

The `texsort` package

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1 Introduction

Purpose: sort/compress numerical lists.

2 Usage

```
\sortlist
Sort list:
  \sortlist{1,5,20,6,23,2,1,4000,4}\to{mylist}\sep{,}
Result:
  \mylist->1,1,2,4,5,6,20,23,4000
```

```
\compresslist
Compress list:
  \compresslist{\mylist}\to{clist}\sep{,}{-}
Result:
  \clist->1,1,2,4-6,20,23,4000
```

3 Implementation

```
1 \NeedsTeXFormat{LaTeX2e}
2 \ProvidesPackage{texsort}[2012/05/29]
3 \newcount\t@mp@r@a
4 \newcount\t@mp@r@b
5 \newcount\t@mp@r@c

\initarray {⟨list⟩}{⟨array⟩}
  Converts ⟨list⟩ to ⟨array⟩.

6 \def\initarray#1#2{%
7   \bgroup
8   \@tempcnta=\z@
9   \@for\@@refb:=#2\do{%
10    \advance\@tempcnta by\@ne
11    \bgroup
12    \setbox\z@\hbox{%
```

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13     \expandafter\global\expandafter\t@mp@r@a\expandafter\add@zero@@@refb\relax
14     }%
15     \ifdim\wd0>\z@\relax
16         \@latex@warning{Not number \@@refb!}%
17     \fi
18     \expandafter\edef\csname @a\endcsname{\expandafter\xdef\expandafter
19         \noexpand\csname#1@the\@tempcnta\endcsname{\the\t@mp@r@a}}\@@
20     \egroup
21     }%
22     \expandafter\xdef\csname #1@length\endcsname{\the\@tempcnta}%
23 \egroup
24 }

```

`\outarray` $\langle array \rangle$ $\langle sep \rangle$

Outputs $\langle array \rangle$ elements separated by $\langle sep \rangle$.

```

25 \def\outarray#1\sep#2{%
26     \bgroup
27     \@tempcnta=\z@\relax
28     \@tempcntb=\getarraylength{#1}%
29     \loop
30     \ifnum\@tempcnta<\@tempcntb
31         \advance\@tempcnta by\@ne\relax
32     \ifnum\@tempcnta>\@ne\relax#2\fi
33     \csname#1@the\@tempcnta\endcsname
34     \repeat
35 \egroup
36 }

```

`\add@zero` $\langle arg \rangle$

Adds 0 before $\langle arg \rangle$.

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37 \def\add@zero#1{0#1}

```

`\getarrayitem` $\langle array \rangle$ $\langle index \rangle$ $\langle command \rangle$

Gets $\langle array \rangle$ element by $\langle index \rangle$ to $\langle command \rangle$.

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38 \def\getarrayitem#1#2\to#3{\expandafter\xdef\csname#3\endcsname{\csname#1@#2\endcsname}}

```

`\setarrayitem` $\langle array \rangle$ $\langle index \rangle$ $\langle value \rangle$

Sets $\langle array \rangle$ element by $\langle index \rangle$ to $\langle value \rangle$.

```

39 \def\setarrayitem#1#2#3{%
40     \bgroup
41     \setbox0\hbox{%
42         \expandafter\global\expandafter\t@mp@r@a\expandafter\add@zero#3\relax
43     }%
44     \ifdim\wd0>\z@\relax
45         \@latex@warning{Not number #3!}%
46     \fi
47     \expandafter\xdef\csname#1@#2\endcsname{\the\t@mp@r@a}%
48 \egroup
49 }

```

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\getarraylength {⟨array⟩}
    Gets ⟨array⟩ elements count.
50 \def\getarraylength#1{\ifundefined{#1@length}{0}{\csname #1@length\endcsname}}

\setarraylength {⟨array⟩}{⟨value⟩}
    Sets ⟨array⟩ elements count to ⟨value⟩.
51 \def\setarraylength#1#2{\expandafter\xdef\csname #1@length\endcsname{#2}}

\upheap {⟨array⟩}{⟨index⟩}
    Internal macro of sort algorithm.
52 \def\upheap#1#2{%
53   \bgroup
54   \getarrayitem{#1}{#2}\to{vara}%
55   \@namedef{#1@0}{\maxdimen}%
56   \@tempcntb=#2\relax
57   \loop
58   \@tempcnta=@tempcntb
59   \divide\@tempcnta by2\getarrayitem{#1}{\the\@tempcnta}\to{varb}%
60   \ifnum\varb>\vara\relax
61   \else
62     \getarrayitem{#1}{\the\@tempcnta}\to{varb}%
63     \setarrayitem{#1}{\the\@tempcntb}{\varb}%
64     \divide\@tempcntb by2\relax
65   \repeat
66   \setarrayitem{#1}{\the\@tempcntb}{\vara}%
67   \egroup
68   }

\insertheapelem {⟨array⟩}{⟨value⟩}
    Internal macro of sort algorithm.
69 \def\insertheapelem#1#2{%
70   \bgroup
71   \@tempcnta=\getarraylength{#1}\relax
72   \advance\@tempcnta by1\relax
73   \setarraylength{#1}{\the\@tempcnta}\relax
74   \setarrayitem{#1}{\the\@tempcnta}{#2}%
75   \upheap{#1}{\the\@tempcnta}%
76   \egroup
77   }

78 \newcount\@tempcntd

\downheap {⟨array⟩}{⟨index⟩}
    Internal macro of sort algorithm.
79 \def\downheap#1#2{%
80   \bgroup
81   \getarrayitem{#1}{#2}\to{vara}%
82   \@tempcntb=\getarraylength{#1}%

```

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83 \t@mp@r@c=\@tempcntb\relax
84 \divide\@tempcntb by2\relax
85 \t@mp@r@b=\@tempcntb\relax
86 \@tempcntb=#2\relax
87 \ifnum\@tempcntb>\t@mp@r@b\relax
88 \else
89 \loop
90 \@tempcnta=\@tempcntb \advance\@tempcnta by\@tempcntb\relax
91 \@tempcntd=\@tempcnta \advance\@tempcntd by1\relax
92 \ifnum\@tempcnta<\t@mp@r@c\relax
93 \getarrayitem{#1}{\the\@tempcnta}\to{temp@a}%
94 \getarrayitem{#1}{\the\@tempcntd}\to{temp@b}%
95 \ifnum\temp@a<\temp@b\relax
96 \@tempcnta=\@tempcntd
97 \fi
98 \fi
99 \getarrayitem{#1}{\the\@tempcnta}\to{temp@a}%
100 \ifnum\vara>\temp@a\relax
101 \t@mp@r@b=-1\relax
102 \else
103 \getarrayitem{#1}{\the\@tempcnta}\to{temp@a}%
104 \setarrayitem{#1}{\the\@tempcntb}{\temp@a}%
105 \@tempcntb=\@tempcnta
106 \fi
107 \ifnum\@tempcntb>\t@mp@r@b\relax
108 \else
109 \repeat
110 \fi
111 \setarrayitem{#1}{\the\@tempcntb}{\vara}%
112 \egroup
113 }
114

```

`\removetop {<array>}\to{<command>}`

Internal macro of sort algorithm.

```

115 \def\removetop#1\to#2{%
116 \bgroup
117 \getarrayitem{#1}{1}\to{temp@c}%
118 \expandafter\xdef\csname #2\endcsname{\temp@c}%
119 \@tempcnta=\getarraylength{#1}%
120 \getarrayitem{#1}{\the\@tempcnta}\to{temp@a}%
121 \setarrayitem{#1}{1}{\temp@a}%
122 \setarrayitem{#1}{\the\@tempcnta}{}%
123 \advance\@tempcnta by-1\relax
124 \setarraylength{#1}{\the\@tempcnta}%
125 \downheap{#1}{1}%
126 \egroup
127 }

```

`\g@addto@macrobeg {<macro>}{<definition>}`

Adds some more *<definition>* to *<macro>* beginning.

```

128 \long\def\g@addto@macro#1#2{%
129   \begingroup
130   \def\@a{#2}%
131   \toks@\expandafter\expandafter\expandafter{\expandafter\@a#1}%
132   \xdef#1{\the\toks@}%
133   \endgroup
134 }

```

`\sortlistarray` {*array*}{*sorted array*}

Sorts *array* and puts result to *sorted array*.

```

135 \def\sortlistarray#1\to#2{%
136   \bgroup
137   \@for\@refb:=#1\do{%
138     \inserttheapelem{@tempa@}{\@refb}%
139   }%
140   \@tempcntb=\getarraylength{@tempa@}%
141   \setarraylength{#2}{\the\@tempcntb}%
142   \@for\@refb:=#1\do{%
143     \removetop{@tempa@}\to{aka}%
144     \setarrayitem{#2}{\the\@tempcntb}{\aka}%
145     \advance\@tempcntb by-1\relax
146   }%
147   \egroup
148 }

```

`\sortlist` {*list*}\to{*macro*}\sep{*sep*}

Sorts *list* and puts elements separated by *sep* to *macro*.

```

149 \def\sortlist#1\to#2\sep#3{%
150   \bgroup
151   \@for\@refb:=#1\do{%
152     \inserttheapelem{@tempa@}{\@refb}%
153   }%
154   \@tempcntb=\getarraylength{@tempa@}%
155   \expandafter\def\csname#2\endcsname{}%
156   \expandafter\def\expandafter\@a\expandafter{\csname#2\endcsname}%
157   \@for\@refb:=#1\do{%
158     \removetop{@tempa@}\to{aka}%
159     \advance\@tempcntb by-1\relax
160     \expandafter\expandafter\expandafter
161     \g@addto@macro\expandafter\@a\expandafter{\aka}%
162     \ifnum\@tempcntb>0\relax
163       \expandafter\expandafter\expandafter
164       \g@addto@macro\expandafter\@a\expandafter{#3}%
165     \fi
166   }%
167   \egroup
168 }

```

`\compresslist` {*list*}\to{*macro*}\sep{*single*}{*multi*}

Compress *list* and puts result to {*macro*}; single elements separated by *single*, multi by *multi*.

```

169 \def\compresslist#1\to#2\sep#3#4{%
170   \bgroup
171   \expandafter\def\csname#2\endcsname{}%
172   \expandafter\def\expandafter\@a\expandafter{\csname#2\endcsname}%
173   \t@mp@r@a=-1\relax
174   \@tempcnta=-2\relax
175   \expandafter\@for\expandafter\@@refb\expandafter:\expandafter=#1\do{%
176     \ifnum\t@mp@r@a=-1\relax
177       \t@mp@r@a=\@refb\relax
178       \t@mp@r@b=\@refb\relax
179       \t@mp@r@c=\@refb\relax
180       \expandafter\expandafter\expandafter
181       \g@addto@macro\expandafter\@a\expandafter{\the\t@mp@r@a}%
182     \else
183       \t@mp@r@c=\@refb\relax
184       \ifnum\t@mp@r@c=\t@mp@r@a\relax
185         \expandafter\expandafter\expandafter
186         \g@addto@macro\expandafter\@a\expandafter{#3}%
187         \expandafter\expandafter\expandafter
188         \g@addto@macro\expandafter\@a\expandafter{\the\t@mp@r@c}%
189         \t@mp@r@b=\t@mp@r@c\relax
190       \else
191         \@tempcnta=\t@mp@r@b\relax
192         \advance\@tempcnta by1\relax
193         \ifnum\@tempcnta=\t@mp@r@c\relax
194           \t@mp@r@b=\t@mp@r@c\relax
195         \else
196           \@tempcnta=\t@mp@r@a\relax
197           \advance\@tempcnta by-\t@mp@r@b\relax
198           \ifnum\@tempcnta<-1\relax
199             \expandafter\expandafter\expandafter
200             \g@addto@macro\expandafter\@a\expandafter{#4}%
201             \expandafter\expandafter\expandafter
202             \g@addto@macro\expandafter\@a\expandafter{\the\t@mp@r@b}%
203             \expandafter\expandafter\expandafter
204             \g@addto@macro\expandafter\@a\expandafter{#3}%
205             \expandafter\expandafter\expandafter
206             \g@addto@macro\expandafter\@a\expandafter{\the\t@mp@r@c}%
207           \else
208             \ifnum\t@mp@r@a<\t@mp@r@b
209               \expandafter\expandafter\expandafter
210               \g@addto@macro\expandafter\@a\expandafter{#3}%
211               \expandafter\expandafter\expandafter
212               \g@addto@macro\expandafter\@a\expandafter{\the\t@mp@r@b}%
213             \fi
214             \expandafter\expandafter\expandafter
215             \g@addto@macro\expandafter\@a\expandafter{#3}%
216             \expandafter\expandafter\expandafter
217             \g@addto@macro\expandafter\@a\expandafter{\the\t@mp@r@c}%
218           \fi
219           \t@mp@r@a=\t@mp@r@c\relax
220           \t@mp@r@b=\t@mp@r@c\relax
221         \fi
222       \fi

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223     \fi
224   }%
225   \ifnum\t@mp@r@a<\t@mp@r@c\relax
226     \advance\t@mp@r@a by-\t@mp@r@c\relax
227   \ifnum\t@mp@r@a<-1\relax
228     \expandafter\expandafter\expandafter
229     \g@addto@macro\expandafter\@a\expandafter{#4}%
230   \else
231     \expandafter\expandafter\expandafter
232     \g@addto@macro\expandafter\@a\expandafter{#3}%
233   \fi
234   \expandafter\expandafter\expandafter
235   \g@addto@macro\expandafter\@a\expandafter{\the\t@mp@r@c}%
236 \fi
237 \egroup
238 }
239 %\endinput

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