Data Structures

Array Lists

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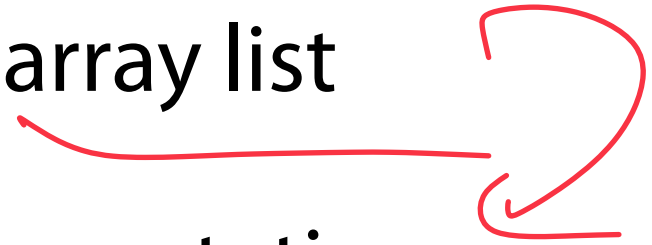
Learning Objectives

Review fundamentals of array list

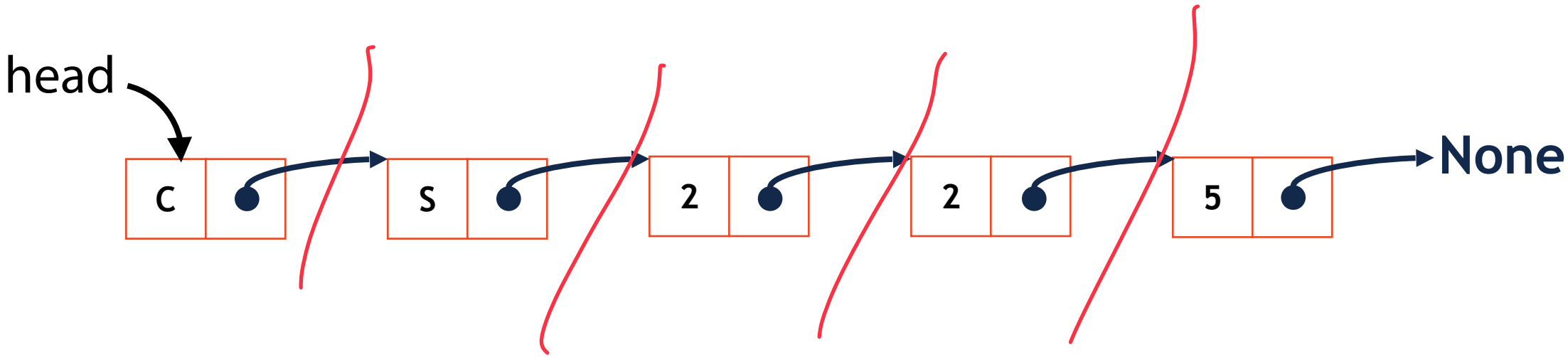


Introduce array list implementations

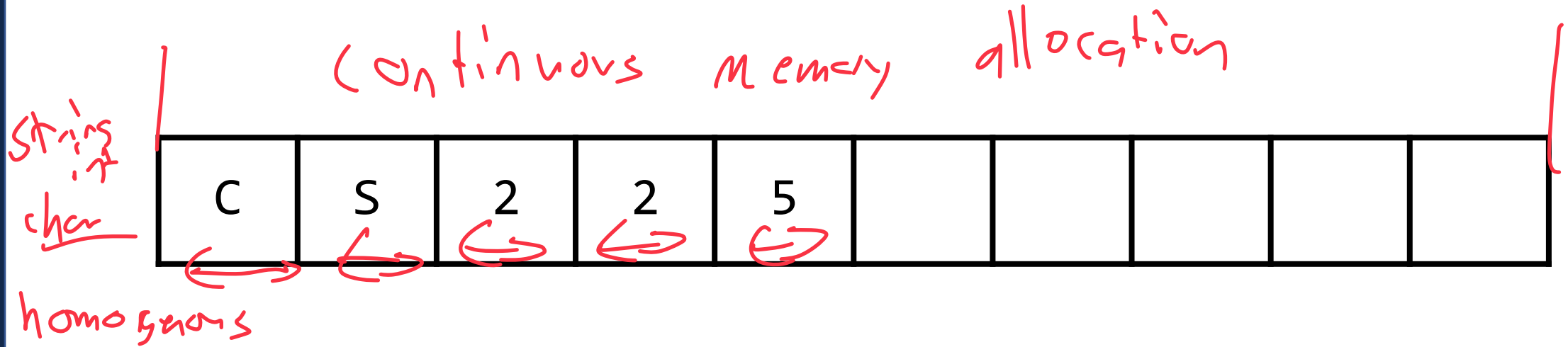
Consider extensions to lists

List Implementations

1. Linked List — singly linked list



2. Array List



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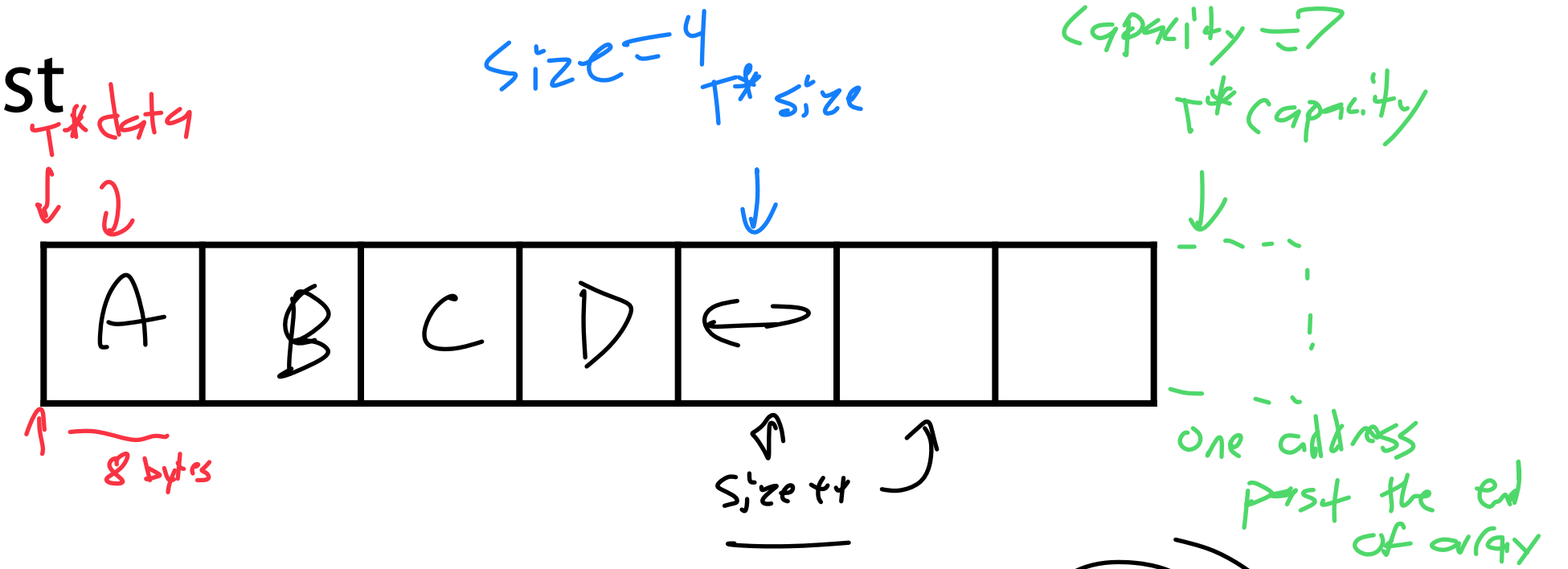
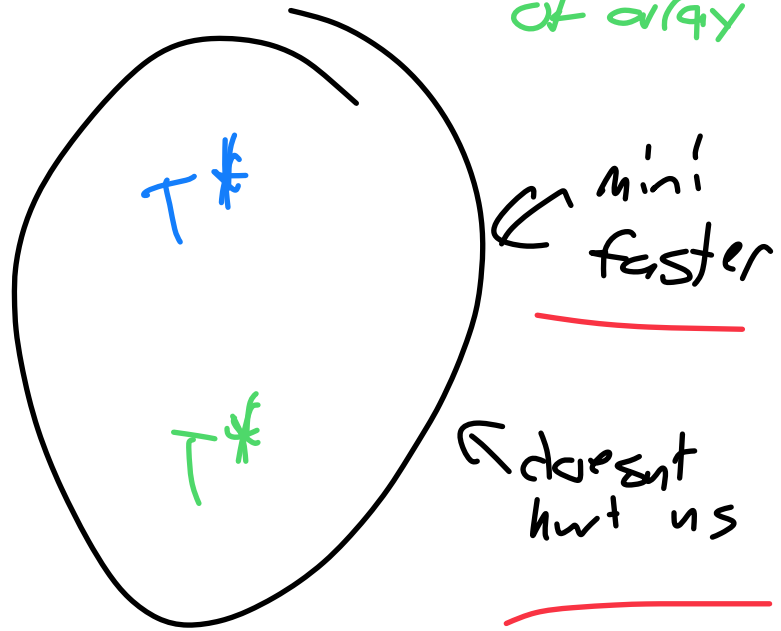


1) pointer to array (location)

2) size - current # of items (unsigned int)

3) capacity - Max # of items (unsigned int)



List.h

```
1   #pragma once
2
3   template <typename T>
4   class List {
5   public:
    ...     /* --- */
25  private:
26    T *data_;
27
28    T *size;
29
30    T *capacity;
    ...
        /* --- */
    };
```

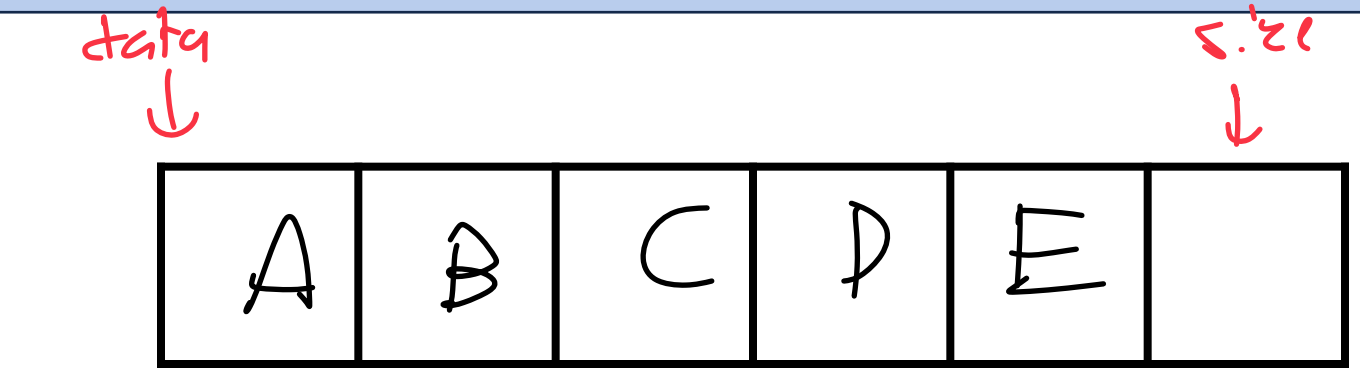
# of objects = (size - data) / sizeof(T)

# of possible objects = (capacity - data) / sizeof(T)

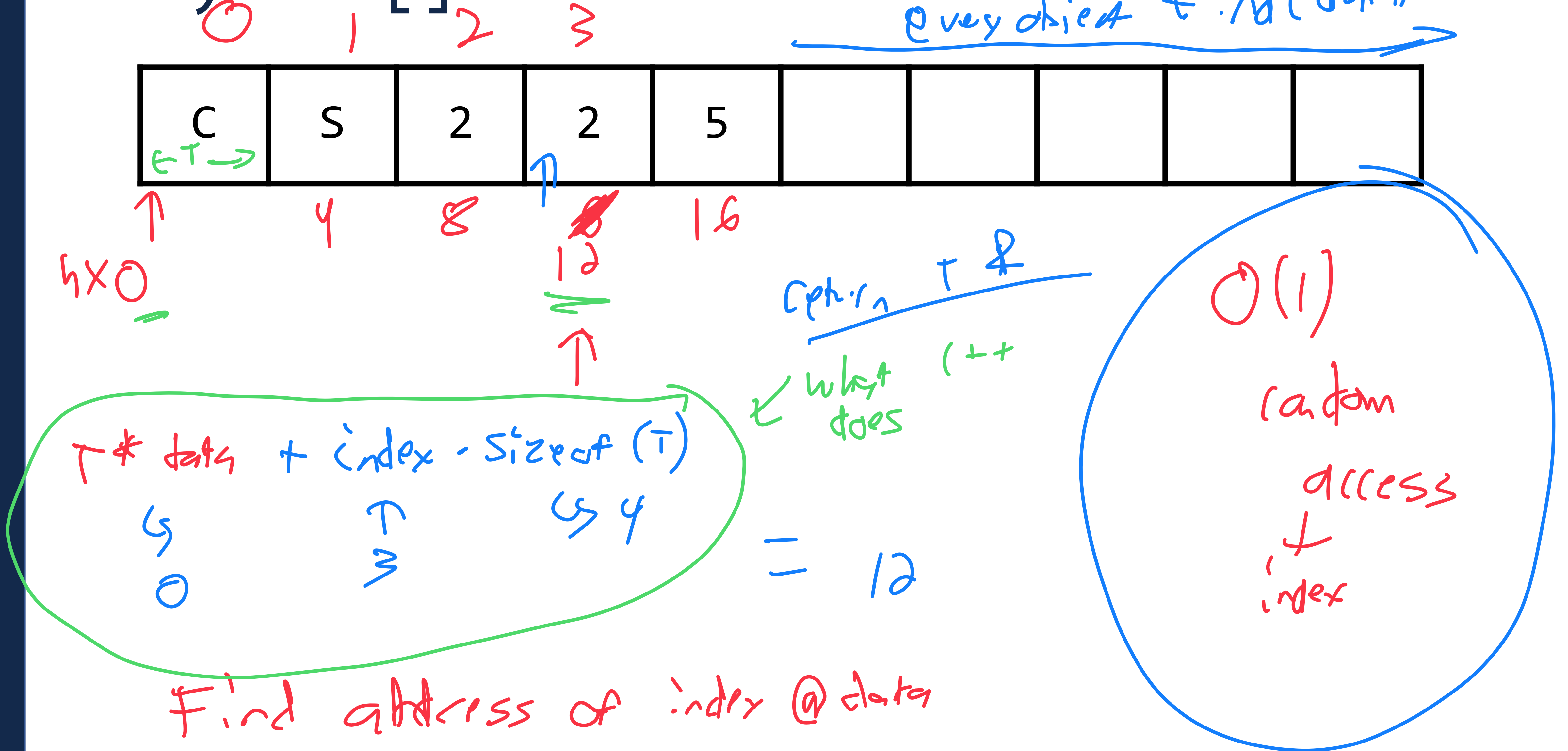
this is a choice

capacity

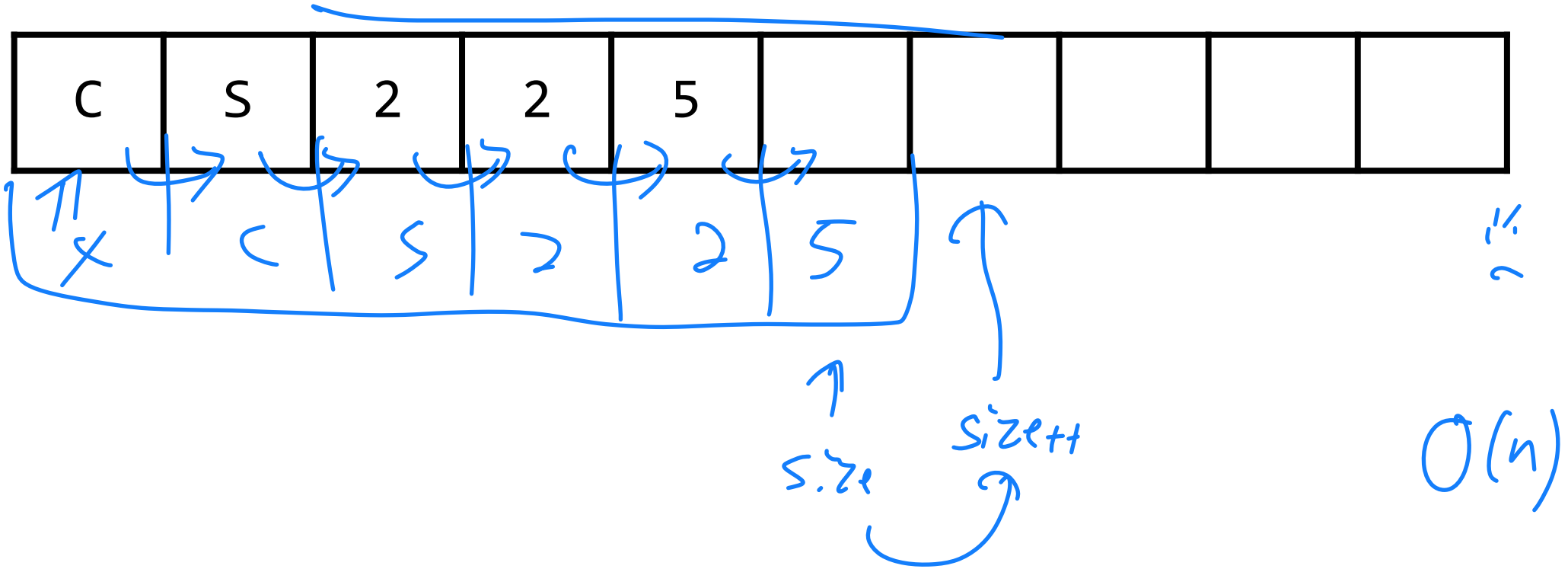
size == capacity ↳ array is full



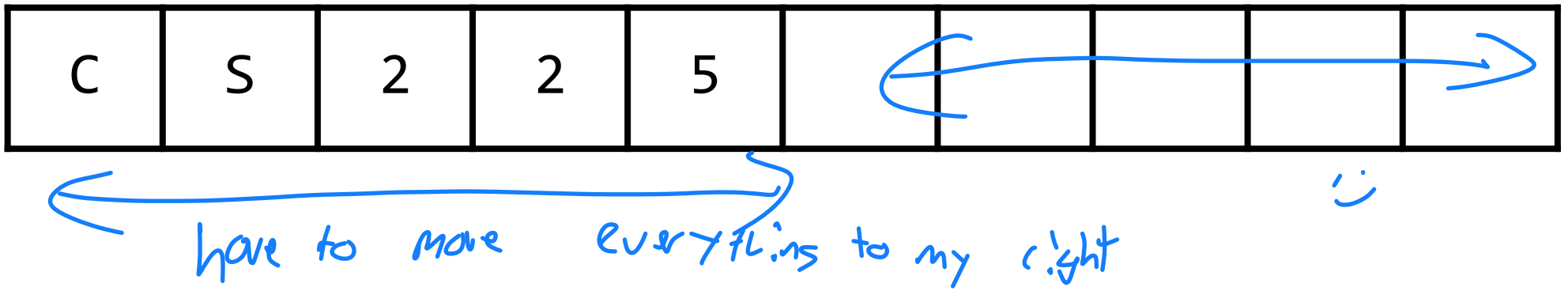
Array List: [ ]

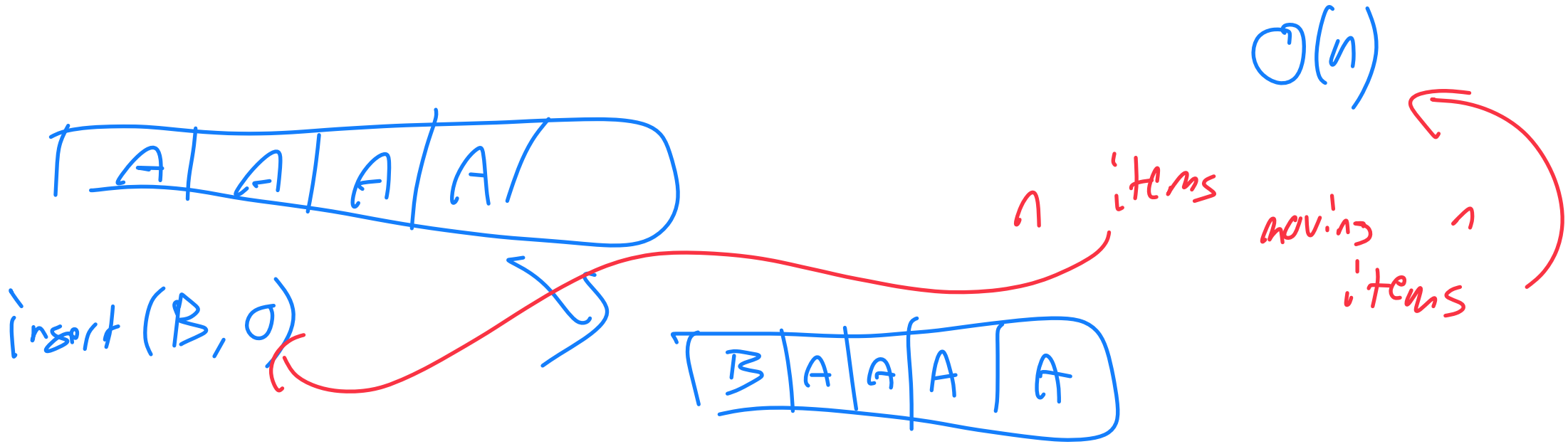

C
S
2
2
5
0 1 2 3
4 8 12 16
every object find(data)
T* data + index · sizeof(T)
= 12
O(1)
random access + index
Find address of index @ data

Array List: `insertAtFront(data)`

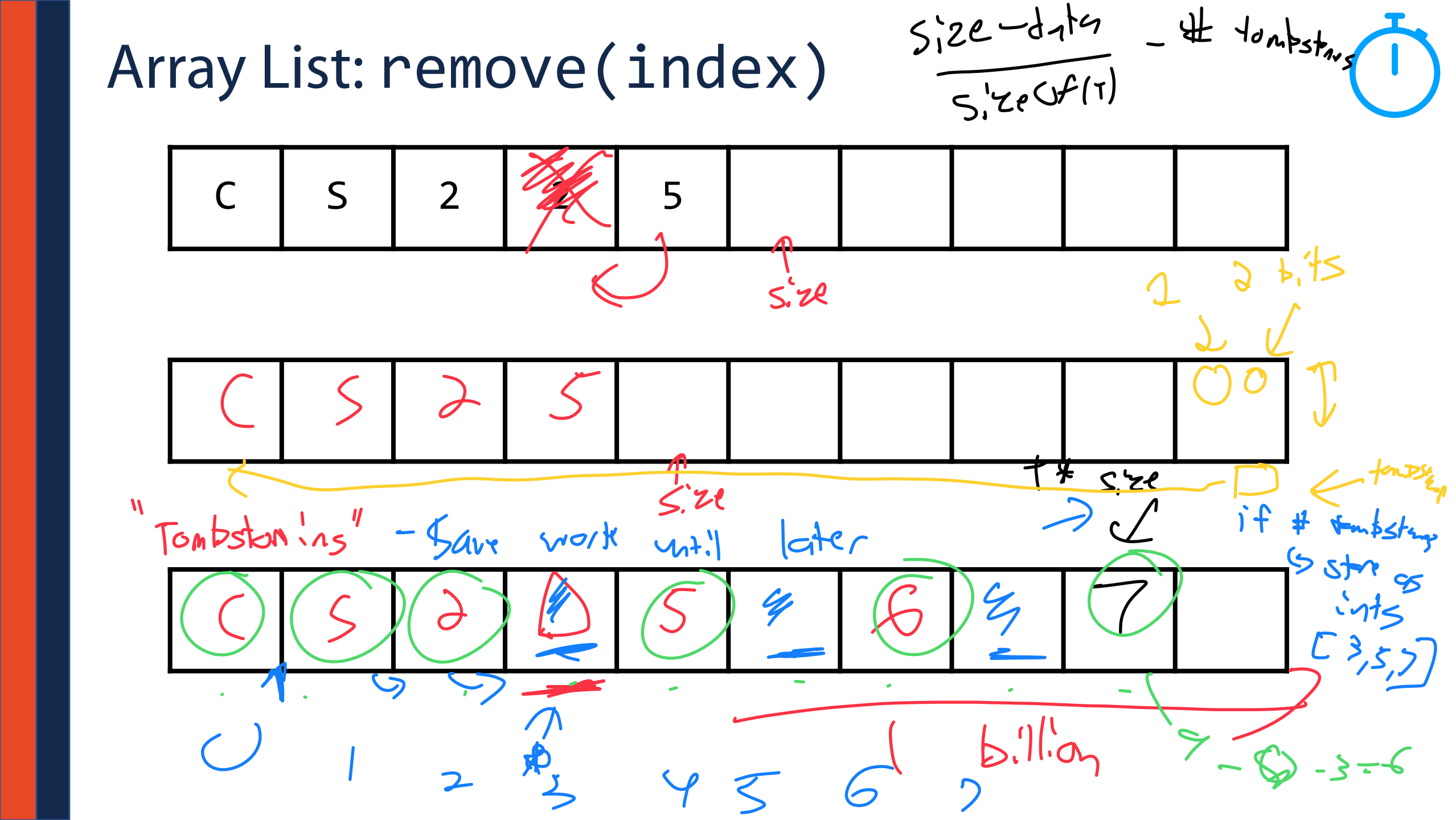


Array List: `insert(data, index)`



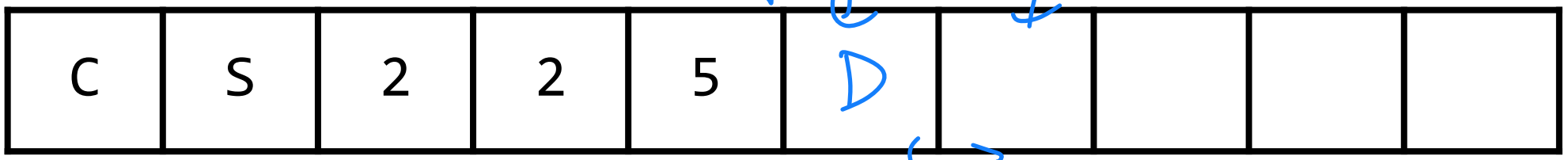


Array List: remove(index)



Array List: pushback(data)

insert at back



size

pop-back()

remove(size)

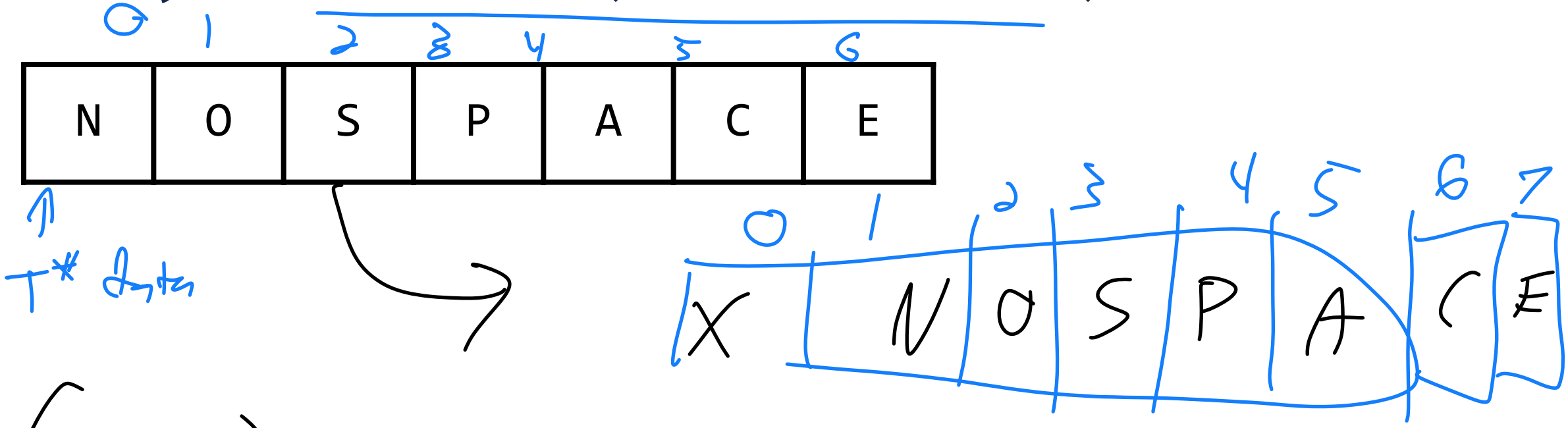
T *size = data;

size++;

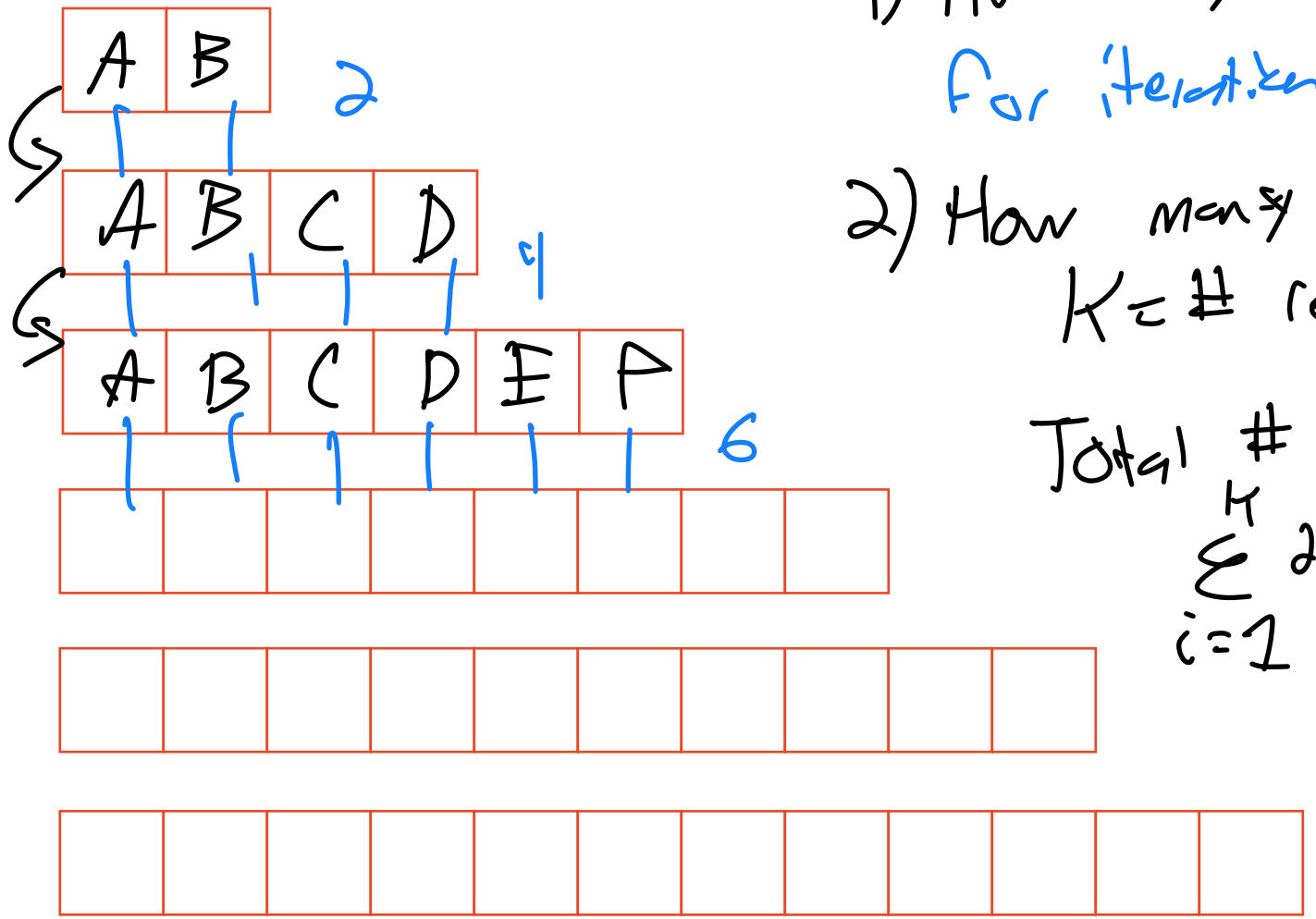
--size;

O(1)

Array List: `insert(data, index)`



Resize Strategy: +2 elements every time



1) How many copies per realloc?

For iteration i, $2i$ realloc

2) How many reallocs? (N objects total)

K = # reallocs $= N/2$

Total # of copies

$$\sum_{i=1}^{K} 2i = K(K+1)$$

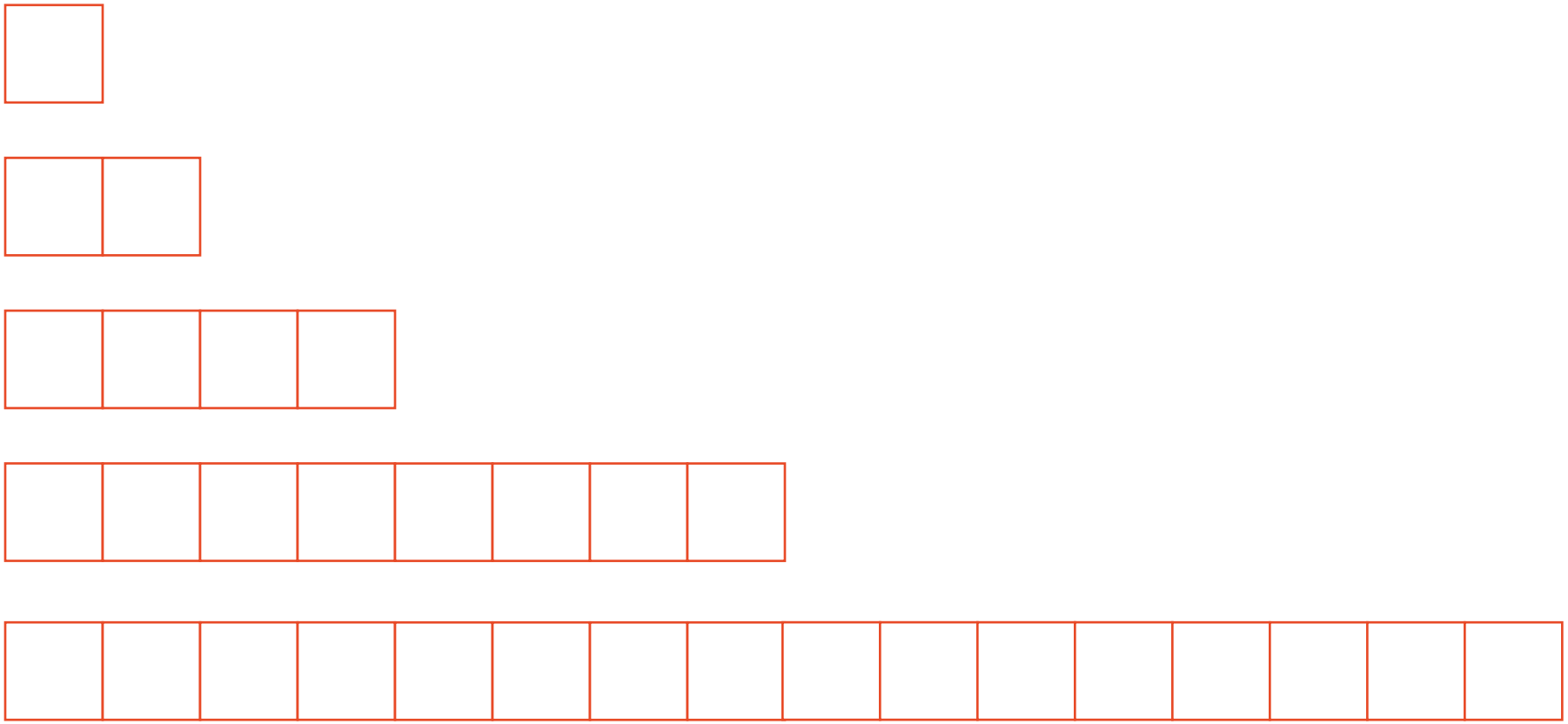
$$K^2 + K$$

$$\frac{N^2}{4} + \frac{N}{2} = \frac{N^2+2N}{4}$$

for N insertions

Resize Strategy: +2 elements every time

Resize Strategy: x2 elements every time



Resize Strategy: x2 elements every time

Array Implementation

	Singly Linked List	Array
Look up **arbitrary** location		
Insert after **given** element		
Remove after **given** element		
Insert at **arbitrary** location		
Remove at **arbitrary** location		
Search for an input **value**		

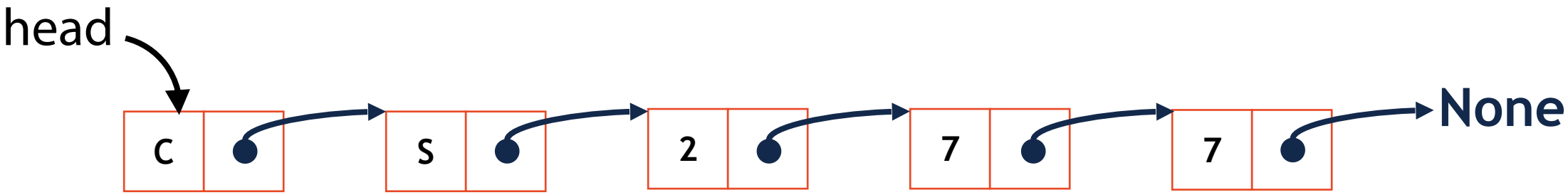
Thinking critically about lists: tradeoffs

The implementations shown are foundational.

Can we make our lists better at some things? What is the cost?

Thinking critically about lists: tradeoffs

Getting the size of a linked list has a Big O of:



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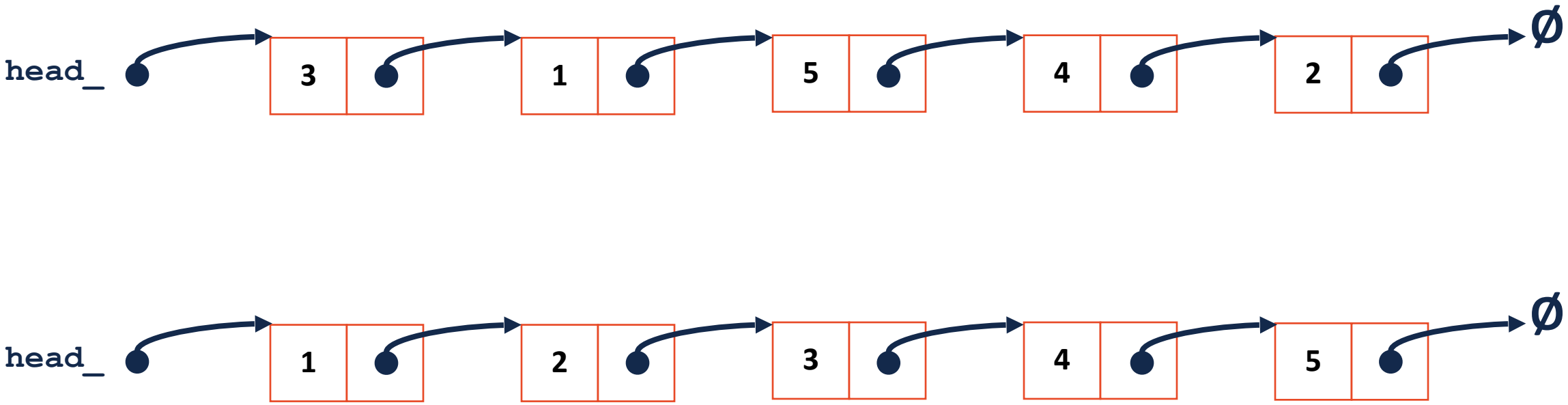

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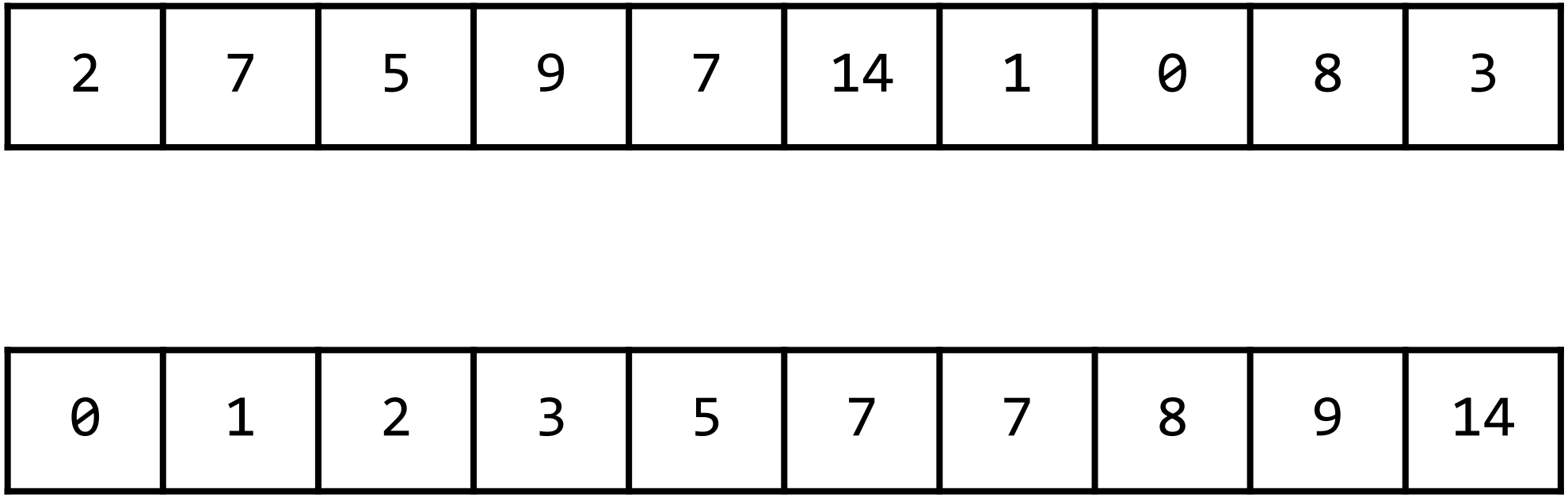

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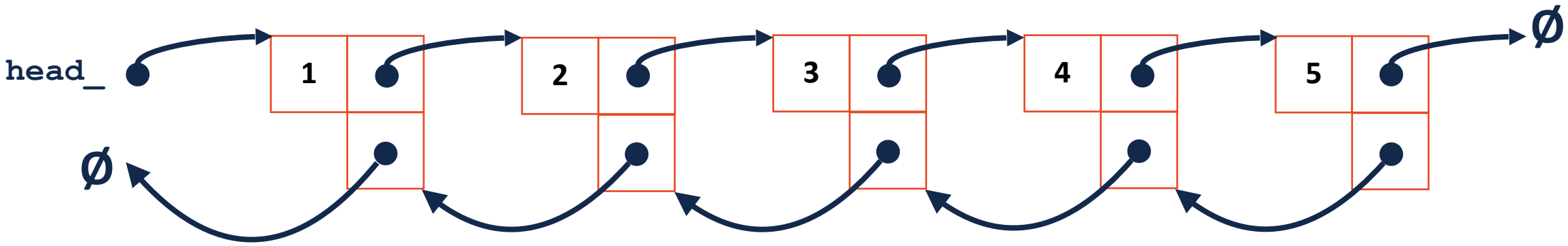

Thinking critically about lists: tradeoffs

When we discuss data structures, consider how they can be modified or improved!

Next time: Can we make a 'list' that is O(1) to insert and remove? What is our tradeoff in doing so?