

Insertion Sort

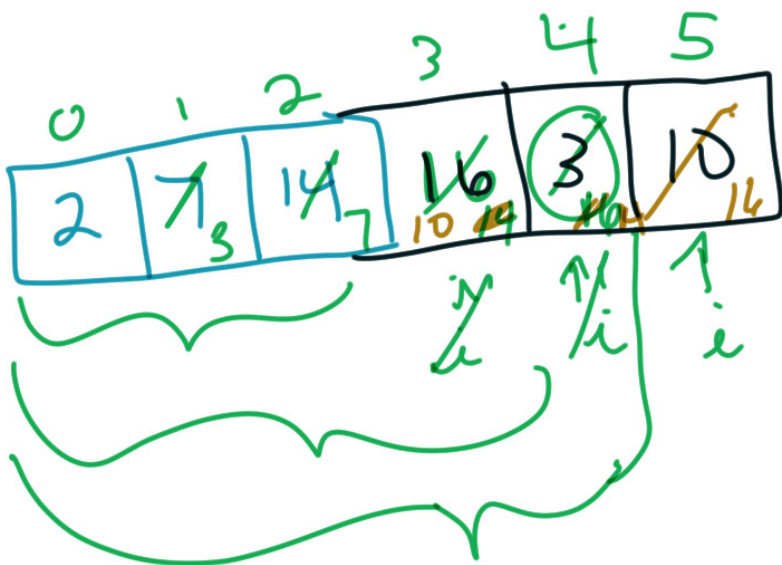
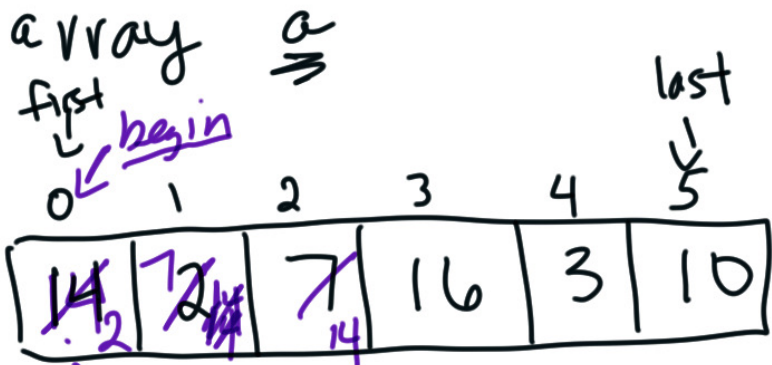
Look through each item in the unsorted portion and insert it into the sorted portion by **shifting** larger values out of the way. $O(n^2)$

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6 5 3 1 8 7 2 4

<http://sonny.io/2015/12/19/insertion-sort/>

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6⊖ public void insertionSort(int[] a, int first, int last)
7   {
8       for(int i= first; i <= last; i++) {
9           insertInOrder(a[i],a,first, i-1);
10      }
11  }
12
13⊖ private void insertInOrder(int anEntry,
14                             int[] a,
15                             int begin,
16                             int end)
17  {
18      int index = end;
19
20      //insert into sorted portion
21      while ((index >= begin) && (anEntry < a[index])){
22          a[index + 1] = a[index]; //shift
23          index --;
24      }
25
26      a[index + 1] = anEntry;
27  }
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2 3 7 10 14 16 ✓

an Entry	end	index	i
14	-1	-1	0
7	0	0-1	1
16	1	X 0	2
3	2	2	3
10	3	X X 0	4
	4	4 3	5