

find

find.c

- prompts for numbers to fill the haystack
- searches the haystack for a needle
 - ▣ calls sort and search, functions defined in helpers.c

TODO

- search
 - ▣ return true if value is found in haystack
 - ▣ return false if value is not in haystack
- sort
 - ▣ sort the values[] array

search

- linear search: you can do better!
 - $O(n)$ → slow
 - Can search any list
- binary search
 - $O(\log n)$ → fast
 - can only search sorted lists

binary search

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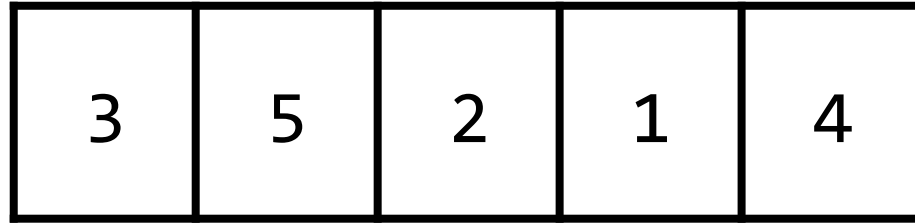
binary search: pseudocode

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while length of list > 0
    look at middle of list
    if number found, return true
    else if number higher, search left
    else if number lower, search right
return false
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TODO

- search
- sort

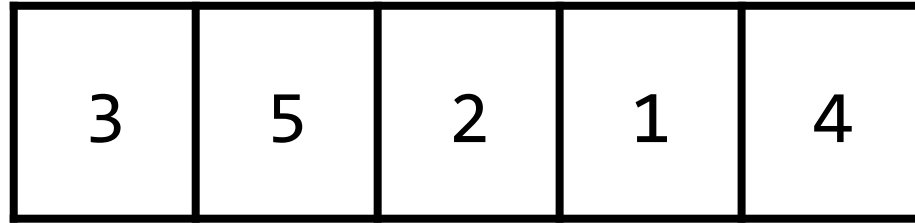
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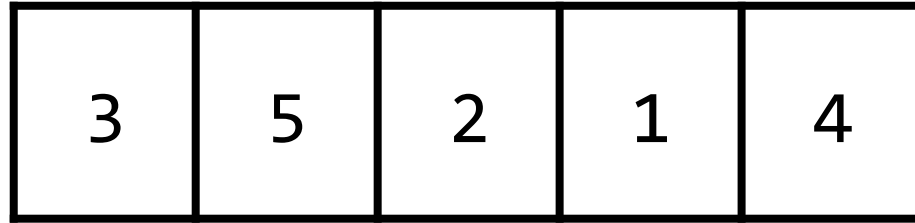
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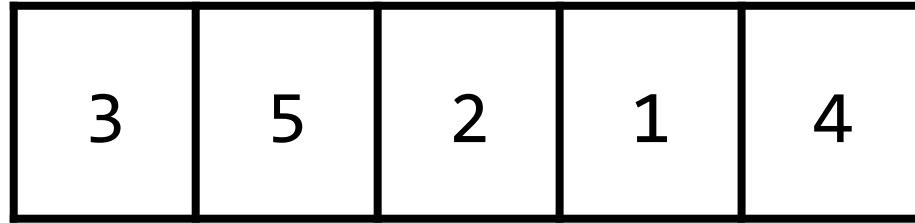


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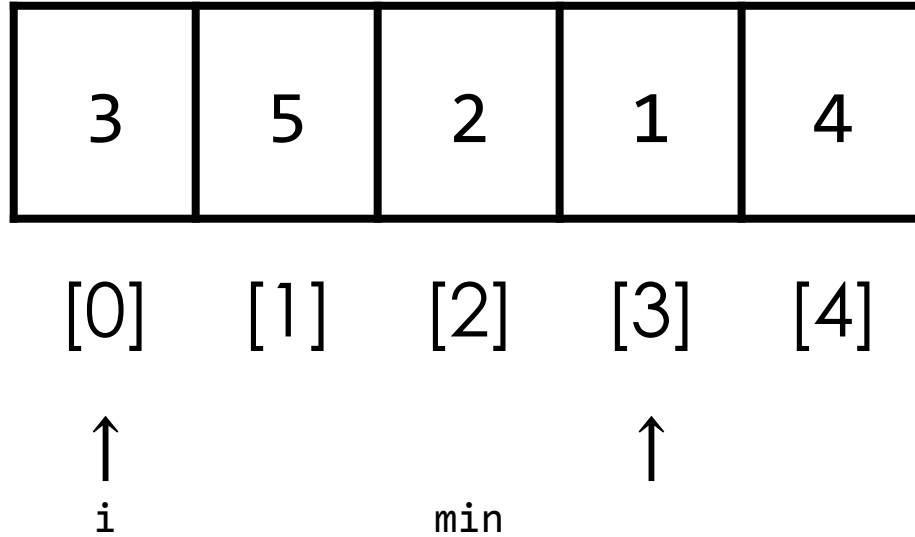


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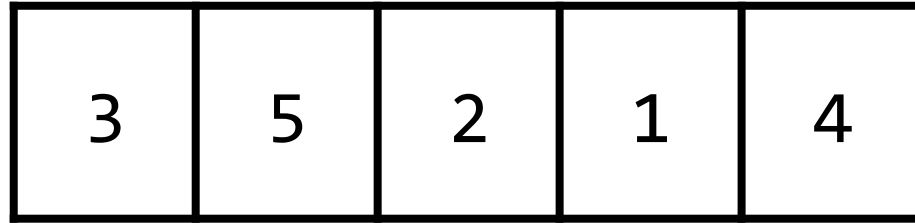


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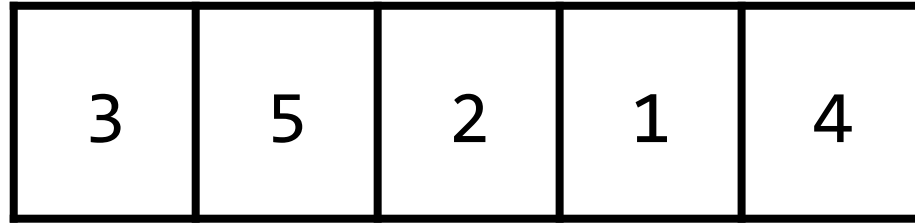
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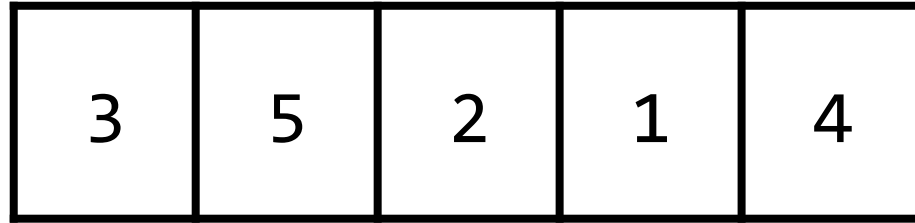


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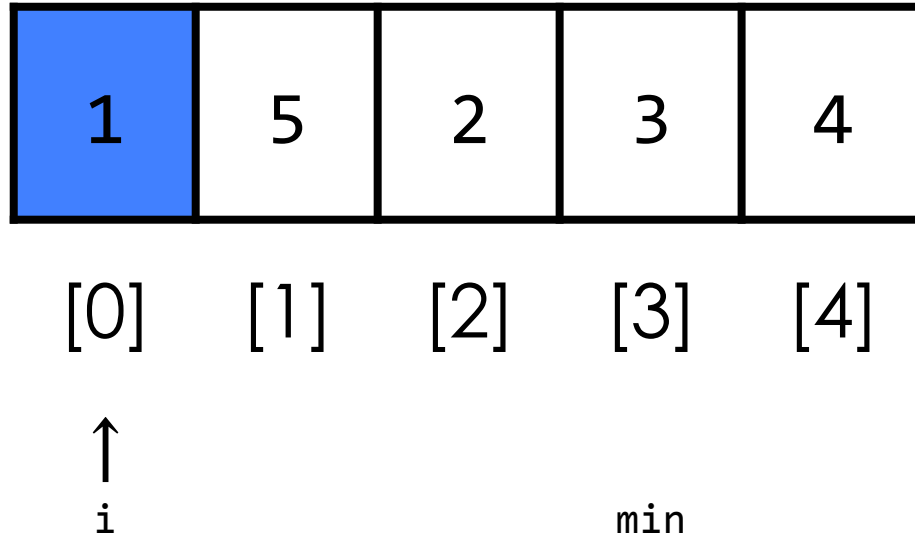
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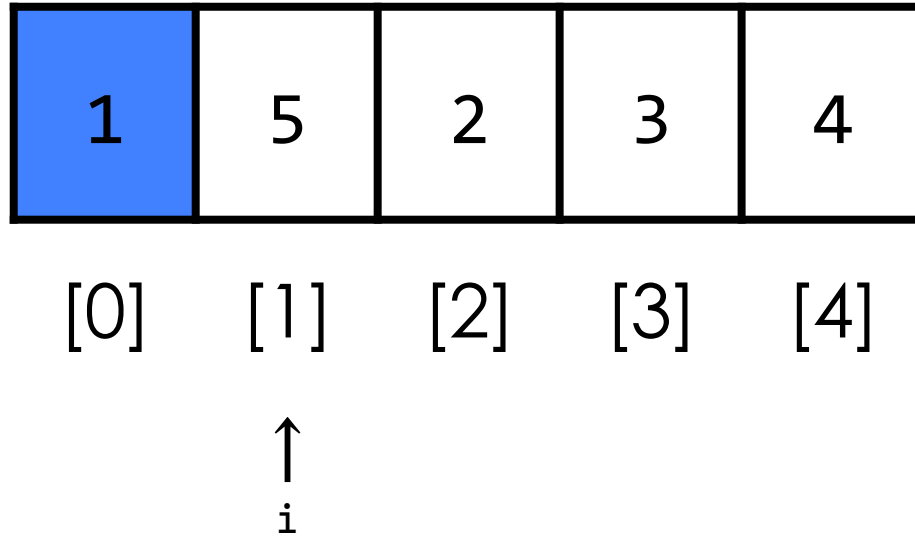
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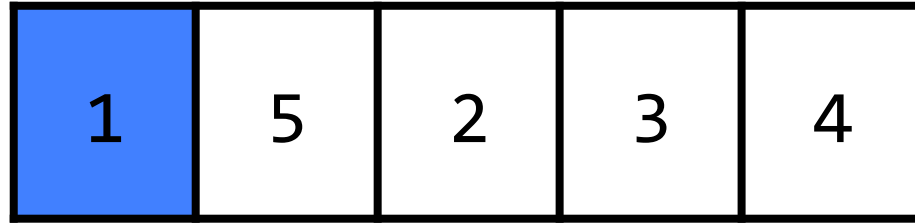
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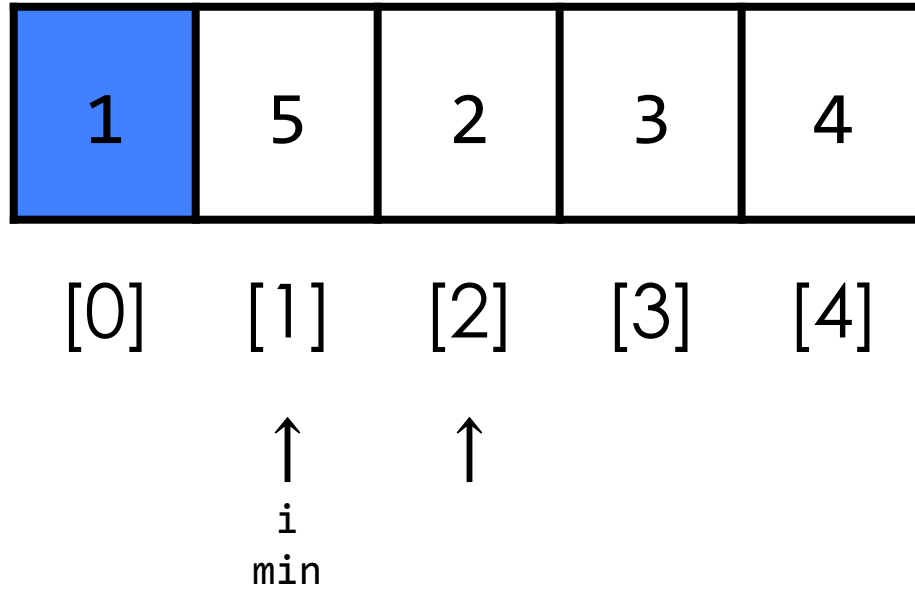
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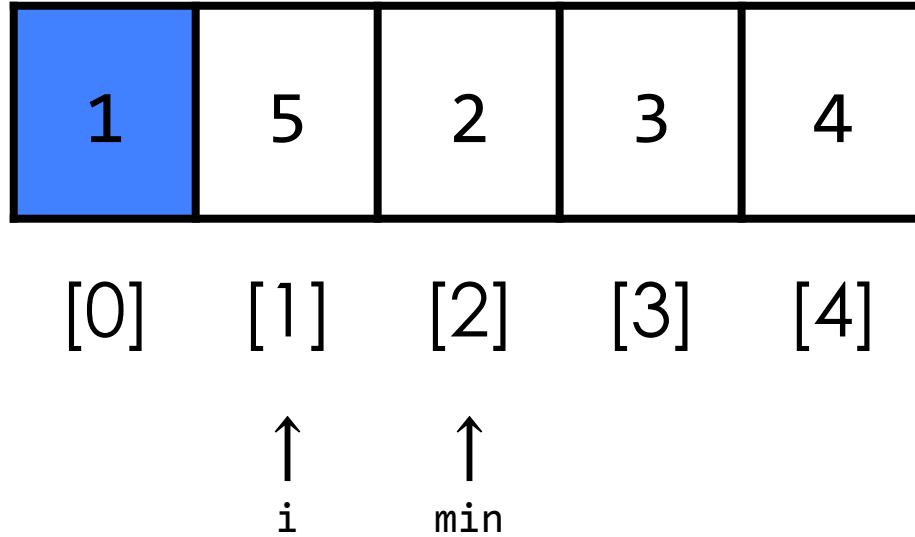
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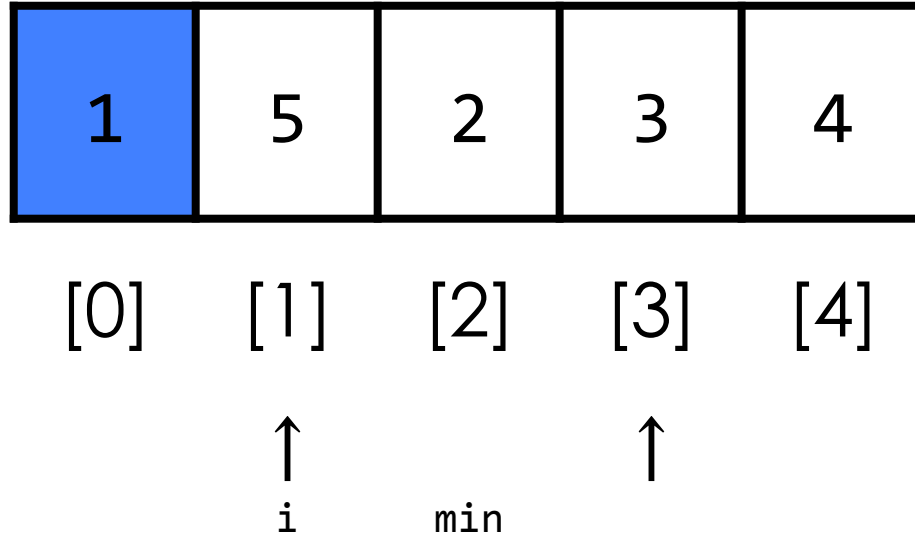
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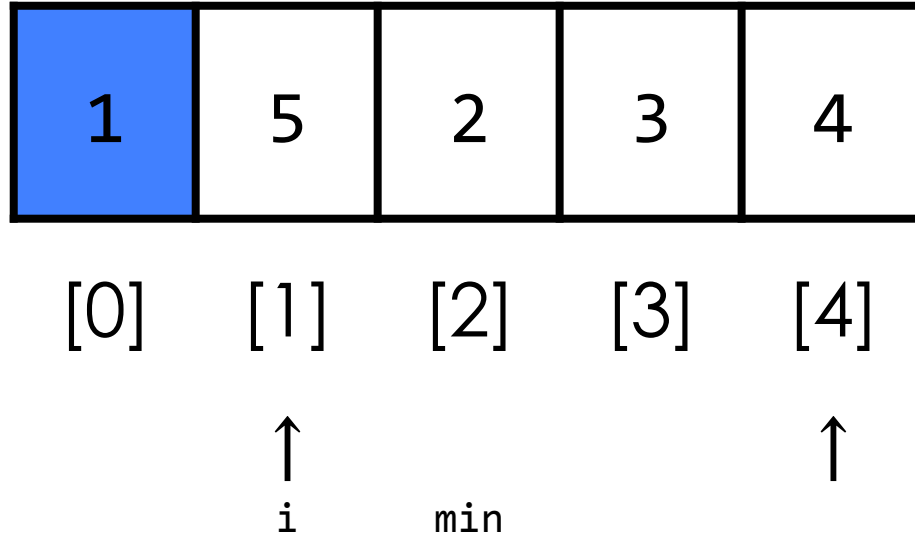
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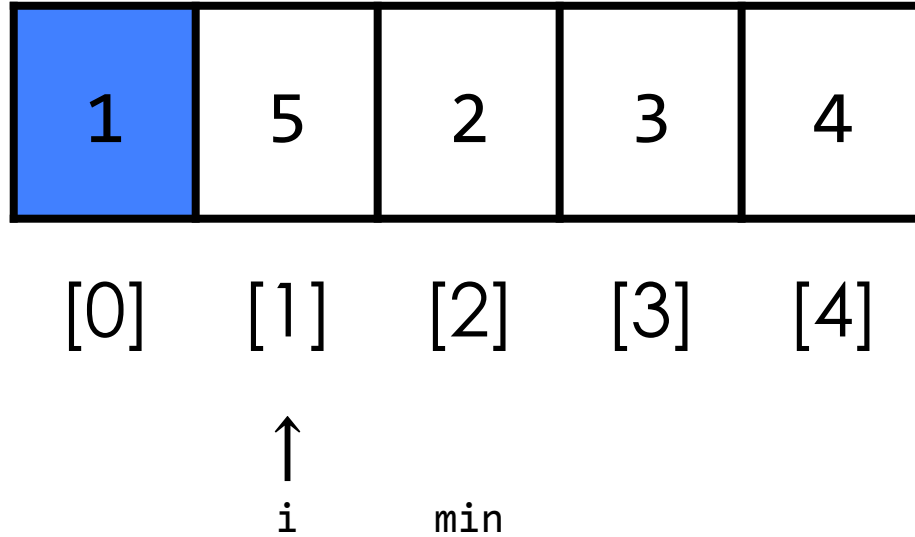
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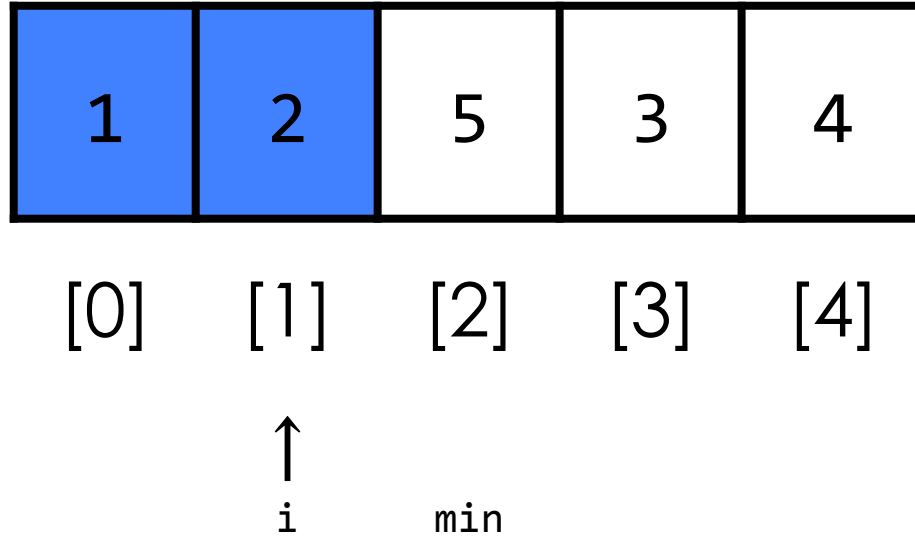
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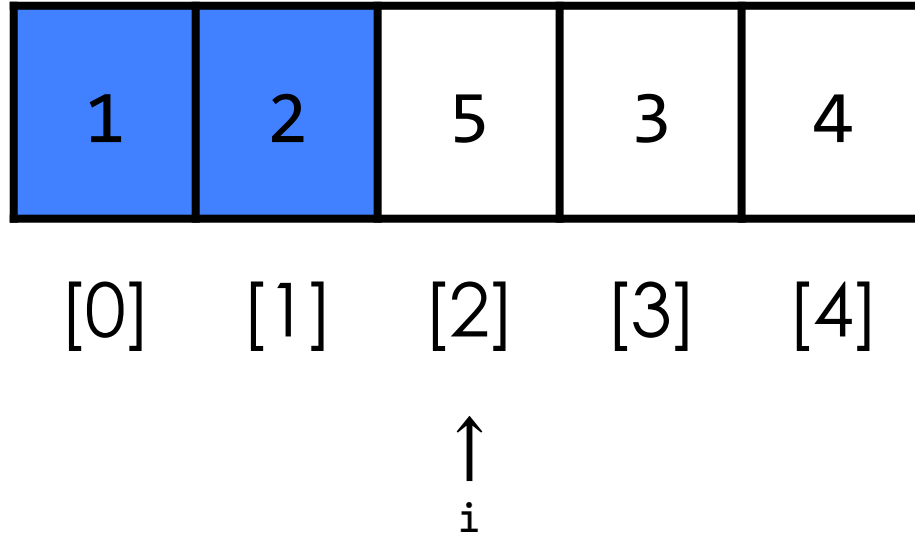
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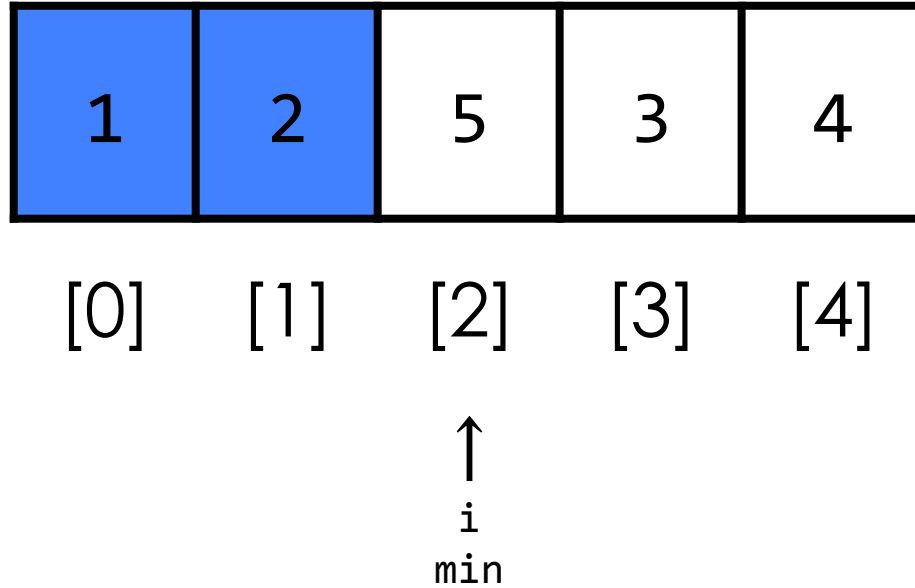
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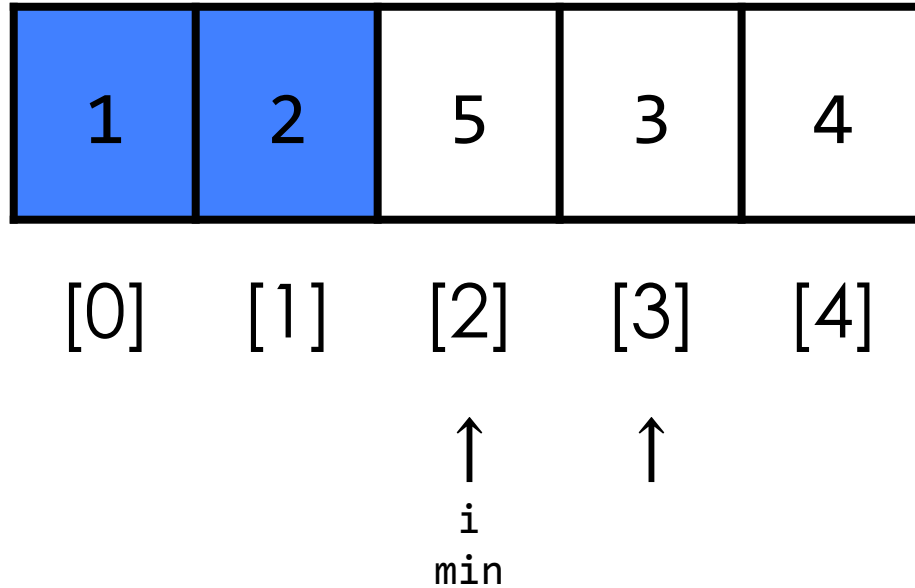
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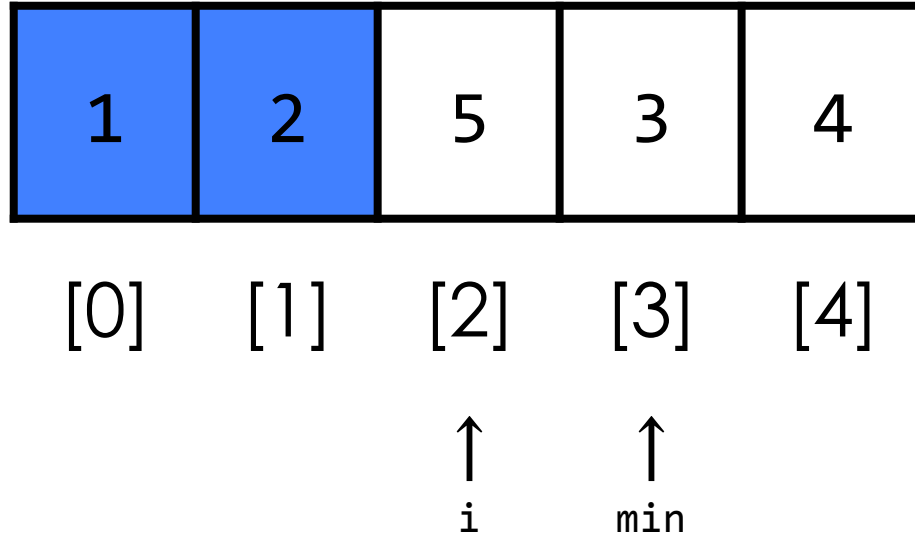
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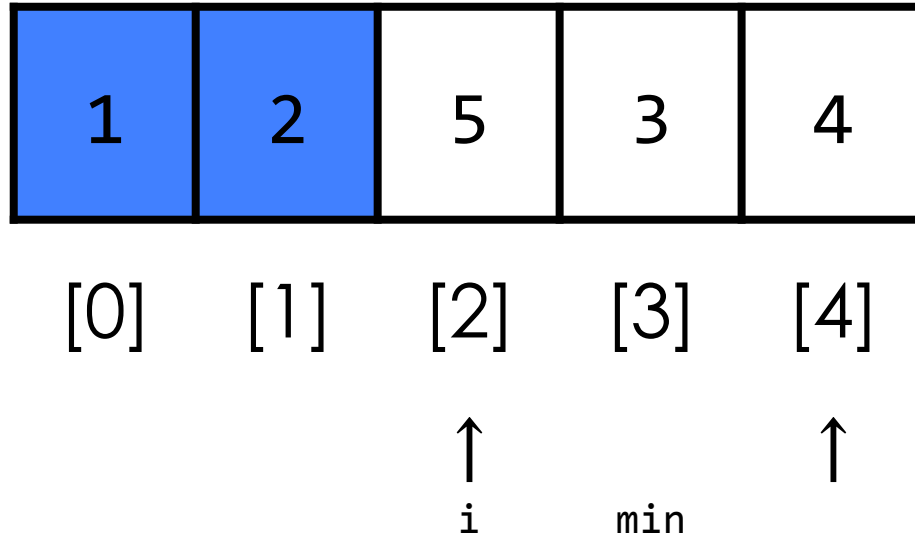
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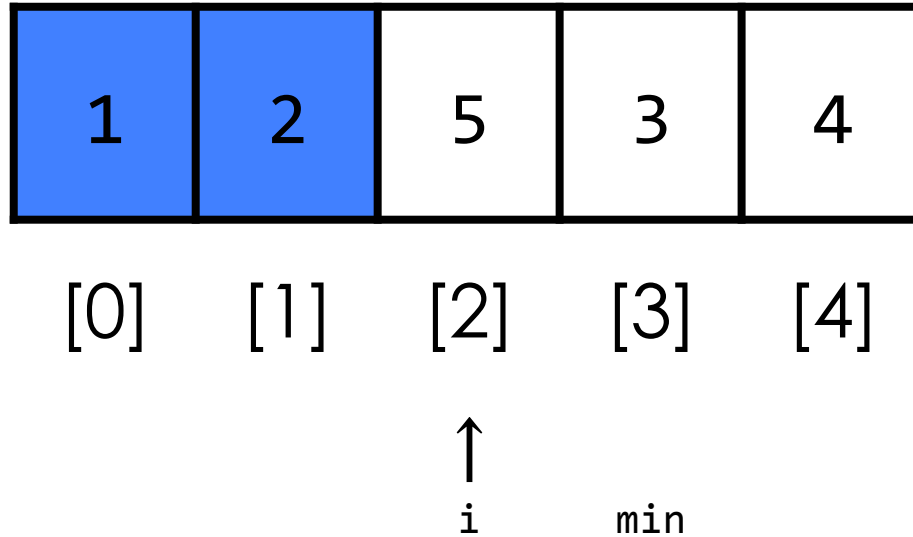
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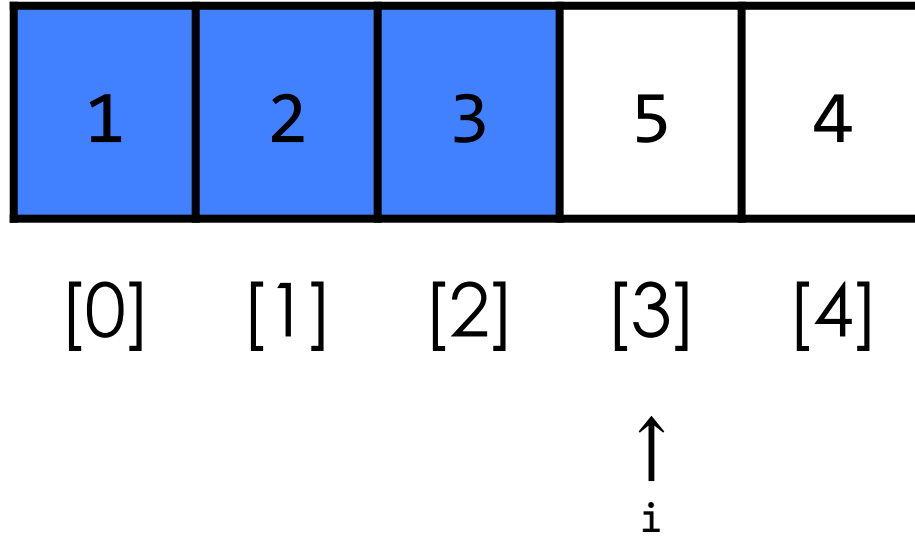
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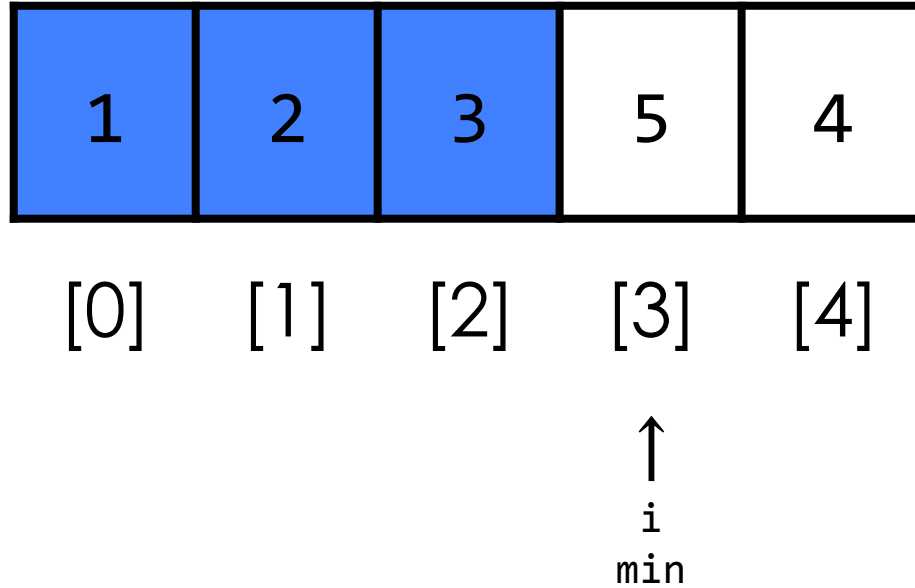
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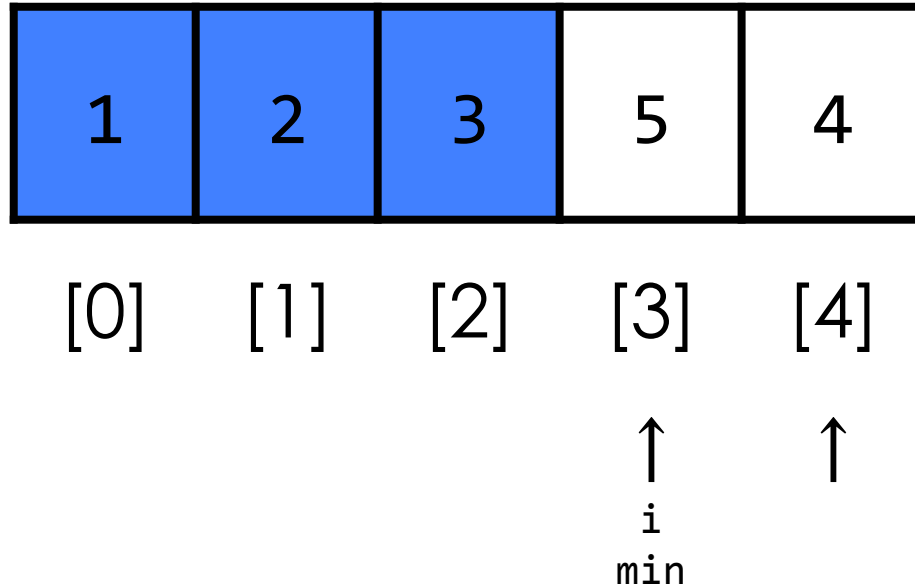
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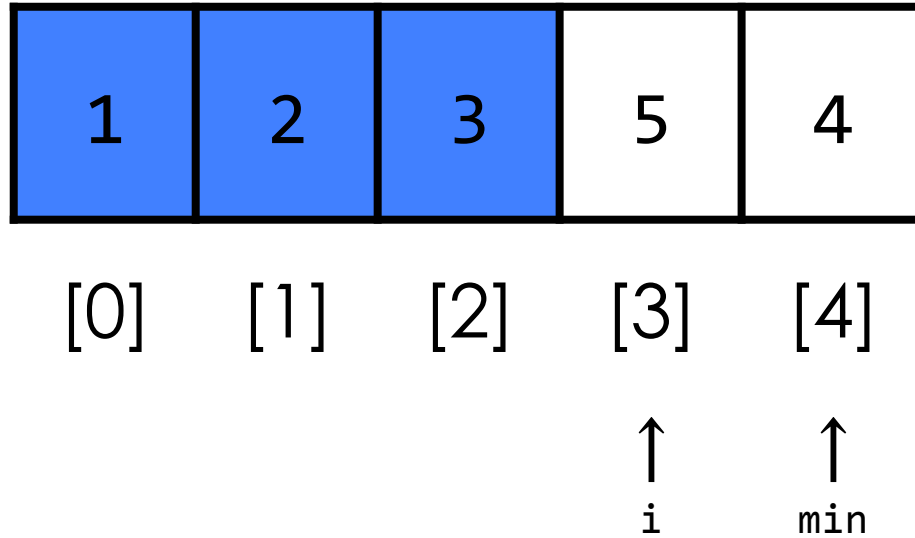
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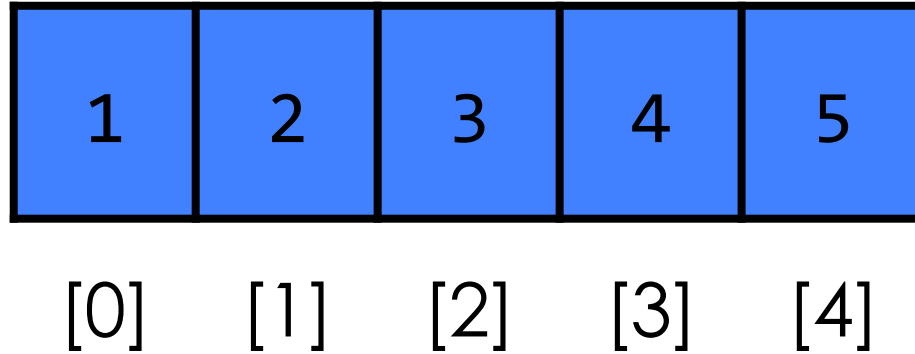
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selection sort pseudocode

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for i = 0 to n - 2
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    min = i
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    find smallest element from i to n - 1
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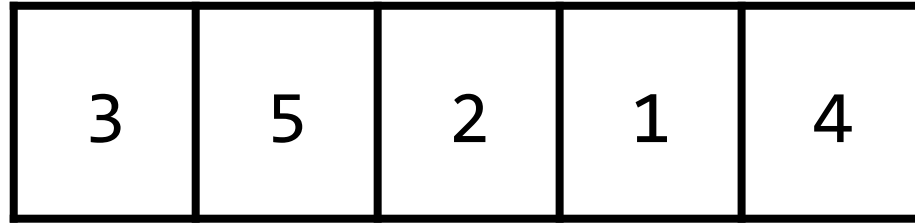
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    if min != i
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        exchange smallest element with element at i
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bubble sort

- iterate over list
- compare adjacent elements
- swap elements that are in the wrong order
- largest element will 'bubble' to the end
- the list is sorted once no elements have been swapped

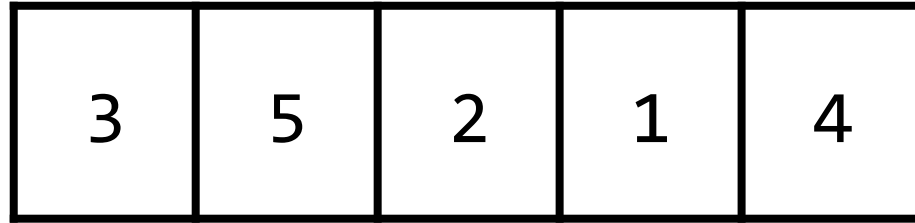
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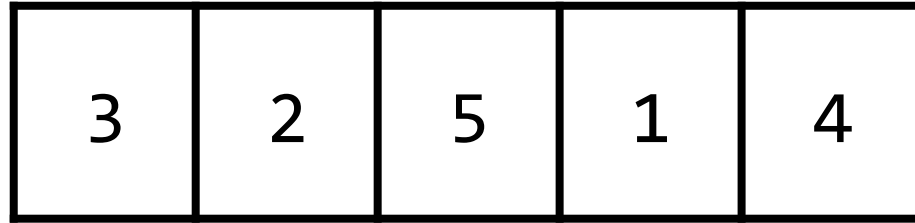
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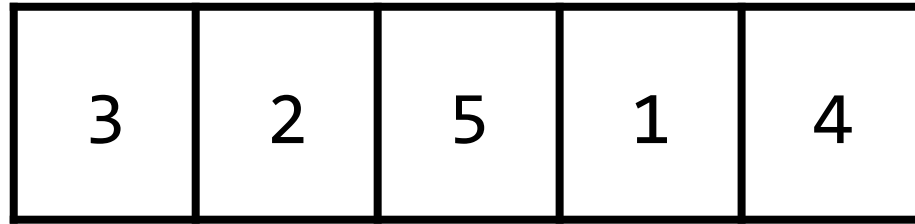
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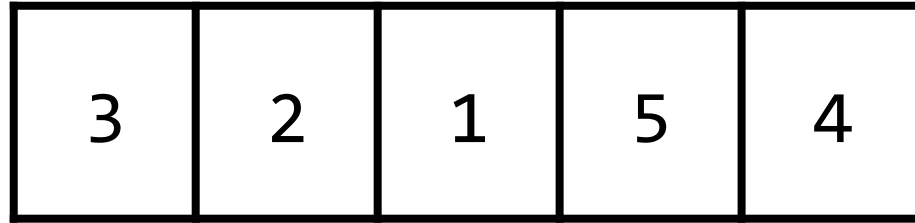
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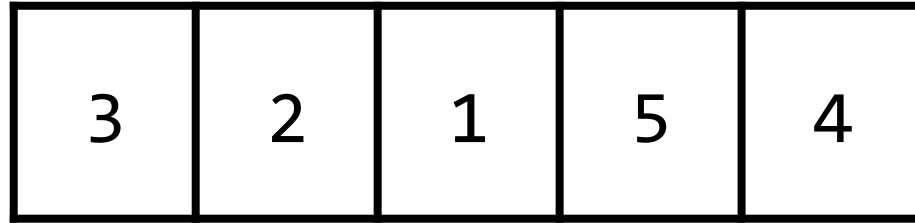
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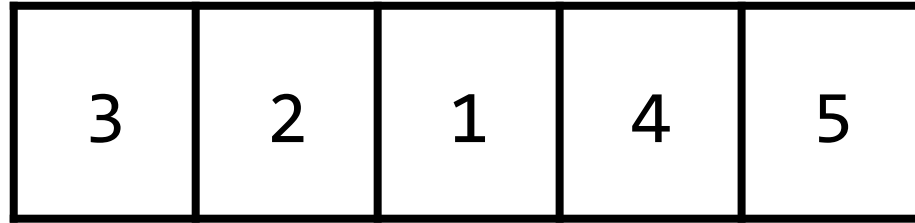
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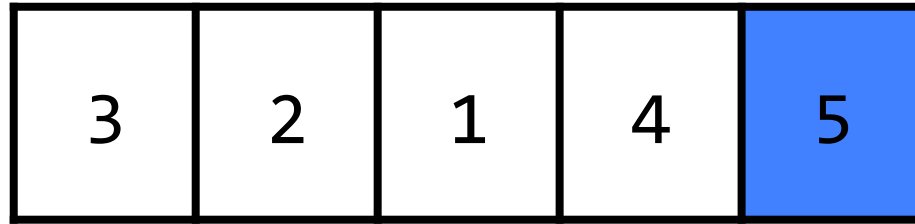
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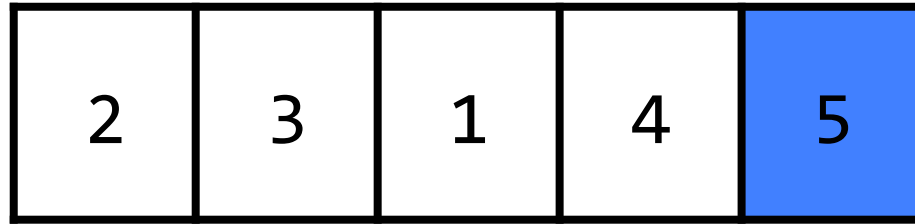
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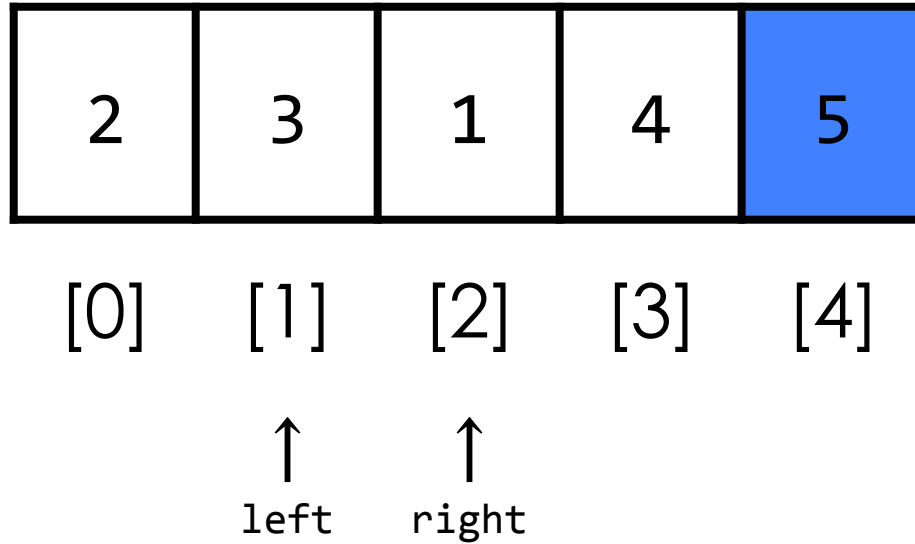


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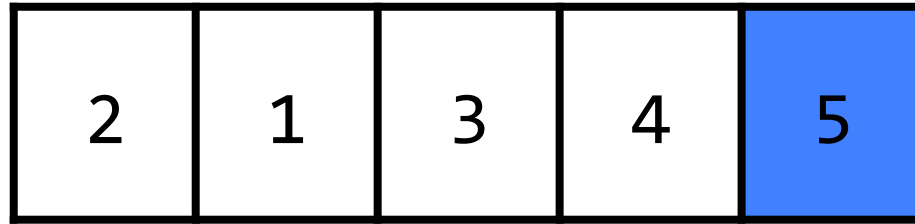


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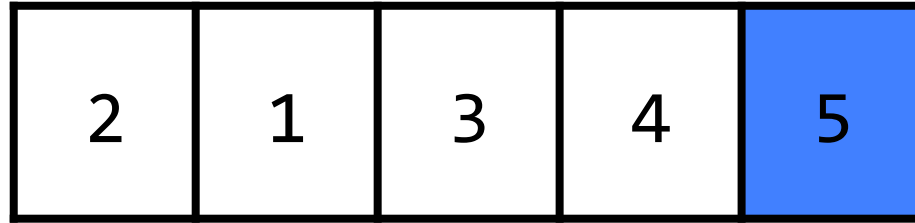
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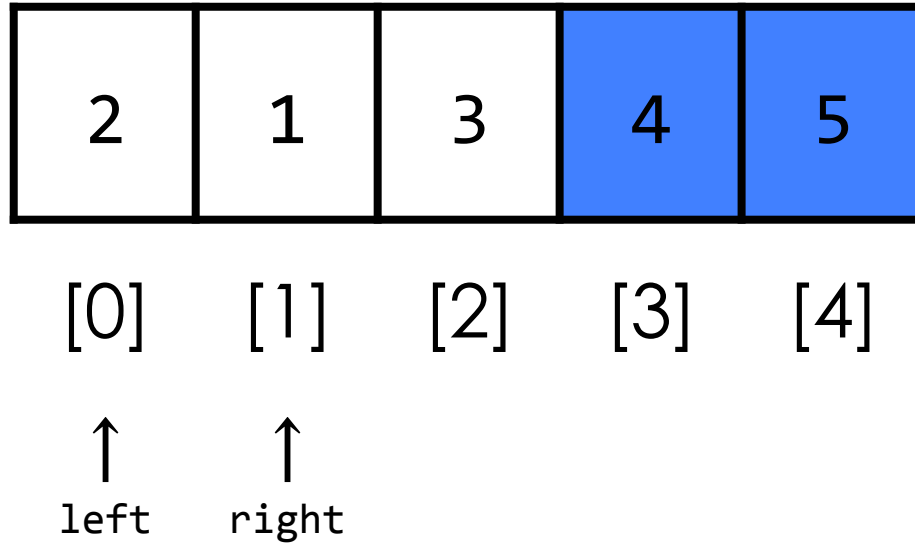
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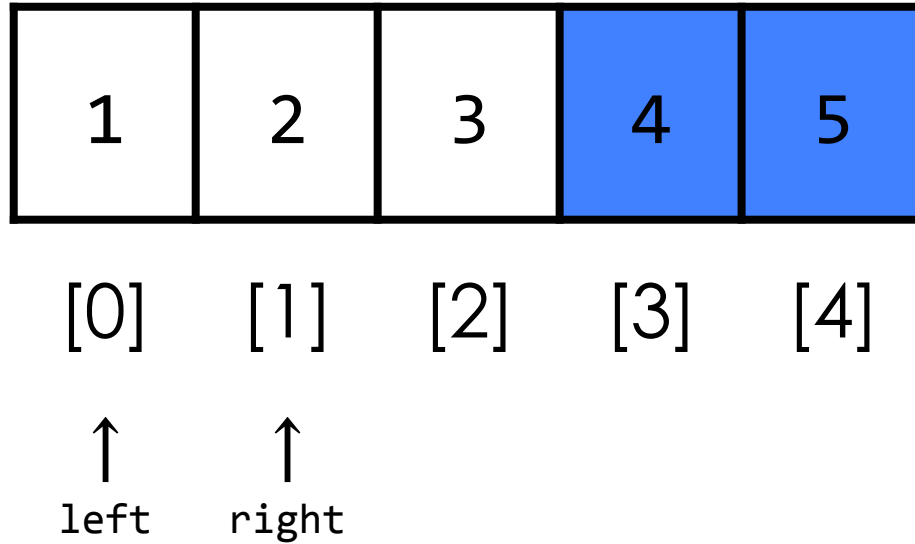
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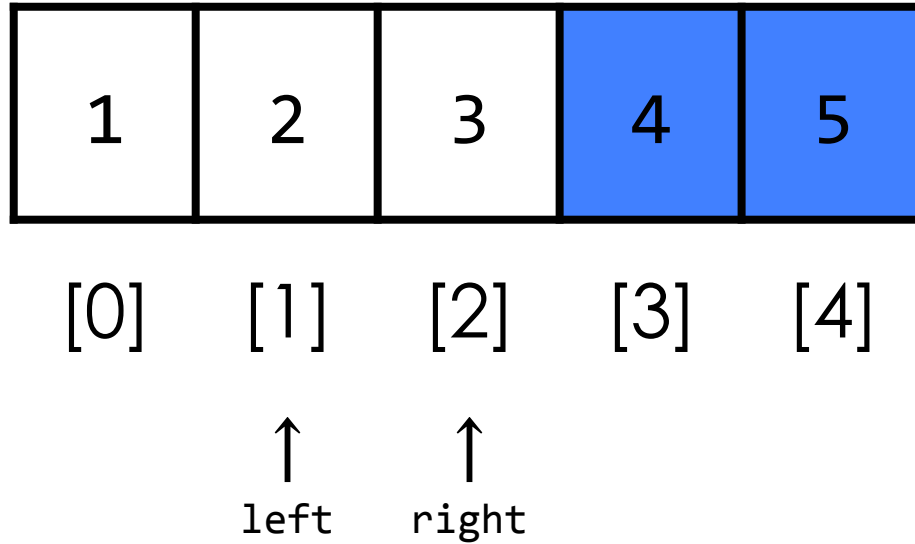
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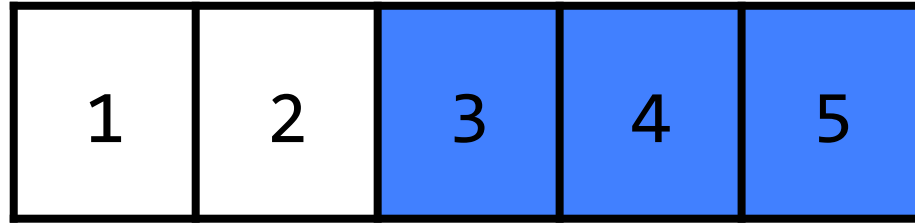
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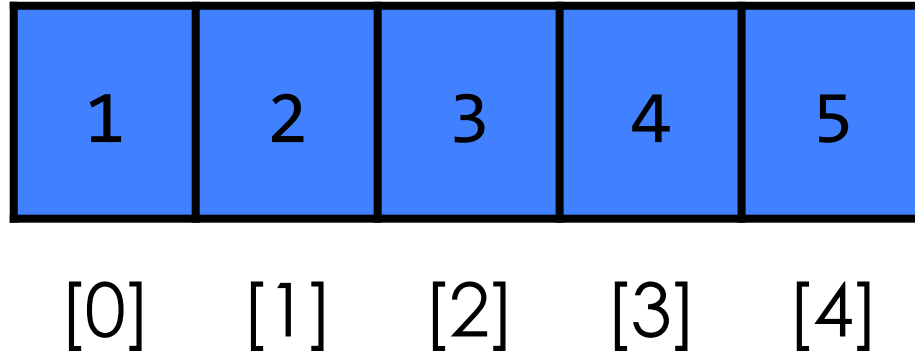


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