

• search for j step to put the first jar

breaks: $\text{MINT}(j-1, k-1)$

MAX
(adversary)

not breaks: $\text{MINT}(n-j, k)$

worst case

want j with Minimum (overall)

min j } max break/not } ... }

$$q \geq \log n$$
$$n \leq 2^q$$

or NOT POSSIBLE

~~$k \leq \log n$~~
or
Binary Search

$q = T(n, k) = \text{min \# trials to search (worst case) ladder size } n$
with k jars

$n = R(k, q) = \text{max ladder size that can be searched (worst case)}$
with k jars and q trials

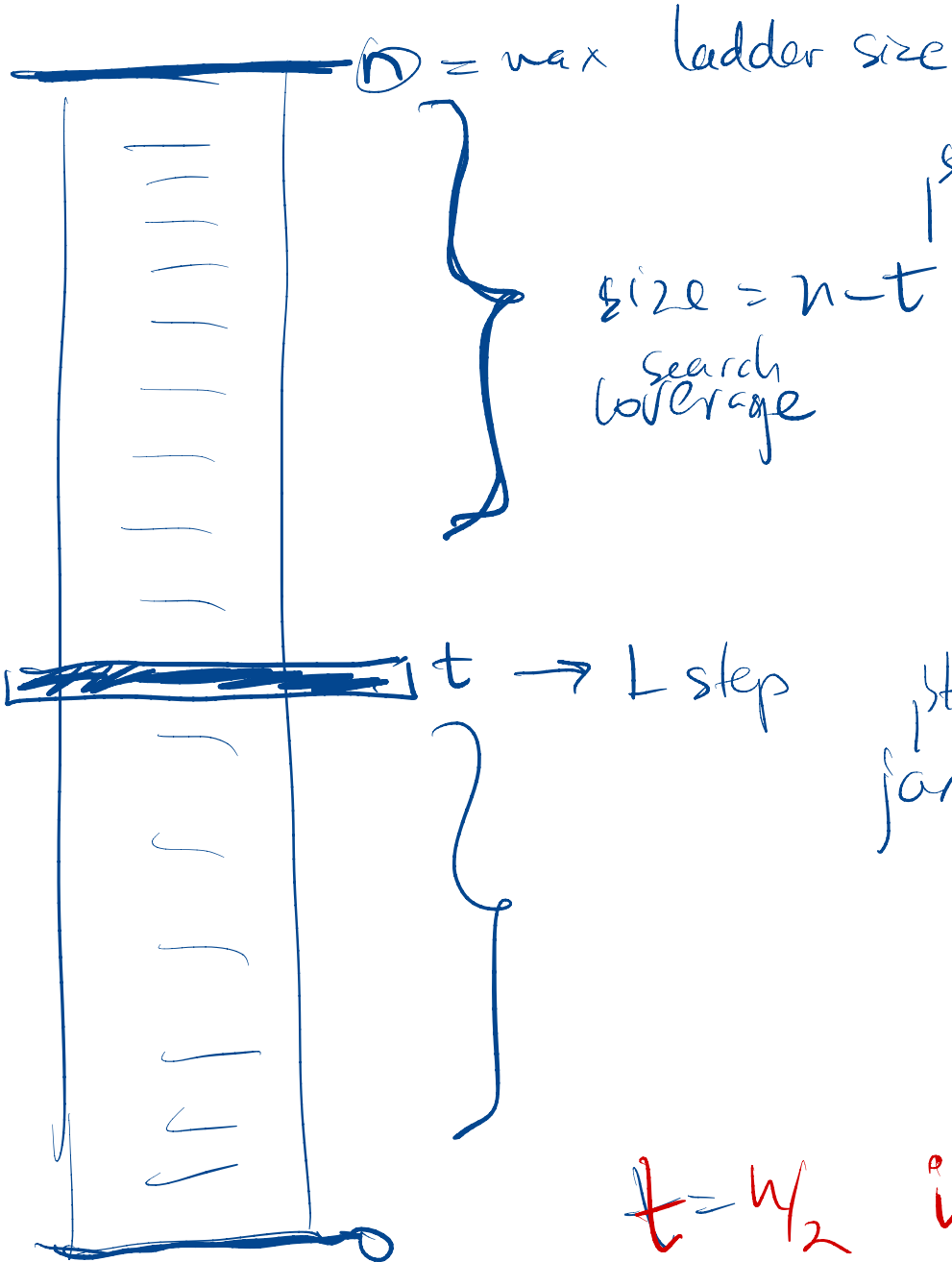
$R(k, q) = \begin{cases} n = 2^q & \text{TRIVIAL} \\ \text{Binary Search} & \end{cases}$
 $k \geq q$

$k < q$

- $k-1$ jars Bin Search
- down to 1 jar \Rightarrow remain trials $(A=?)$ to be enough.

in all break $q - (k-1)$ linear coverage
jars NOT OPTIMAL

$$n = R(k, q)$$



$n \in \text{OPT SOL}$

1st jar does not break

size = $n - t$
search coverage

$$R(k, q-1)$$

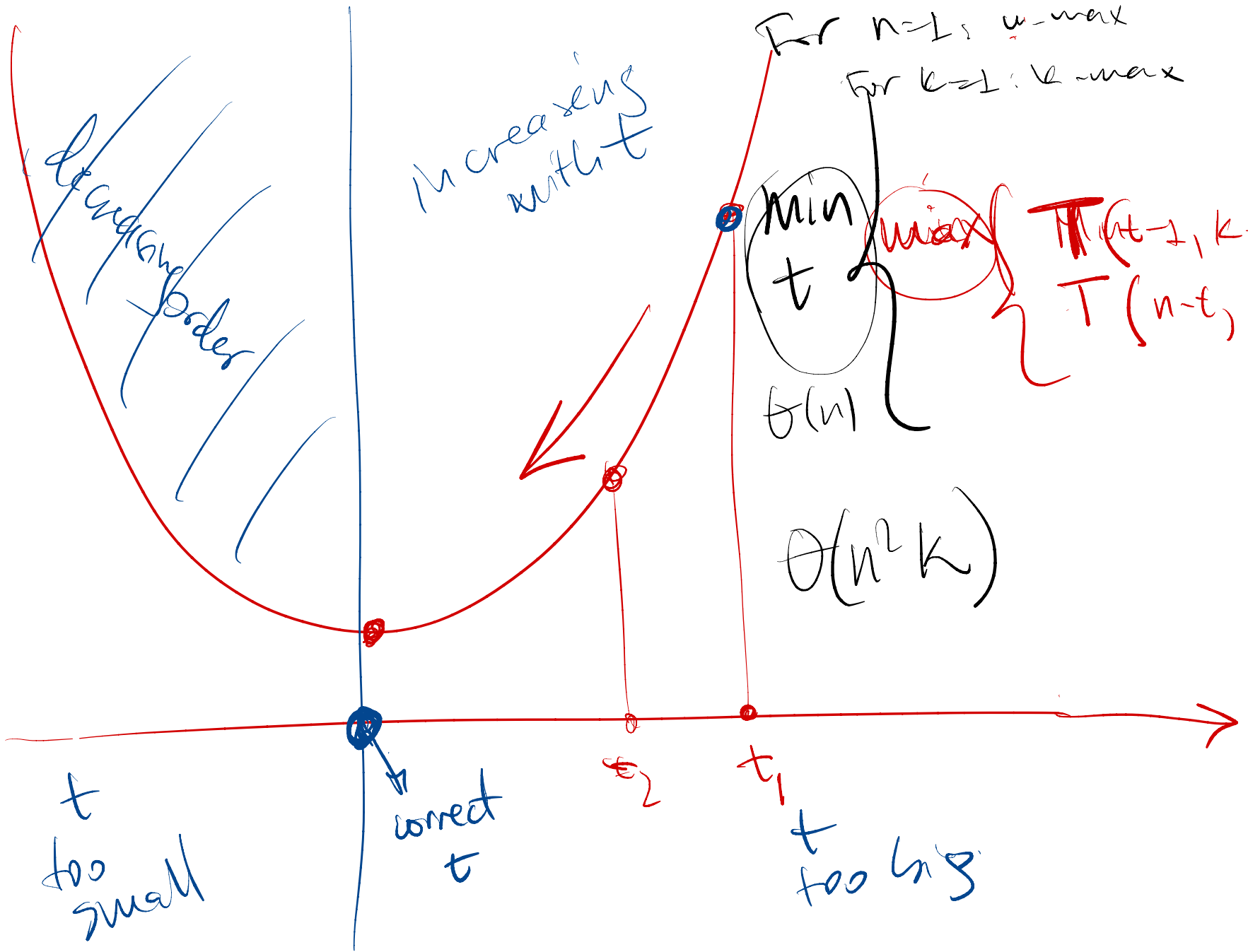
1st jar spot OPT SOL

$t \rightarrow 1 \text{ step}$

1st jar breaks

$$R(k-1, q-1)$$

$$t = \frac{n}{2} \text{ if } \begin{cases} k \geq \log n \\ k \geq \sqrt[q]{n} \\ n = 2^q \end{cases}$$



t too small

correct t

t too big

increasing with t

increasing order

For $n=1, u-max$
 For $k=1, v-max$

min t

$t(n)$

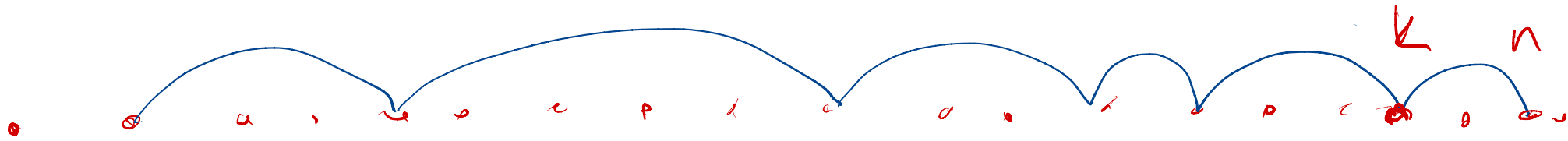
$\theta(n^2 k)$

max

$T(n-t, k)$

$T(n-t, k)$

15.4-5



$c[n]$ = longest increase subseq ending in n
= search for k } previous element $A[k] \leq A[n]$

$$c[n] = \max_k (c[k] + 1)$$

$s[n] = k$ previous element in longest that ending in n

lower both
15.4-5
15.4-6

for $i = 1$ to n

search for k - - -

to compute $c[n]$

→ 15.4-5 linear search $\Theta(n)$

→ 15.4-6 binary search $\Theta(\log n)$

15-4

G line $l_i \quad l_{i+1} \quad l_{i+2} \quad \dots \quad l_j$

words chunk
 $i-j$

characters-sum

$$L_{ij} = \sum_{t=i}^j l_t$$

penalty
(#spaces)

$$(M - L_{ij} - j + i)^3$$

allow 1 space between words.

$$\text{extras}(ij)$$

current last word

$$= \min \left\{ \sum_{G \text{ except last}} \text{penalty}_G \right\}$$

$$= \min \left(c[i-1] + \text{penalty}(ij) \right)$$

∞ if $\text{extras}(ij) < 0$
(words don't fit on line)
0 last line
 $\text{extras}(ij)^3$ other lines.

break at first word on line