CSC207.01 2013F, Class 50: Heap Sort

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Preliminaries

Admin

- Upcoming extra credit opportunities:
  - Learning from Alumni Thursday: Erik Hanson (in person)
  - CS Extras Thursday: Summer opportunities in CS.
  - CS Table Friday: TBD.
  - Swim meet Friday and Saturday.
  - Any self-care week activity.
  - *One Grinnell* rally on December 4 at 4pm (unless you are taking photos).
    - I've heard that students chose the time, and that no time was without conflicts. Sorry that I can't give you a better answer.

About the next homework

Sketch of last assignment: Turn the JSON output of an Ushahidi site (or, perhaps, any JSON output) into a useful structure. You may not use the existing JSON libraries.

- Sample API call: http://sidewalks.latimes.com/api?task=incidents
- JSON Format http://www.json.org/

A quick note about heapifying an array

In yesterday's class, one of you suggested that we could speed up the heap up process by doing both children of a node "at once". Will that work for the following heap?

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{ 3, 1, 2, 7, 8 }
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Lab

An opportunity to explore various aspects of heaps and heap sort.

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