

1. Prove that the expected space requirement of a skip list constructed on n numbers is $O(n)$.
2. Let S be a set of n points in the plane. A point p in S is called **maximal** (or *Pareto-optimal*) if no other point in S is both above and to the right of p . If each point in S is chosen independently and uniformly at random from the unit square $[0, 1] \times [0, 1]$ what is the *exact* expected number of Pareto-optimal points in S .
3. A *data stream* is an extremely long sequence of items that you can read only once. A data stream algorithm looks roughly like this:

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DoSOMETHINGINTERESTING(stream S):  
  repeat  
     $x \leftarrow$  next item in  $S$   
    << do something fast with  $x$  >>  
  until  $S$  ends  
  return << something >>
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Describe and analyze an algorithm that chooses one element uniformly at random from a data stream, *without knowing the length of the stream in advance*. Your algorithm should spend $O(1)$ time per stream element and use $O(1)$ space (not counting the stream itself).