## Sorting Practice

• Given the following list of integers

## 9 | 5 | 6 | 1 | 10 | 15 | 2 | 4 |

- Sort the list using **bubble sort**. Show your work!
- Sort the list using **insertion sort**. Show your work!
- Sort the list using merge sort. Show your work!
- Describe the best- and worst-case time and space complexity for each of these sorting algorithms as well as for **selection sort**.

## **Induction Practice**

- Prove that merge sort time complexity is O(n log(n))
- Prove for  $n = 2^{k}$  (it is true for other n, but harder to prove)
- That is, show that merge sort performs at most:
- $n \times \log (n) = 2^k \times k$  comparisons of elements





## **Complexity Practice**

• What is the running time of the following method:

```
public void reduce(int n) {
    int result = 0;
    while (n > 1) {
        n = n / 2;
        result = result + 1;
    }
    return result;
}
```

