



Advanced Data Structures and Algorithms

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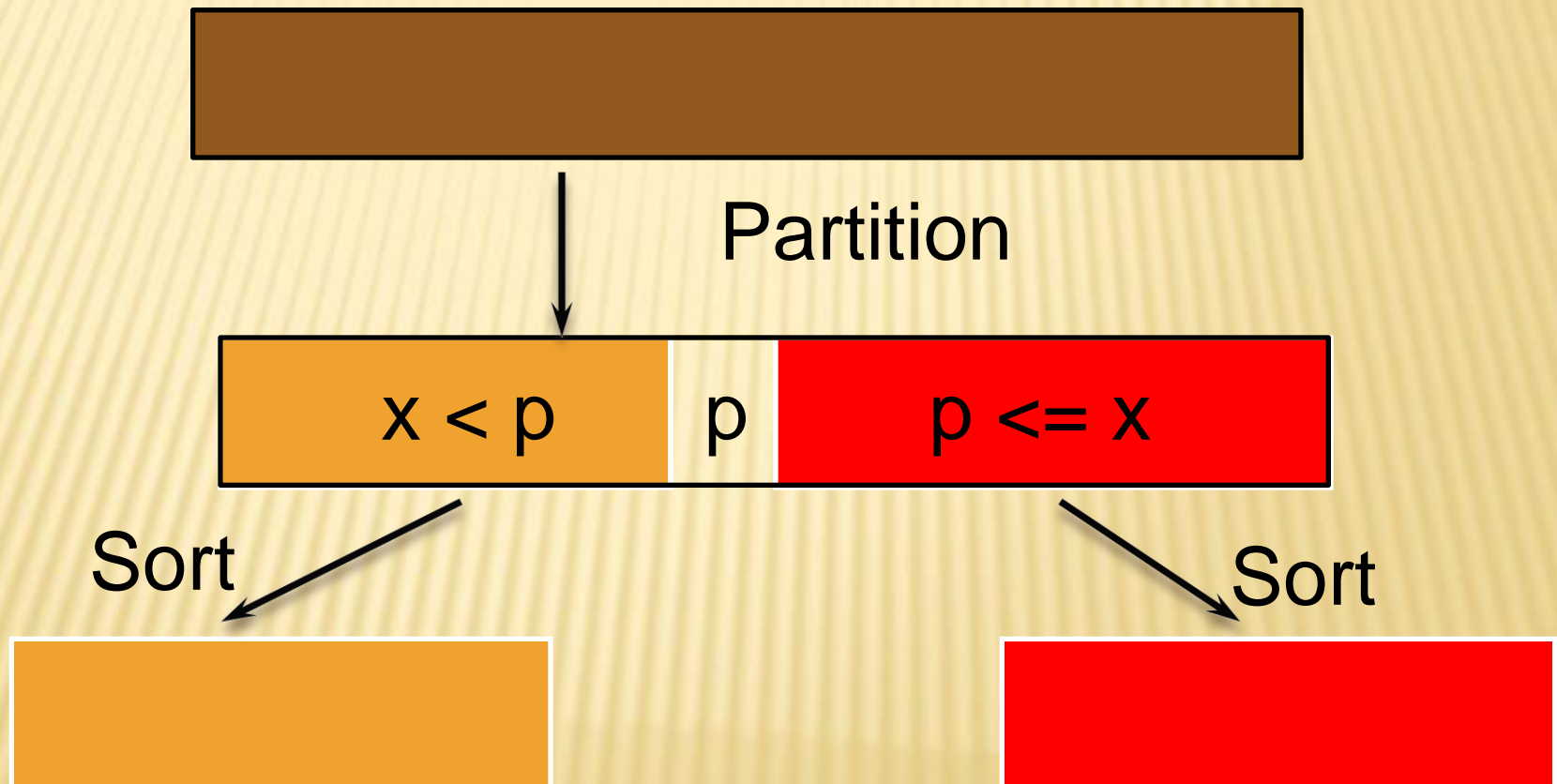
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Quick-sort

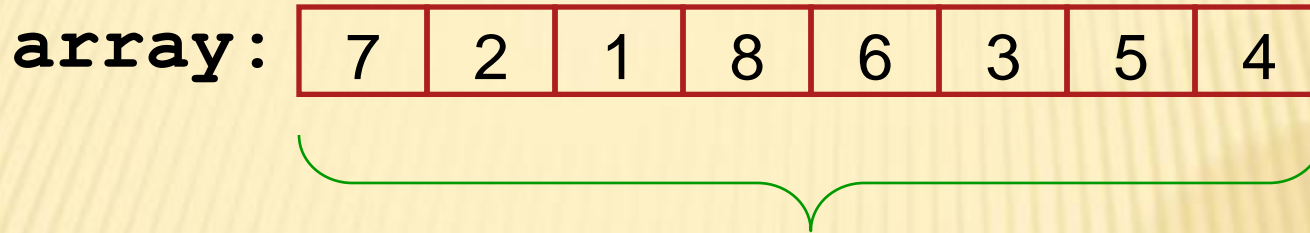
Quick-sort is a randomized sorting algorithm based on the divide-and-conquer paradigm:

- + Divide: pick a random element x (called pivot) and partition S into
 - × L elements less than x
 - × E elements equal x
 - × G elements greater than x
- + Recur: sort L and G
- + Conquer: join L , E and G

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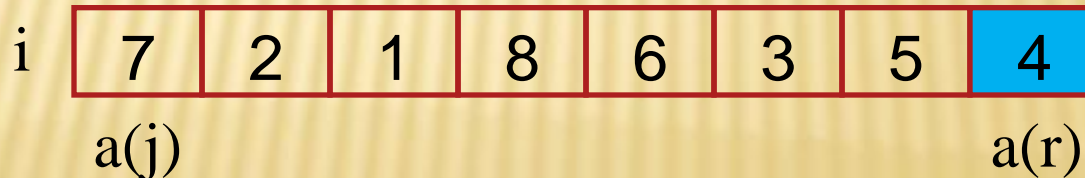


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- 1) Pivot [4]
- 2) We have two counters *i, j*
- 3) Set *i* = position (p)-1
- 4) Set *j* goes from p to r (run on the first element)
- 5) Choose the last element *a(r)* as pivot



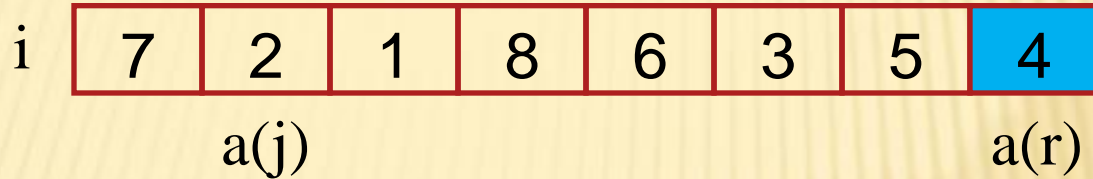
Compare *a(j)* and *a(r)*



$$a(j) = j + 1$$

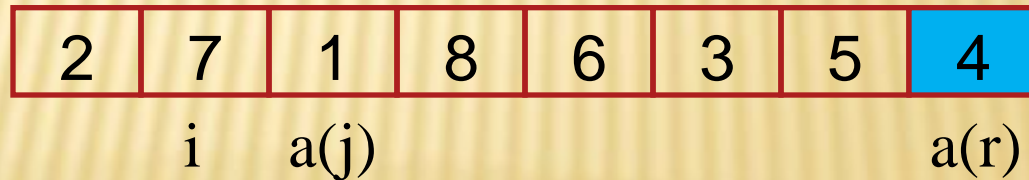
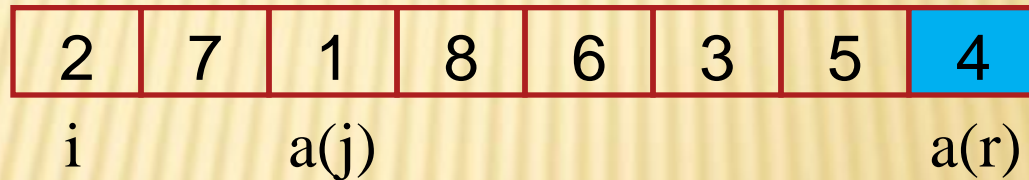
Quicksort: Partitioning an array

Compare $a(j)$ and $a(r)$



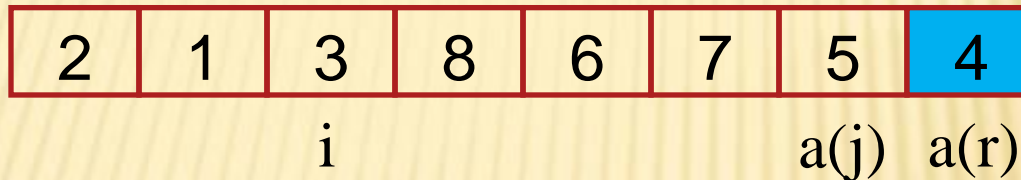
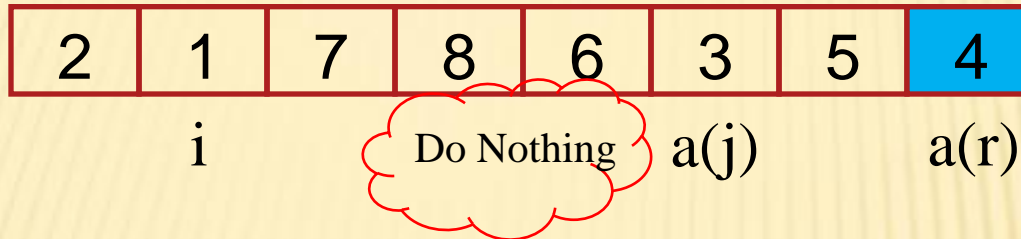
If $a(j) < a(r)$ then

$i = i + 1$, and exchange $a(i)$ and $a(j)$

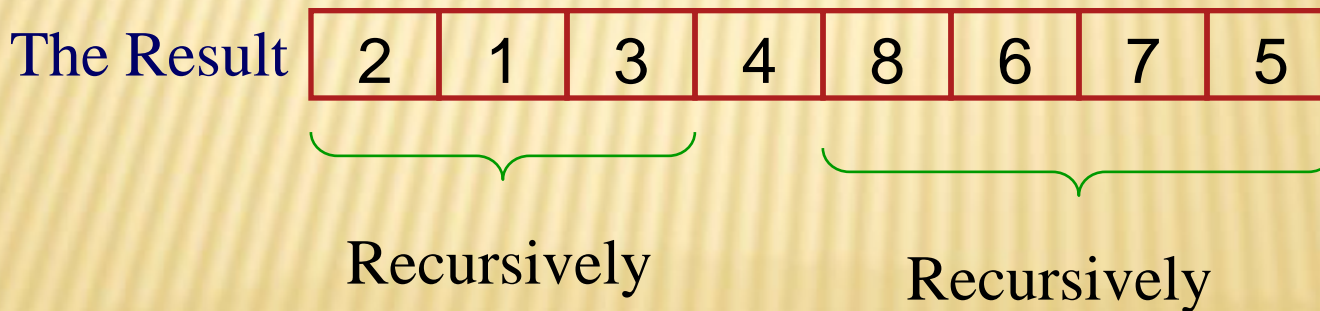


$i = i + 1$, and exchange $a(i)$ and $a(j)$

Quicksort: Partitioning an array



When j reach the end **Pivot should be at $i + 1$**



Example:

Quick Sort

“pivot
element”

array:

5	89	35	14	24	15	37	13	20	7	70
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Example: Partition

mid: 4



array:

5	89	35	14	24	15	37	13	20	7	70
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index: 0



array:

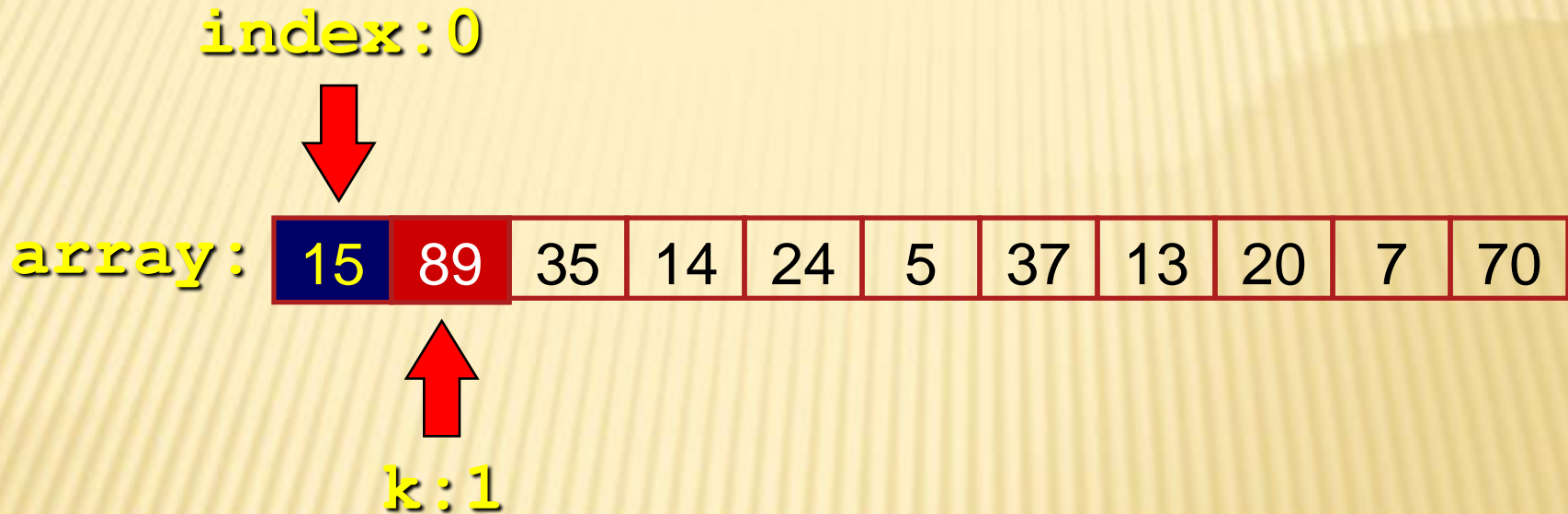
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k=1

Example:

Partition



Example:

Partition

index: 0



array:

15	89	35	14	24	5	37	13	20	7	70
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k: 2

Example:

Partition

index: 0



array:

15	89	35	14	24	5	37	13	20	7	70
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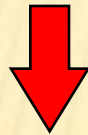


k: 3

Example:

Partition

index: 1



array:

15	14	35	89	24	5	37	13	20	7	70
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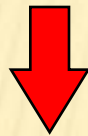


k: 3

Example:

Partition

index: 1



array:

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k: 4

Example:

Partition

index: 1



array:

15	14	35	89	24	5	37	13	20	7	70
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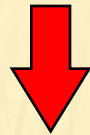


k: 5

Example:

Partition

index: 2



array:

15	14	5	89	24	35	37	13	20	7	70
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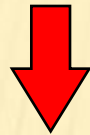


k: 5

Example:

Partition

index: 2



array:

15	14	5	89	24	35	37	13	20	7	70
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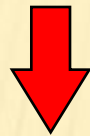


k: 6

Example:

Partition

index: 2



array:

15	14	5	89	24	35	37	13	20	7	70
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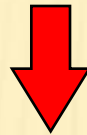


k: 7 *etc...*

Example:

Partition

index: 4



array:

15	14	5	13	7	35	37	89	20	24	70
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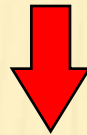


k: 11

Example:

Partition

index: 4

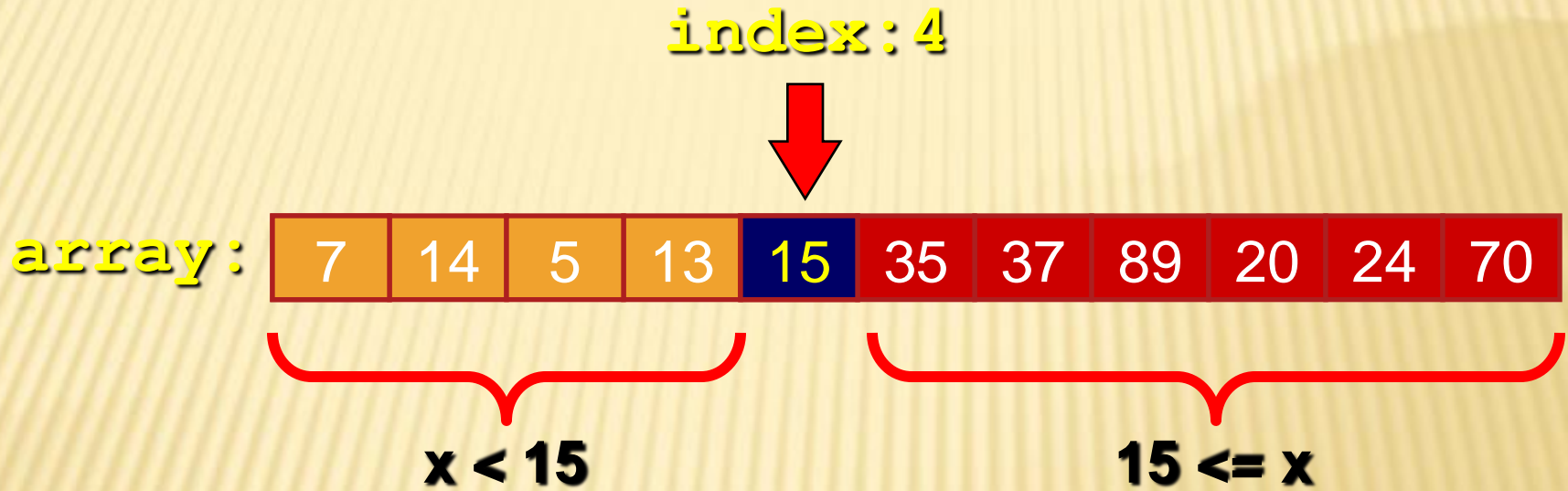


array:

15	14	5	13	7	35	37	89	20	24	70
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Example:

Partition



Example:

**pivot now in
correct position**

array:

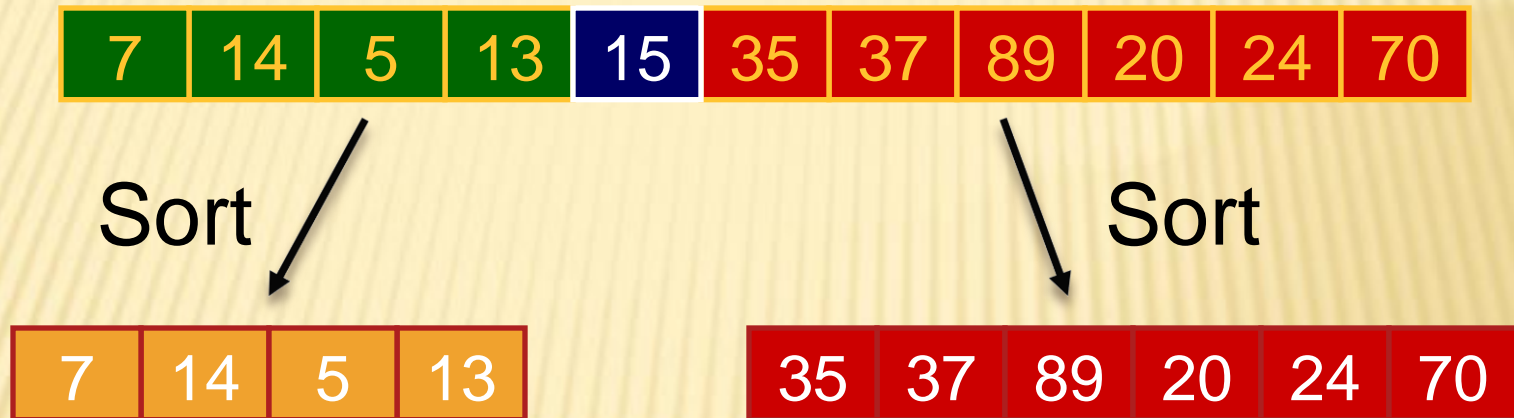


$x < 15$

$15 \leq x$

Example:

Partition



That is, the array will not be sorted, but all the elements less than the pivot will be to the left of the pivot, and all the elements greater than the pivot will be to the right.

```
int partition(float array[], int size)
{
    int k;
    int mid = size/2;
    int index = 0;

    swap(array, array+mid);

    for (k = 1; k < size; k++)
    {
        if (list[k] < list[0])
        {
            index++;
            swap(array+k, array+index);
        }
    }

    swap(array, array+index);

    return index;
}
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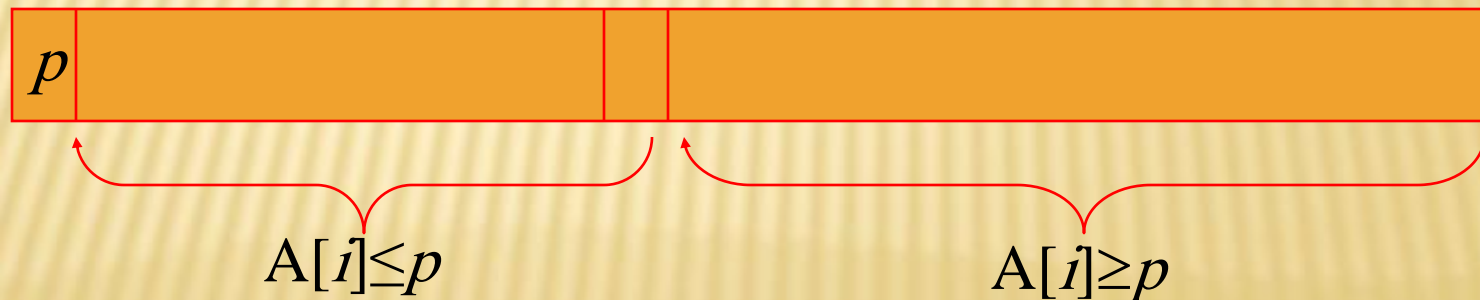
Quicksort

Quicksort uses the technique of divide-and-conquer in a different manner. We proceed as follows:

1. Pick an arbitrary element of the array (the pivot).
2. Divide the array into two segments, those that are smaller and those that are greater, with the pivot in between (the partition phase).
3. Recursively sort the segments to the left and right of the pivot.

Quicksort

- Select a *pivot* (partitioning element)
- Rearrange the list so that all the elements in the positions before the pivot are smaller than or equal to the pivot and those after the pivot are larger than or equal to the pivot
- Exchange the pivot with the last element in the first (i.e., \leq) sublist – the pivot is now in its final position
- Sort the two sublists recursively



Quicksort Algorithm

Given an array of n elements (e.g., integers):

- ✗ If array only contains one element, return
- ✗ Else
 - + pick one element to use as *pivot*.
 - + Partition elements into two sub-arrays:
 - ✗ Elements less than or equal to pivot
 - ✗ Elements greater than pivot
 - + Quicksort two sub-arrays
 - + Return results

Example

We are given array of n integers to sort:

40	20	10	80	60	50	7	30	100
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Pick Pivot Element

There are a number of ways to pick the pivot element. In this example, we will use the first element in the array:

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Partitioning Array

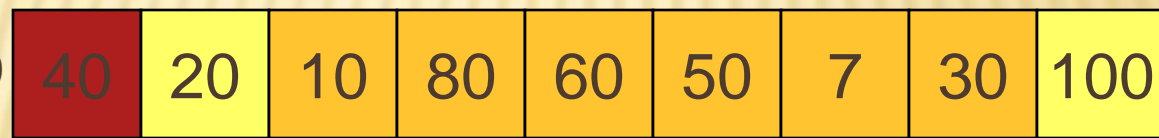
Given a pivot, partition the elements of the array such that the resulting array consists of:

1. One sub-array that contains elements \geq pivot
2. Another sub-array that contains elements $<$ pivot

The sub-arrays are stored in the original data array.

Partitioning loops through, swapping elements below/above pivot.

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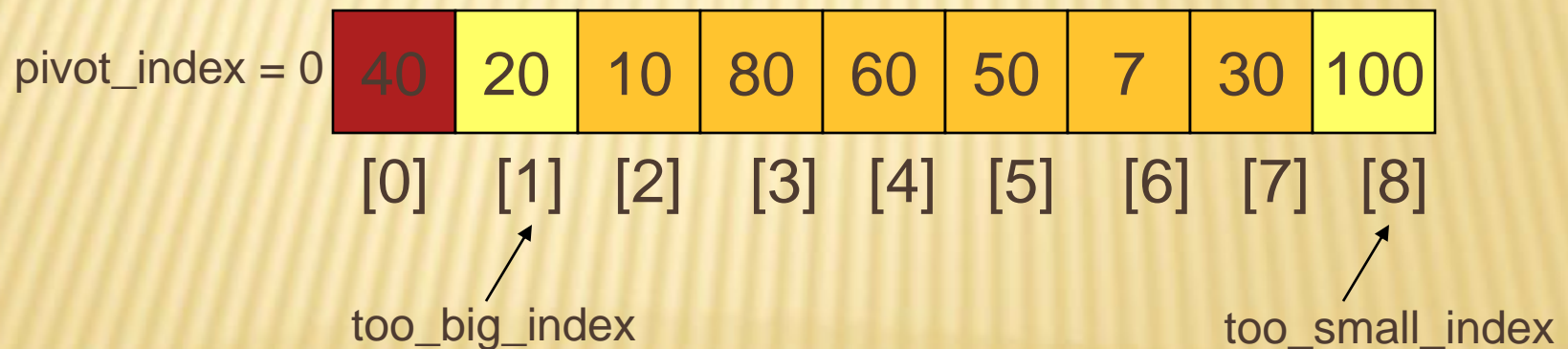


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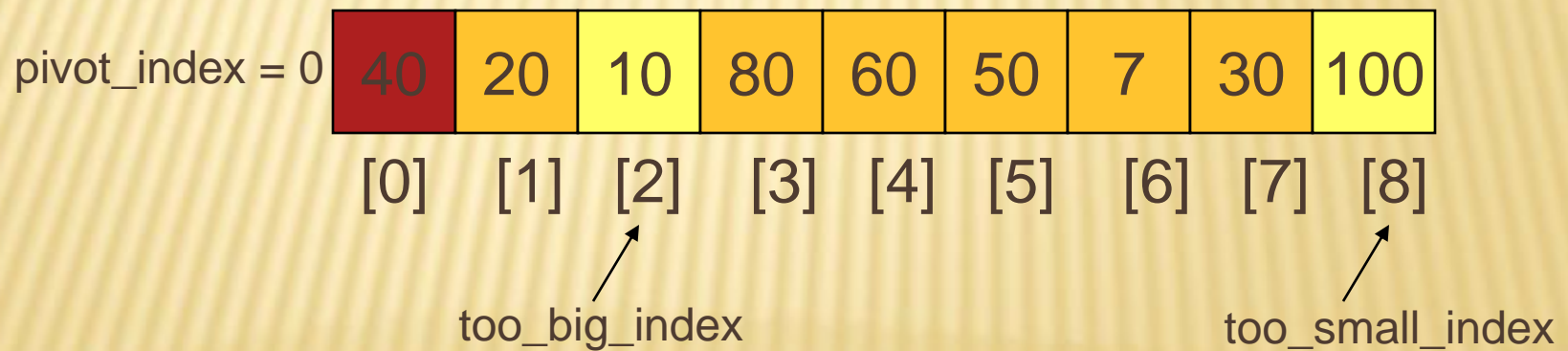
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too_small_index

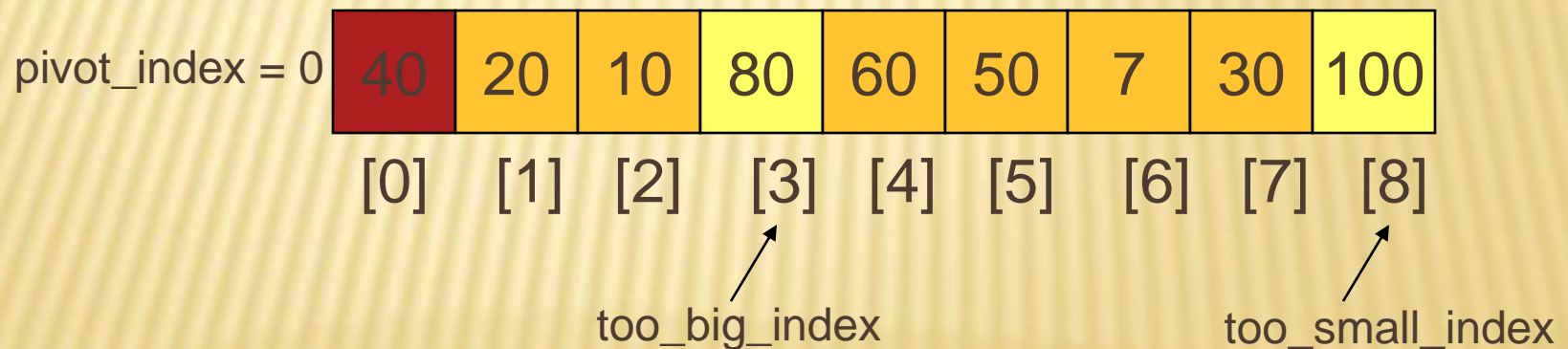
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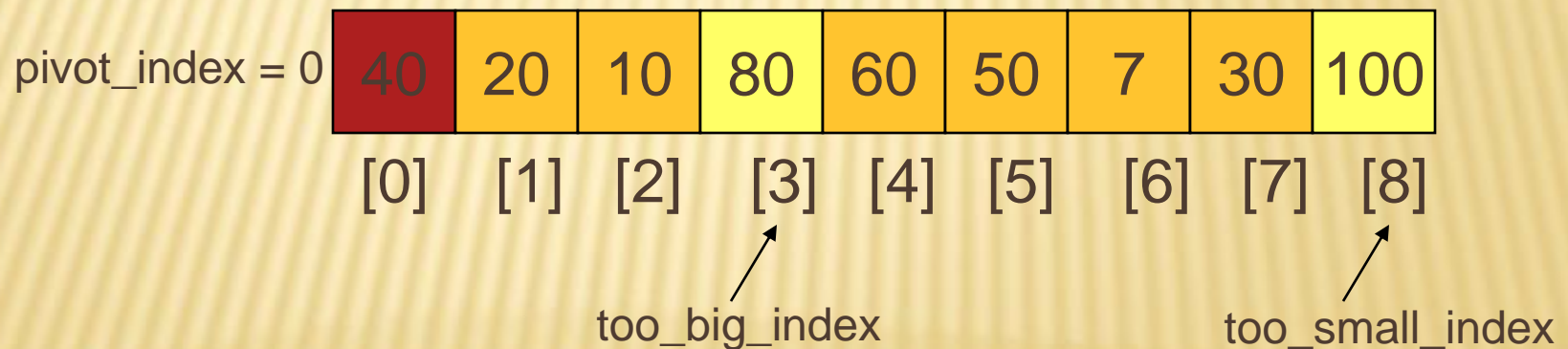
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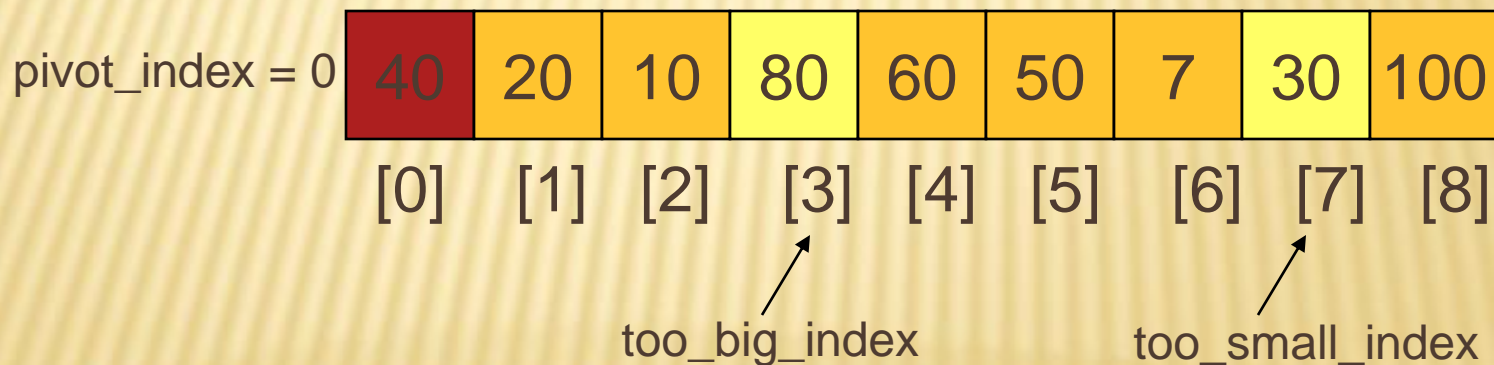
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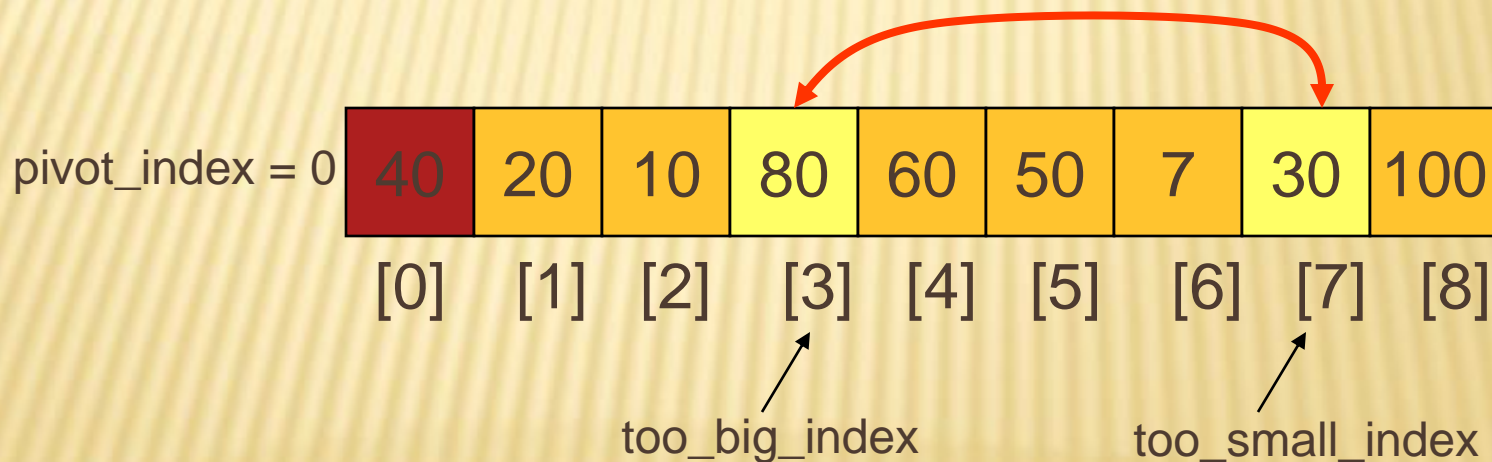
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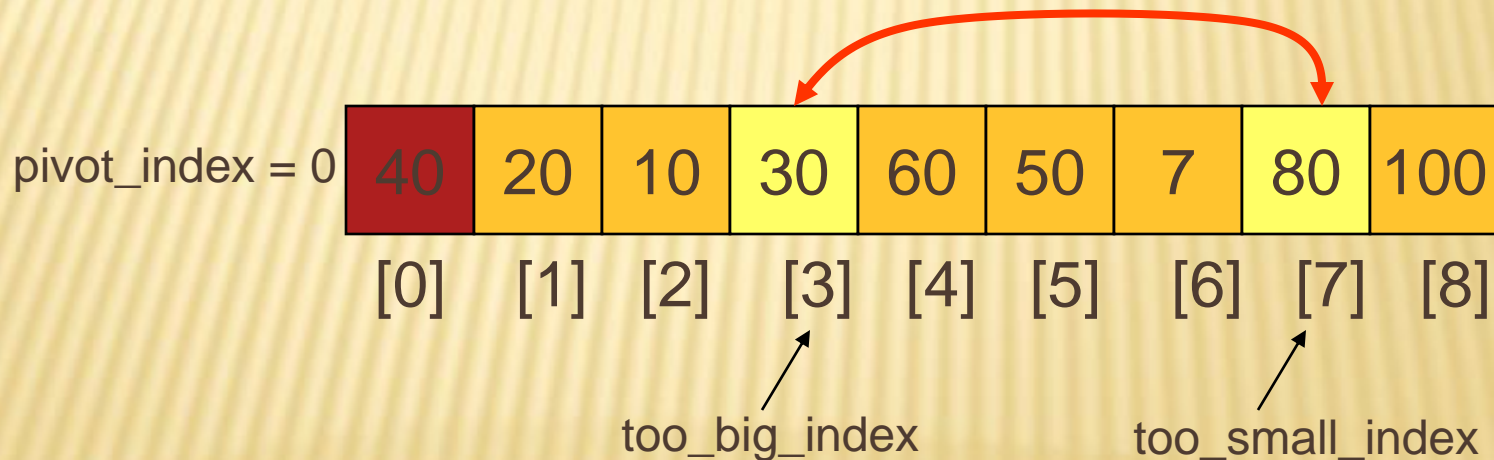
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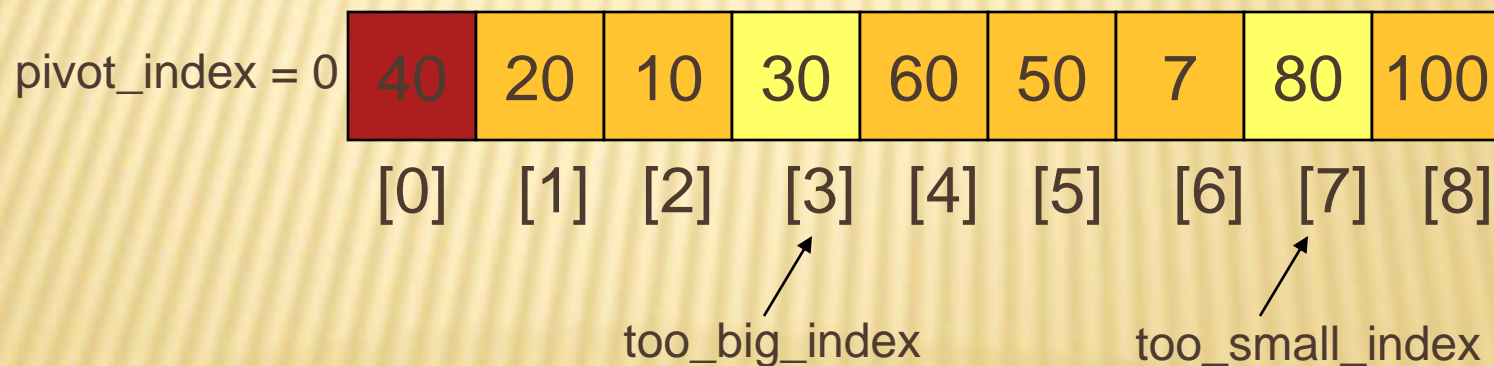
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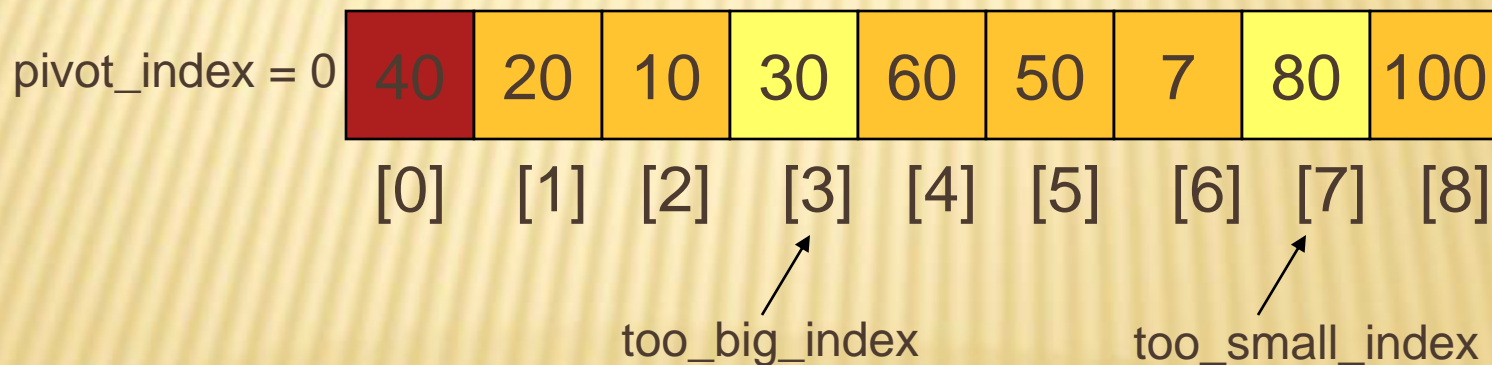
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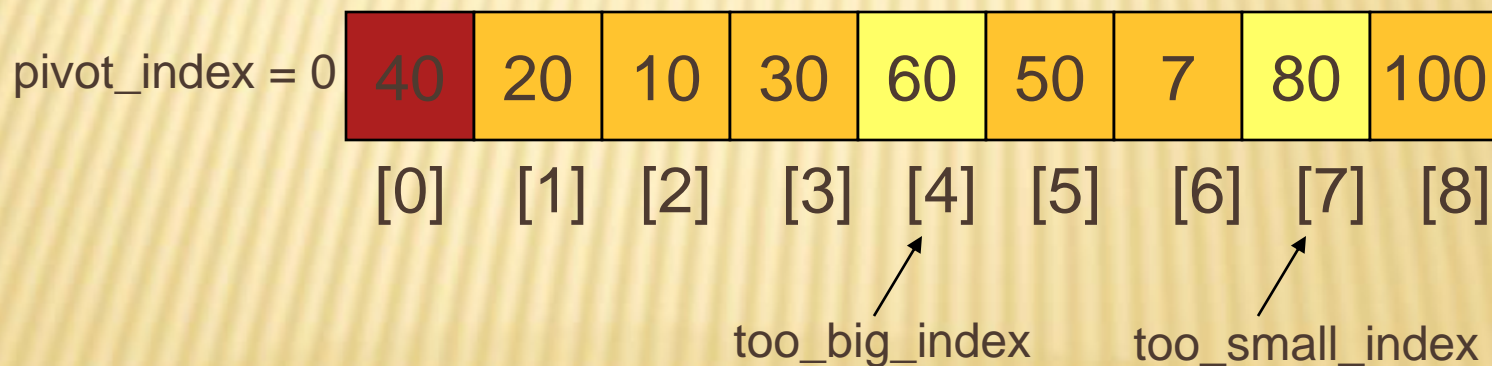
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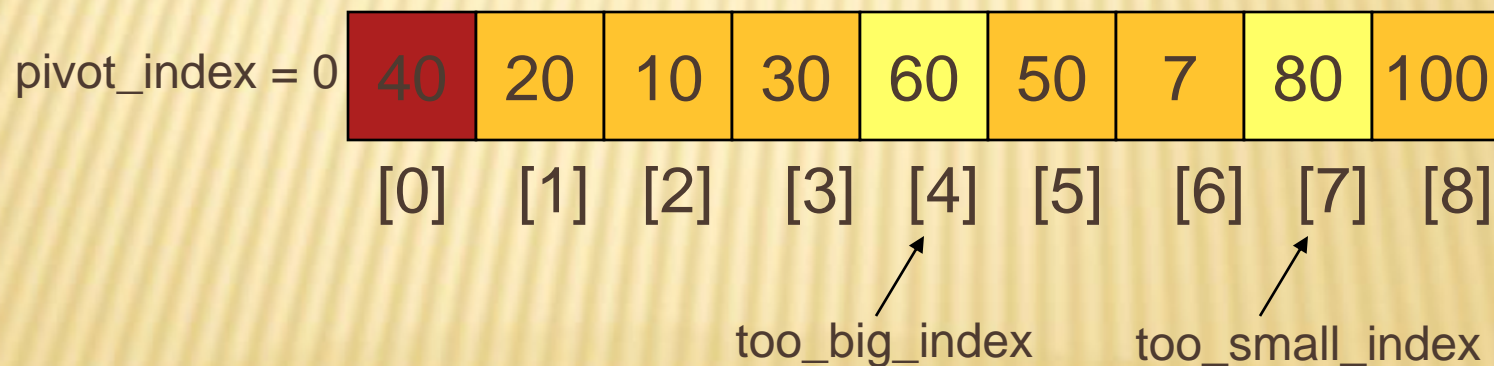
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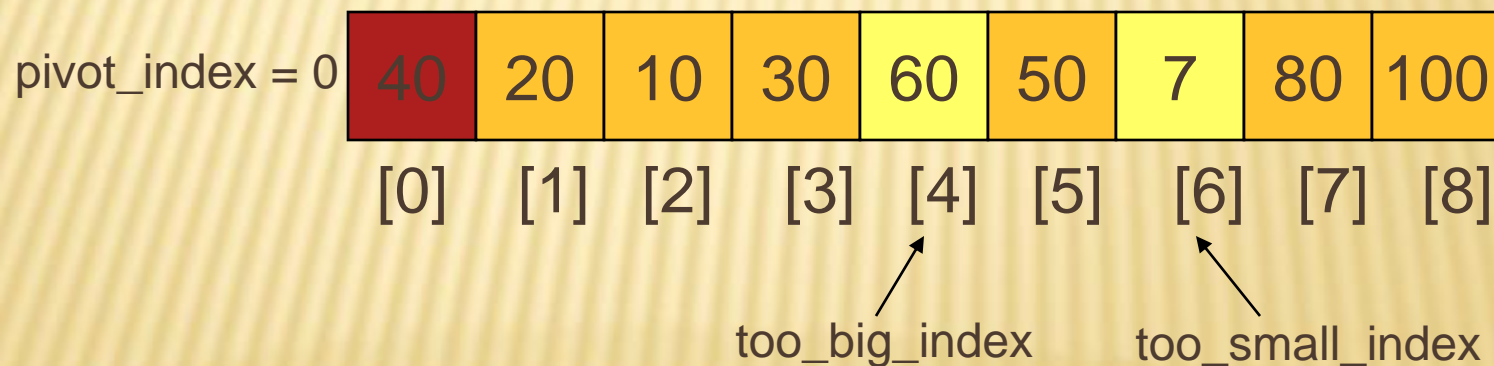
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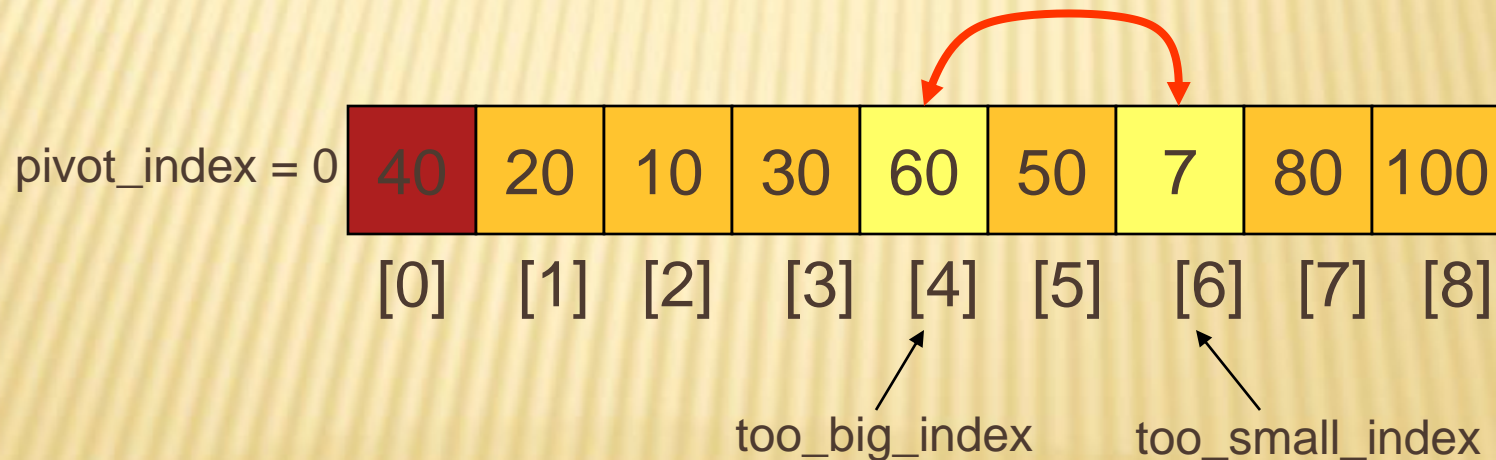
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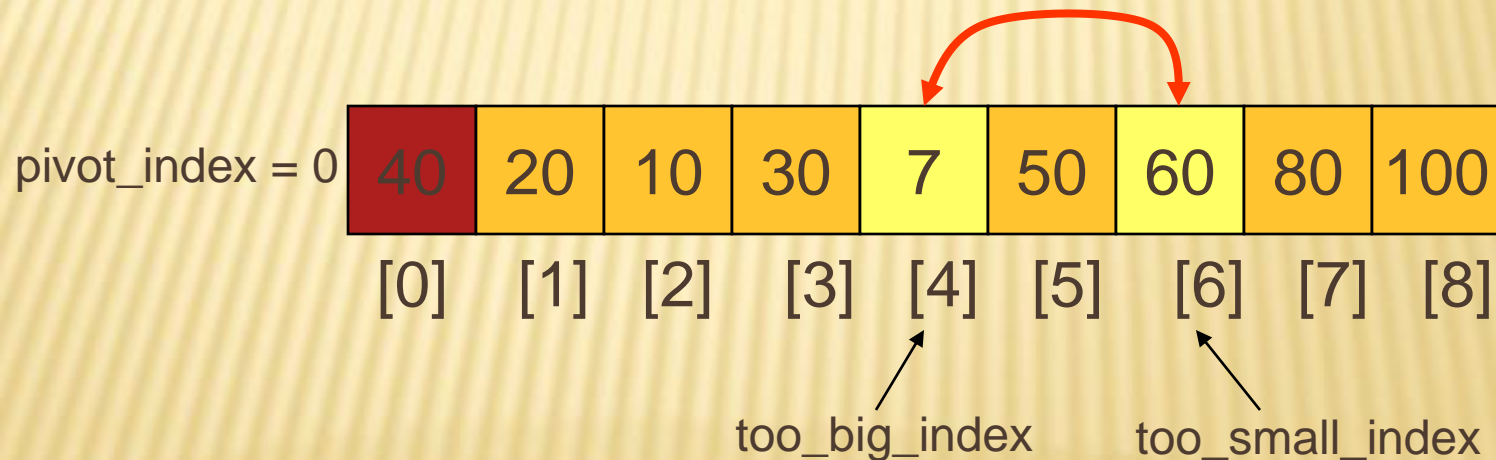
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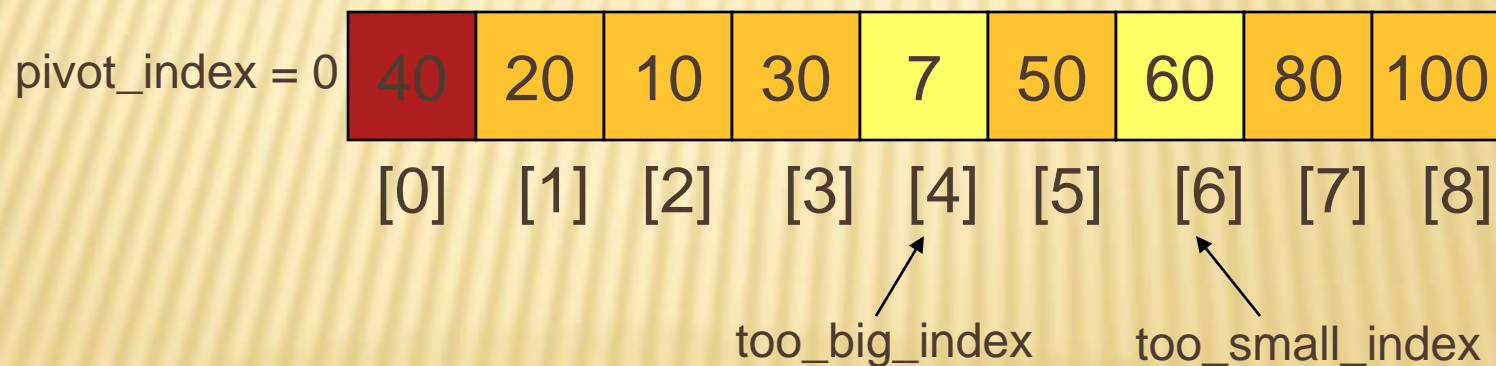
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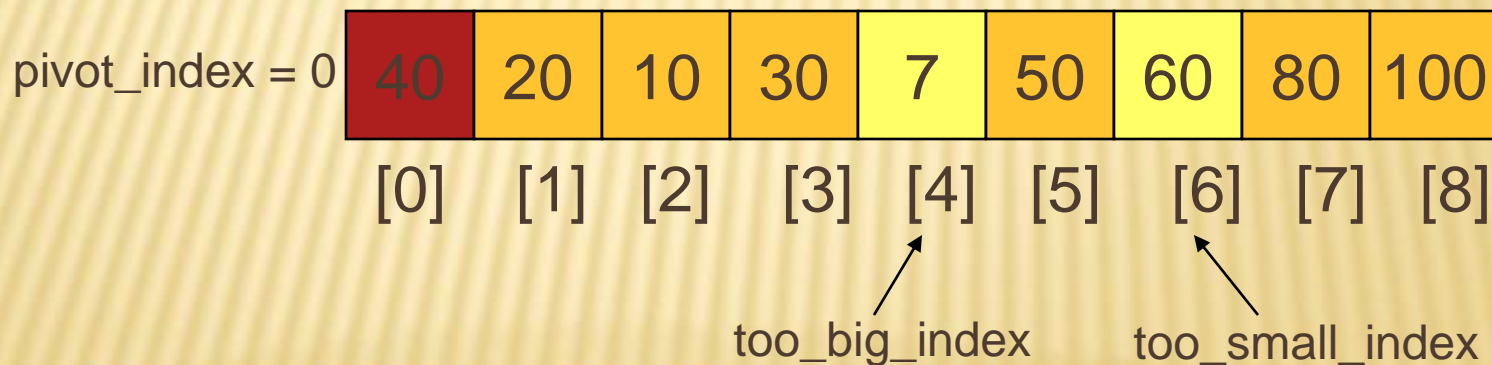
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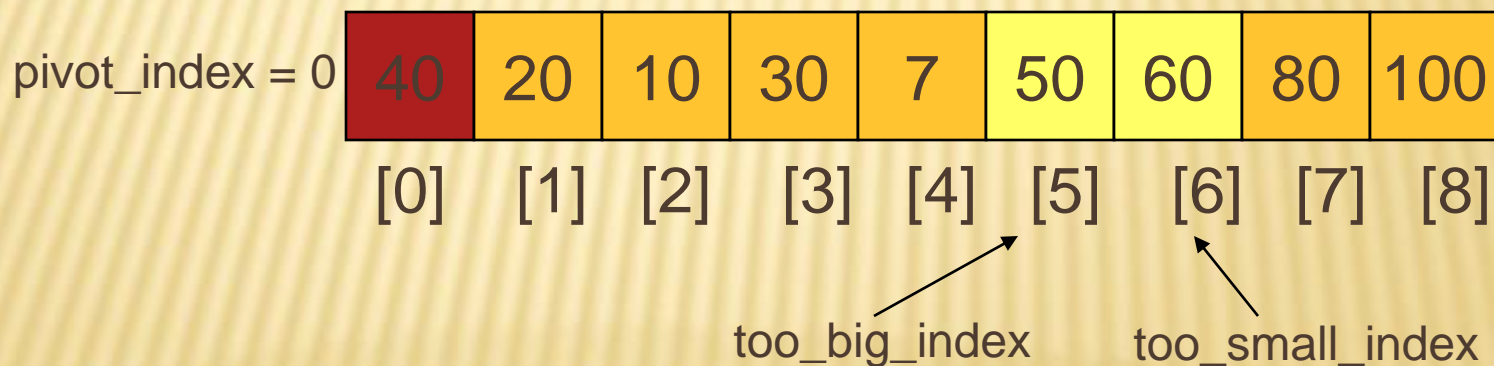
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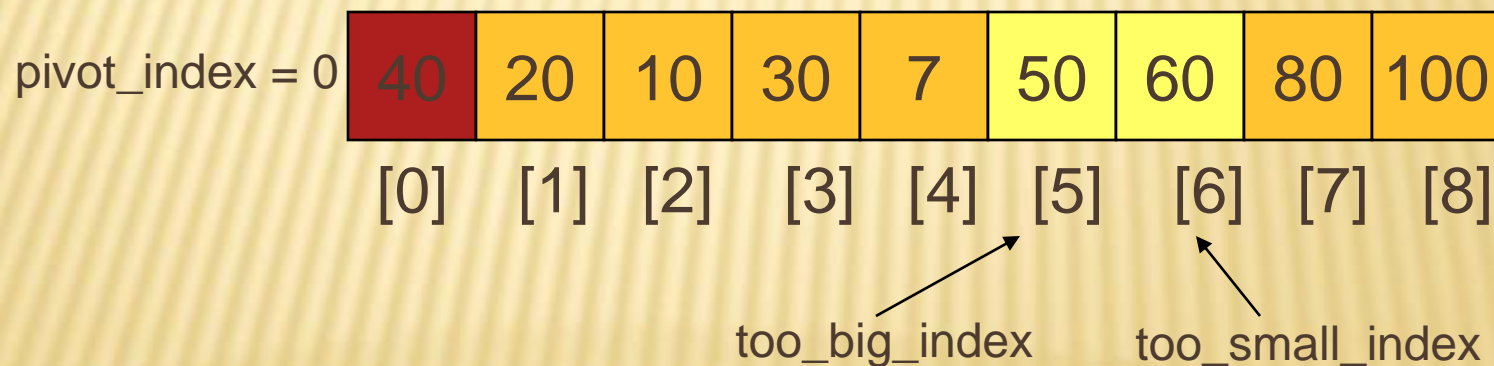
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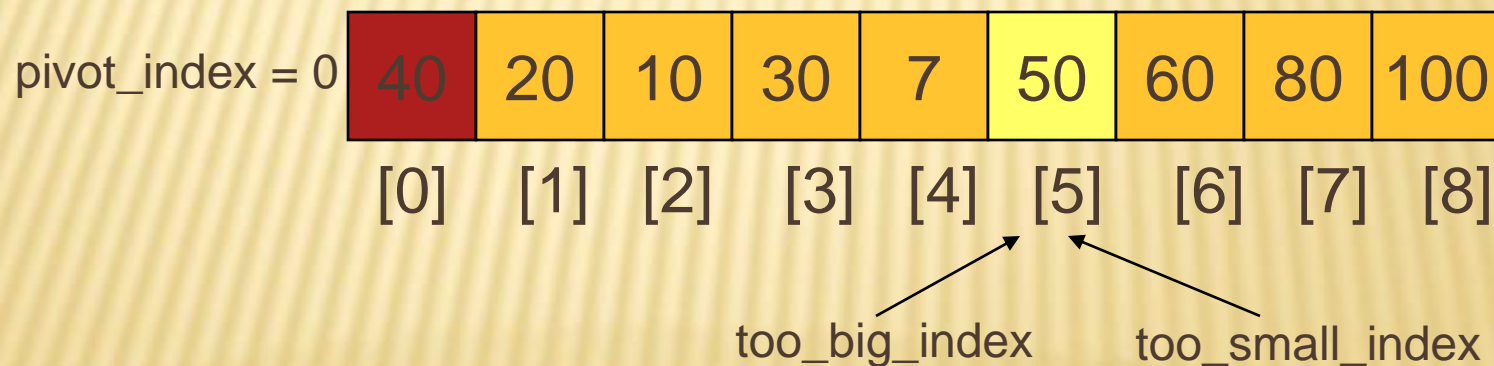
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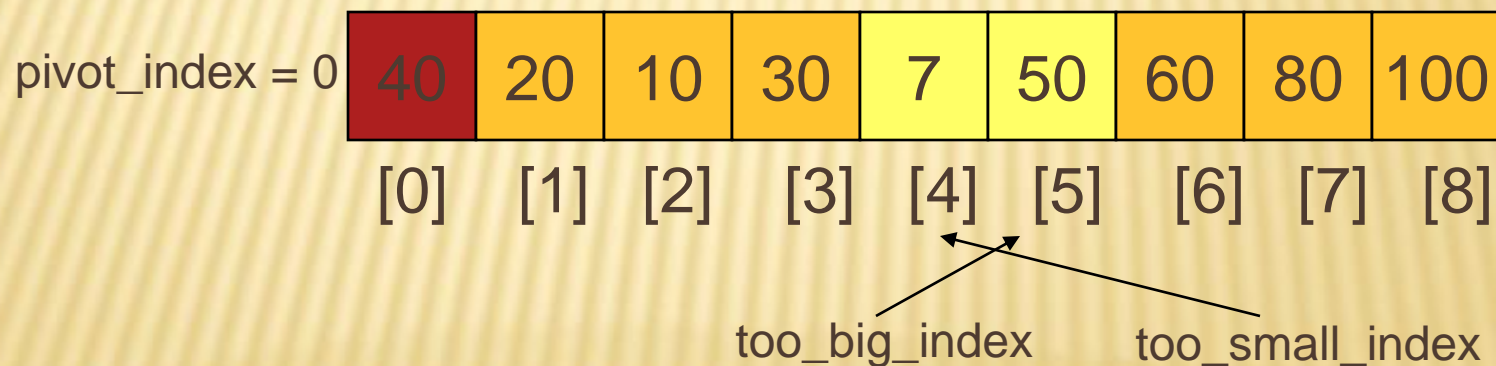
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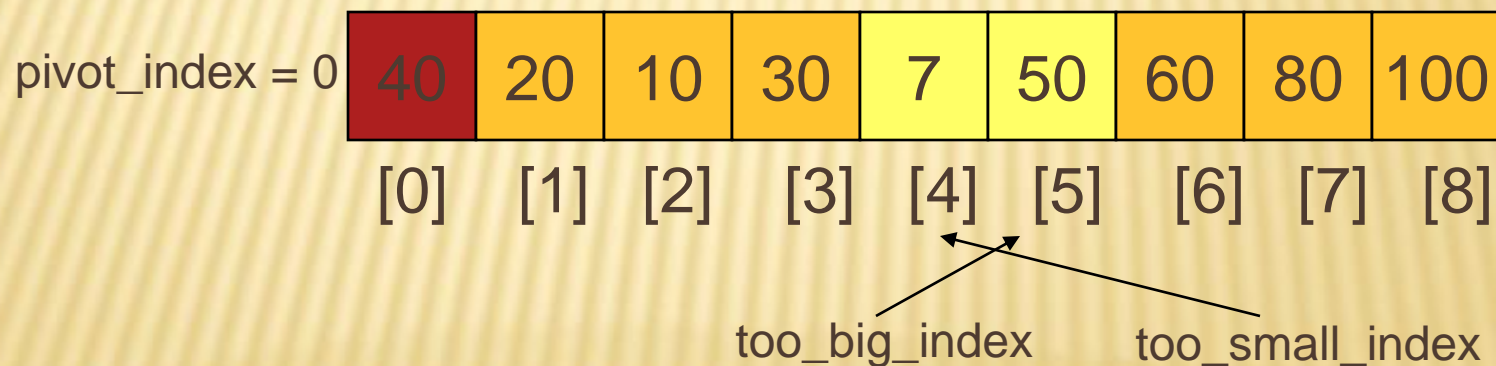
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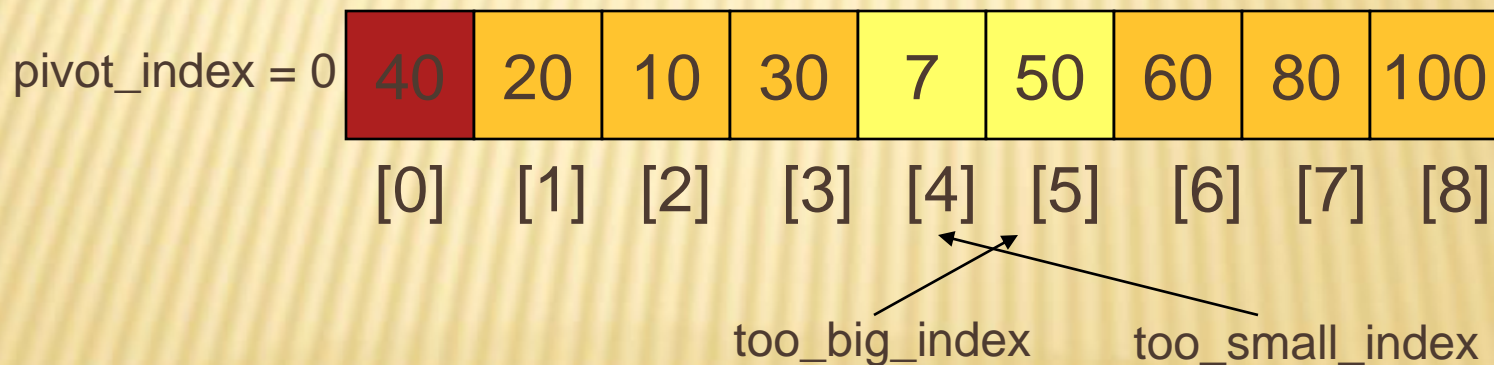
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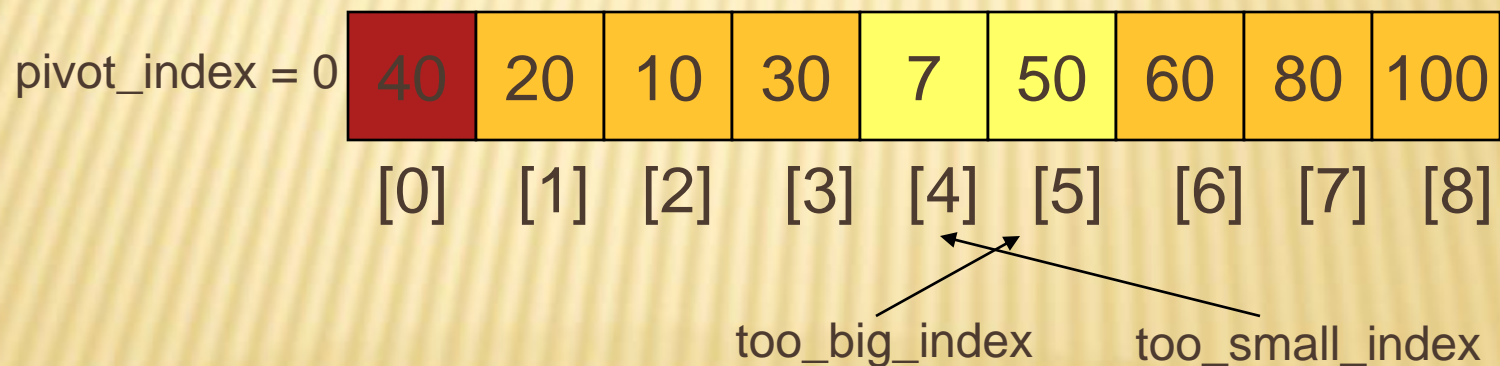
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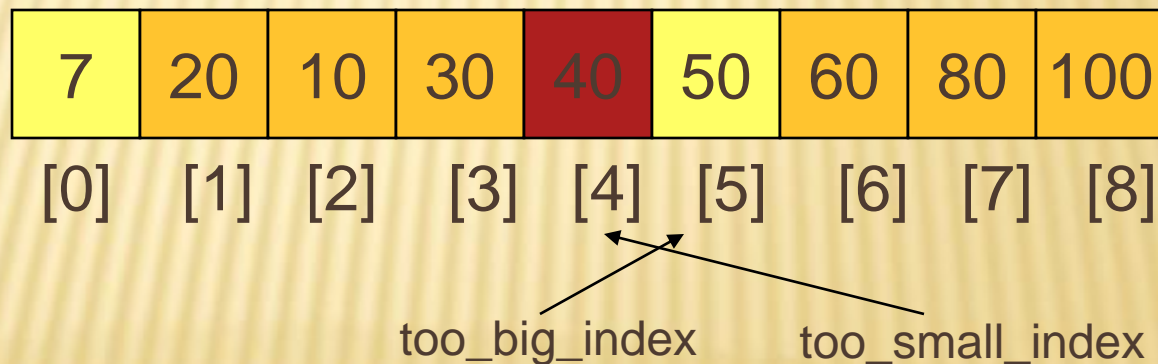


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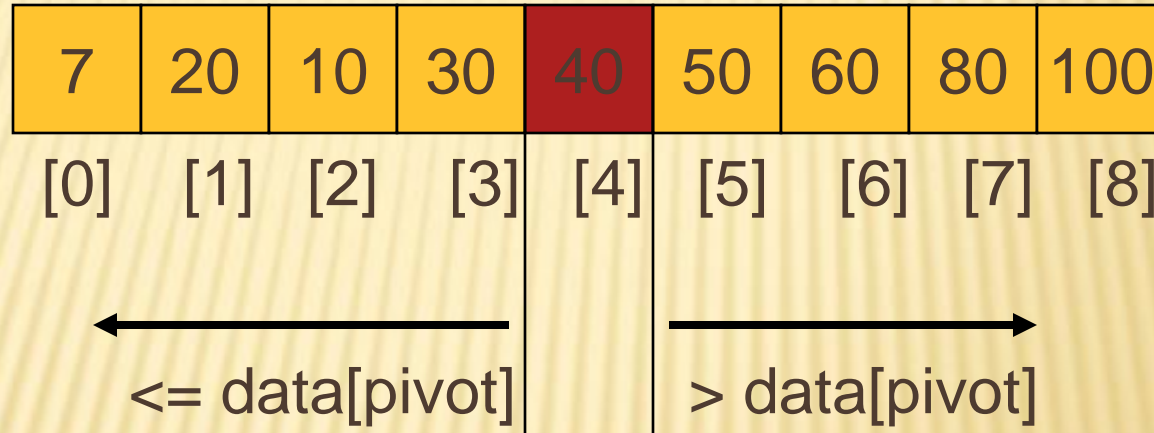


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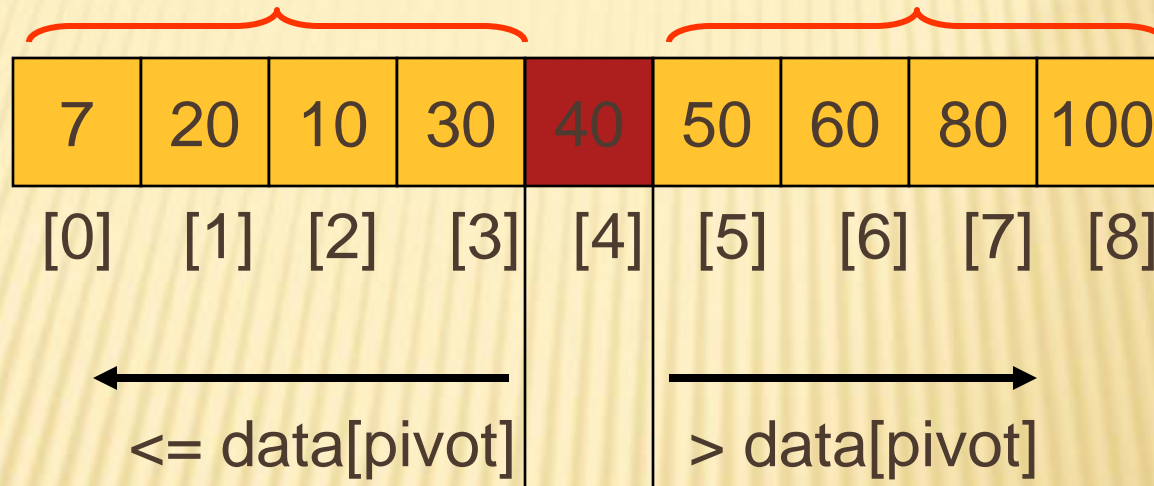
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Partition Result



Recursion: Quicksort Sub-arrays





Thank You

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