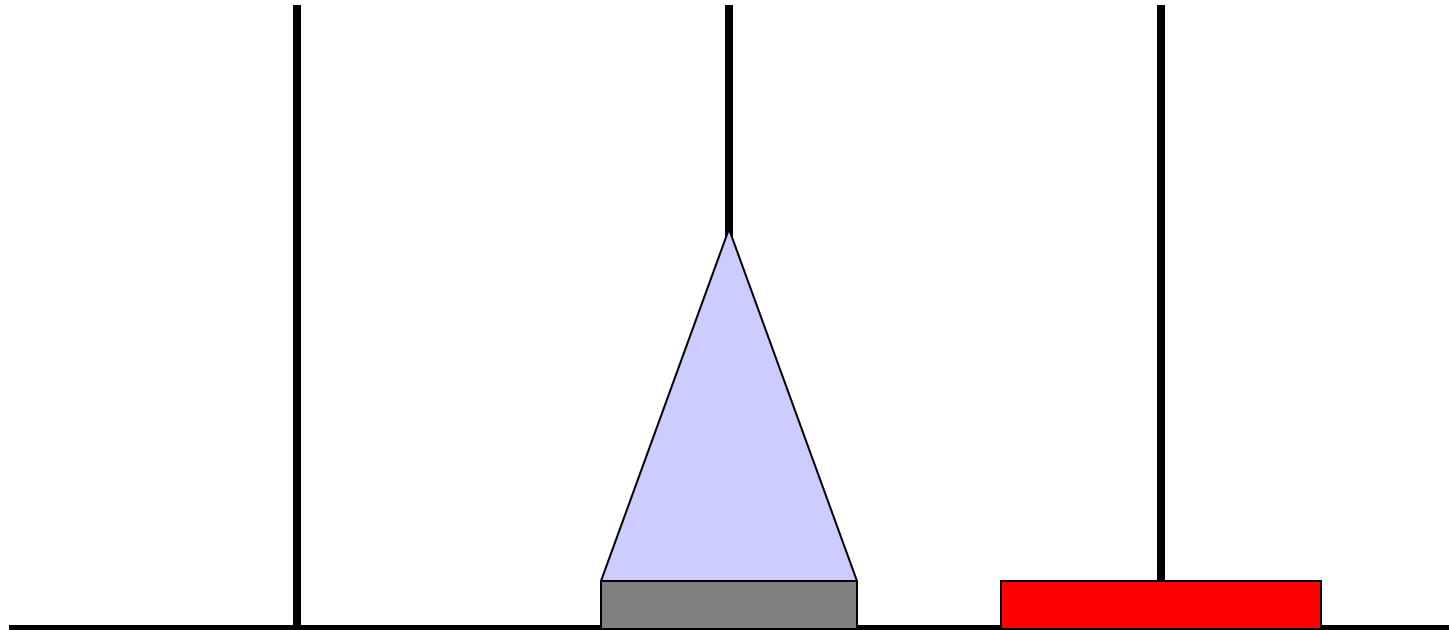
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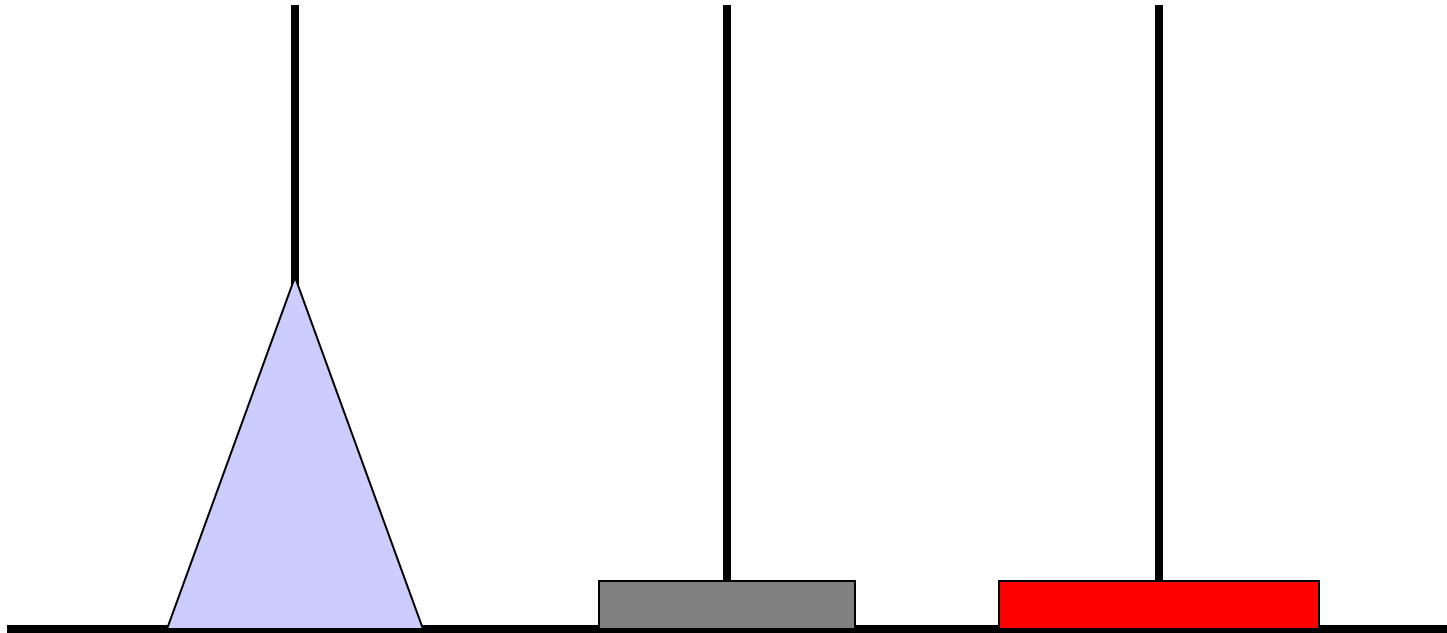
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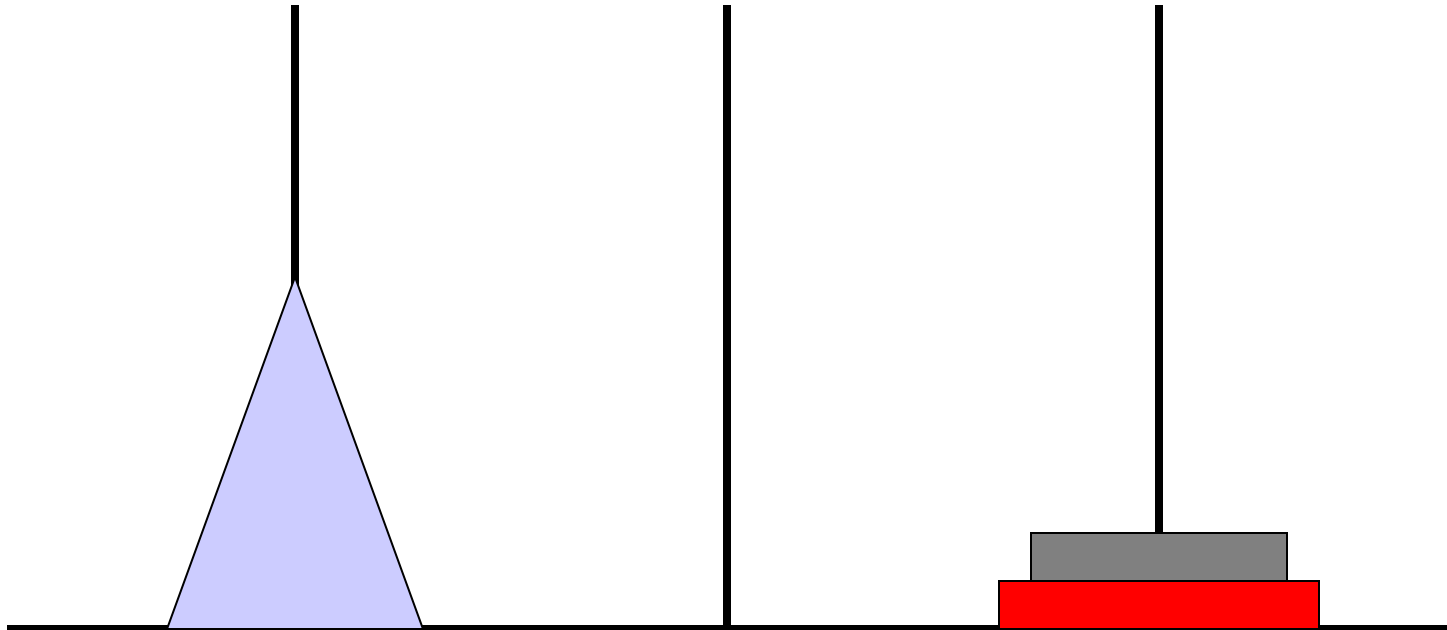


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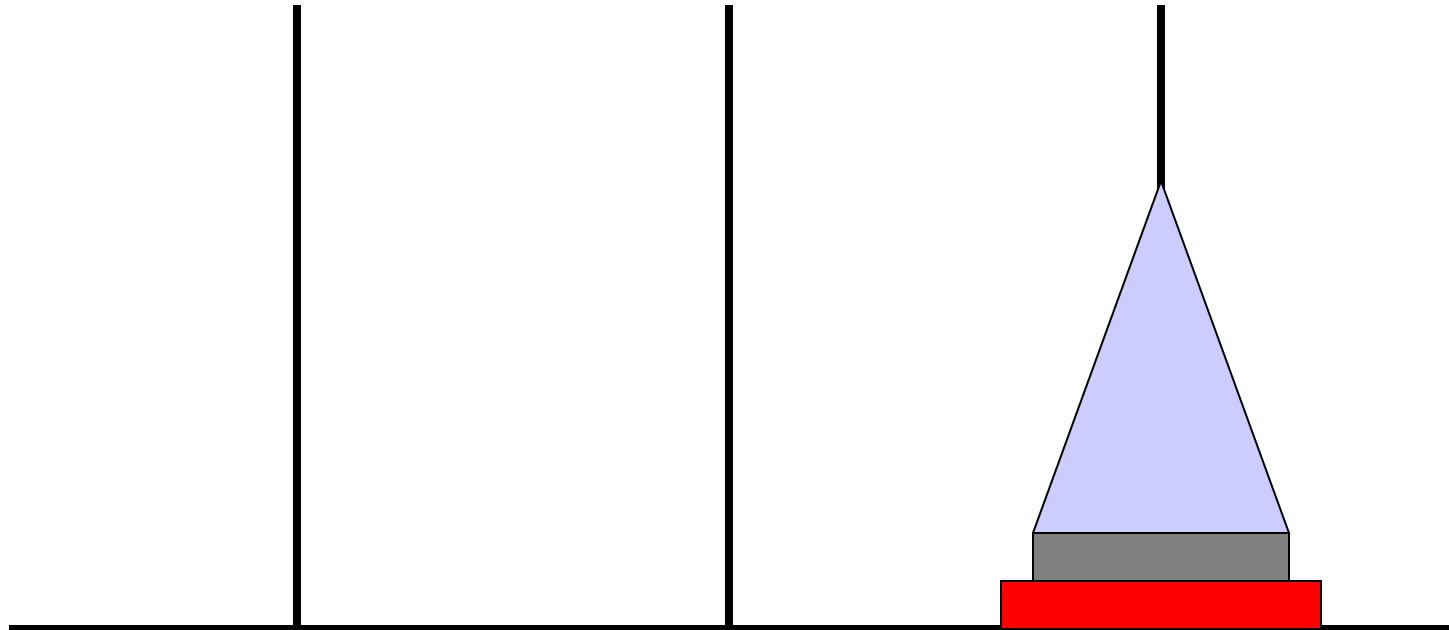




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# Hanoi Towers

- Recursive solution

```
void Hanoi(int n, int i, int j)
{ int intermediaire=6-(i+j);
  if (n>0)
    { Hanoi(n - 1, i, intermediaire);
      printf("Mouvement du piquet %d
              vers le piquet %d\n",i,j);
      Hanoi(n - 1, intermediaire, j);
    }
}
```

# Hanoï : solution

- `Mouvement du piquet 1 vers le piquet 3`  
`Mouvement du piquet 1 vers le piquet 2`  
`Mouvement du piquet 3 vers le piquet 2`  
`Mouvement du piquet 1 vers le piquet 3`  
`Mouvement du piquet 2 vers le piquet 1`  
`Mouvement du piquet 2 vers le piquet 3`  
`Mouvement du piquet 1 vers le piquet 3`

# Hanoi : complexity

- Number of moves :

- $C_0=0$

- $C_n=1+2.C_{n-1}$

- $C_n = 2^n - 1 = \Theta(2^n)$

The exponential complexity is inherent to the problem

- Space complexity :  $\Theta(n)$

# Data structures

- Array
- Lists
- Variants of lists
  - stack
  - queue
  - Circular list
  - Double-linked list
- Advanced data structures: trees, graphs,...

# Data Structures

- **Static Array**

- Simple, efficient, limited

```
int t[10];  
t[5]=17;
```

```
t[10]=4;
```

```
int n=4;  
int t[n];
```

# Data Structure

- **Dynamic Array**

- less simple, as efficient, less limited

```
int *t;
```

```
int n;
```

```
printf("Valeur de n ? ");
```

```
scanf("%d", &n);
```

```
t=(int *)malloc(sizeof(int)*n);
```

```
t[0]=17;
```

...

```
free(t);
```



# List

- More complex to program
- Different efficiency than array
- We can do anything
- Theoretical definition :

**list=Nil** *and* **Cons(x,list)**

# Lists : manipulation

- **Cons**(1,Cons(2,Cons(3,Nil)))  
noted [1,2,3]
- **Cons**(1,[2,3,4]) = [1,2,3,4]
- **Head** ([1,2,3,4]) = 1
- **Tail** ([1,2,3,4]) = [2,3,4]

# C Implementation

- ```
struct cell
{
    int val;
    struct cell *next;
};
```

```
typedef struct cell *List;
```
- Graphical Representation

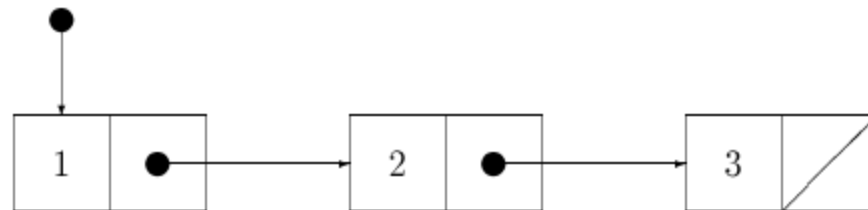


FIG. 3.3 - Représentation graphique de la liste chaînée [1,2,3]

# C Implementation

- `List cons(int v, List L)`  
`{List nouv;`  
`nouv=(List) malloc(sizeof(struct cell));`  
`nouv->val=v;  nouv->next=L;`  
`return nouv;}`
- `int head(List L)`  
`{if (L==NULL)`  
`{printf("head(NULL)\n"); exit(-1);}`  
`return L->val;}`
- `Liste tail(List L)`  
`{if (L==NULL)`  
`{printf("tail(NULL)\n"); exit(-1);}`  
`return L->next;}`

# Iterative vs fonctionnal

- `void print List1(List L) // (ITERATIVE)`

```
{ List P=L;
  while (P!=NULL)
    {printf("%d ",P->val);
     P=P->next;}
  printf("\n");
}
```
- `void print List2(List L) // (FONCTIONNAL)`

```
{ if (L==NULL) printf("\n");
  else
    {printf("%d ",head(L));
     print_Liste2(tail(L));}
}
```

# Searching an element

- `int element1(int v, List L)`  
`{ List P=L;`  
`while (P!=NULL)`  
`{if (P->val==v) return 1;`  
`P=P->next;}`  
`return 0;}`
- `int element2(int v, List L)`  
`{ if (L==NULL) return 0;`  
`return ((v==head(L)) || element2(v, tail(L)));`  
`}`
- Complexity :  $\Theta(n)$

# Insertion at kth rank

- Liste add1(int v, int k, List L)  
{  
    if (k==0) return cons(v,L);  
    return  
        cons(head(L), add1(v, k-1, tail(L)));  
}
- What is going on ?

# Insertion at kth rank

- ```
void add2(int v, int k, List *L)
{ int i;
  List P,nouv;
  if (k==0) *L=cons(v,*L);
  else
    {if (k>length(*L))
      {printf("Add impossible\n"); exit(-1);}
      P=*L;
      for(i=0;i<k-1;i++)
        P=P->next;
      nouv=(List) malloc(sizeof(int));
      nouv->val=v;
      nouv->next=P->next;
      P->next=nouv;}
}
```



# Deletion of a list

- `void freelist(List L)`  
  `{`  
    `if (L!=NULL)`  
      `{`  
        `freelist(L->next) ;`  
        `free(L) ;`  
      `}`  
  `}`

# Inversion of a list

- `Liste renverse1(List L)`  
  `{ if (L==NULL)`  
    `return L;`  
  `else`  
    `return`  
    `concat(renverse1(tail(L)), cons(head(L), NULL));`  
  `}`
- `Liste renverse2(List L, List Acc)`  
  `{ if (L==NULL)`  
    `return Acc;`  
  `else`  
    `return renverse2(tail(L), cons(head(L), Acc));`  
  `}`

# Variants

- Double-linked lists
- Circular Lists
- Stack (LIFO)
- Queue (FIFO)