

## 20-1/ Mark and Sweep

Time: malloc —  $O(\lg n)$

free — X

gc —  $O(\text{live}) + O(\text{mem})$

latency — use incremental collection

Space: overhead — mark bits =  $O(\lg \text{mems})$

## Stop and Copy

Time: malloc —  $O(1)$

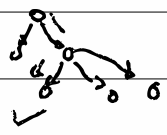
free — X

gc —  $O(\text{live})$

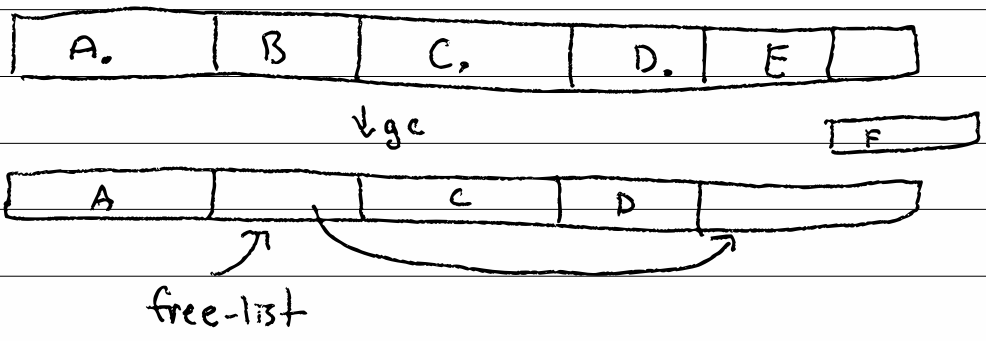
latency — high, no incremental mode

Space: overhead — X 2

20-2) goal:  $O(1)$  malloc and  $O(\log n)$  gc

malloc searches a tree   $O(\log n)$

src:  $O(1) \rightarrow$  obvious where to malloc



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int free_ptr, total_sz;
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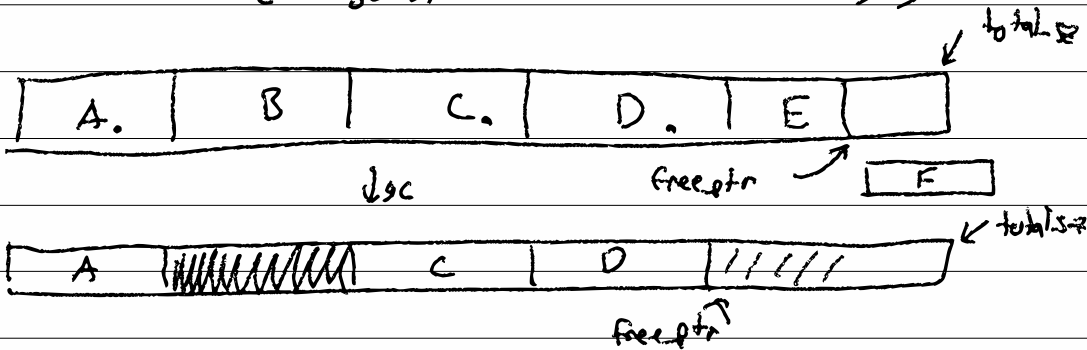
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20-3/ malloc (sz) {
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    if (free_ptr + sz < total_sz) {
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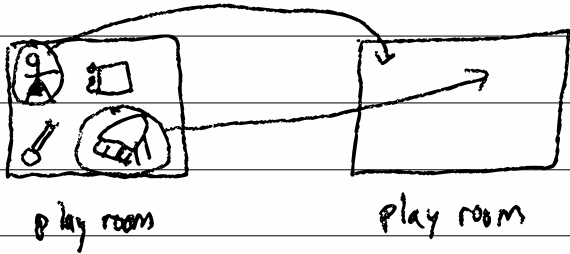
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        free_ptr += sz;
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        return (free_ptr - sz); }
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    else { gc(); return malloc(sz); }
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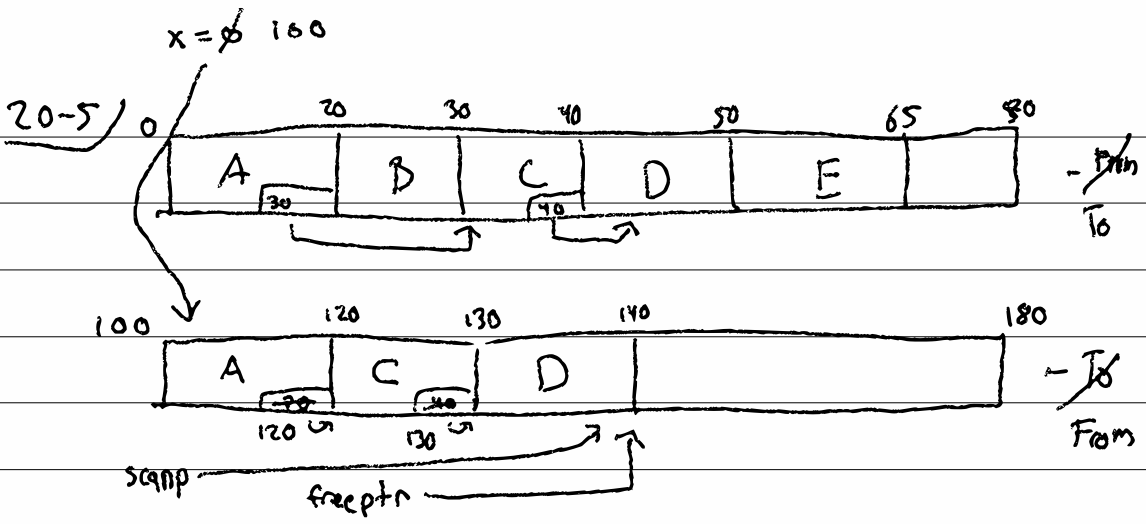


20-4/ why gc() is  $O(1)$ ?

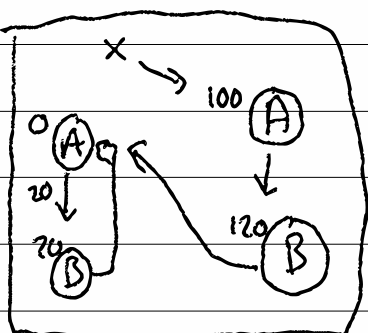
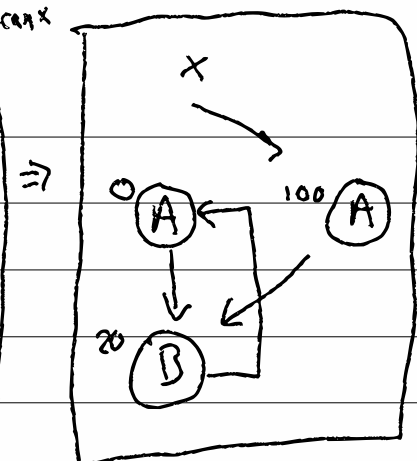
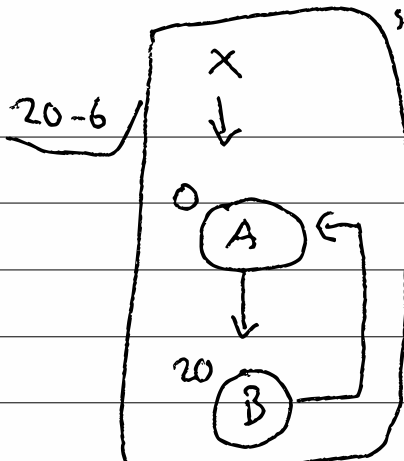


stop  
& copy

why space  $\times 2$

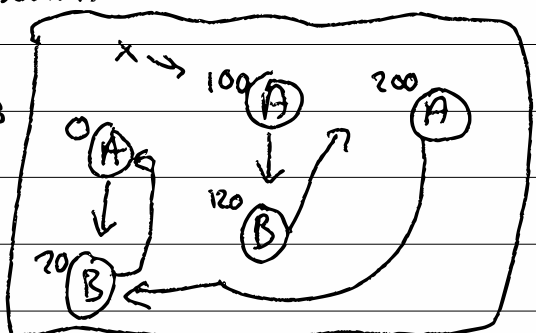


Cheney queue implementation  
of stop & copy

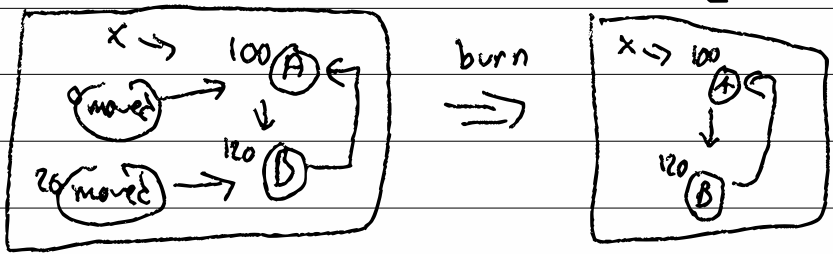
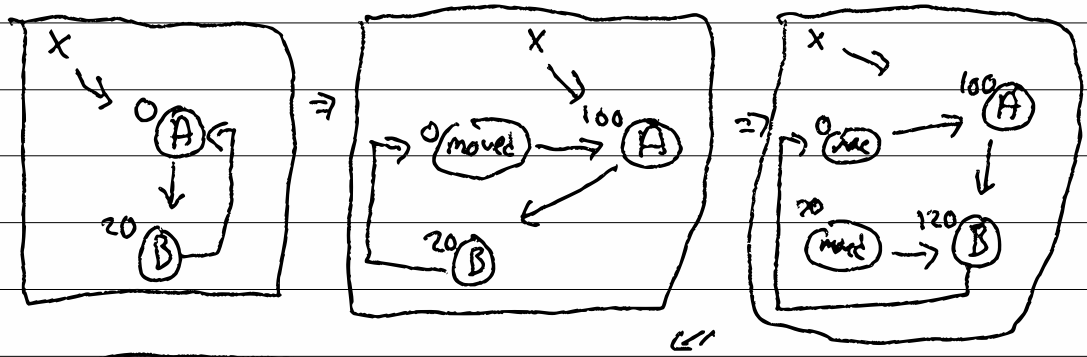


SCAN A

SCAN B



20-7 / After we copy, we update the old obj; with a "forwarding" address



20-8 / How big is a forwarding pointer?

Tag and pointer  
↓ ↓  
always the same word-sized  
(64-bits)

... any object must be able to be changed into a forwarding pointer

... therefore, all objects must be at least word-sized