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# **Divide and Conquer**

## 4.a. Number of Zeros in a Given Array

**Aim:** Given an array of 1s and 0s this has all 1s first followed by all 0s. Aim is to find the number of 0s. Write a program using Divide and Conquer to Count the number of zeroes in the given array.

**Input Format** 

First Line Contains Integer m – Size of array

Next m lines Contains m numbers – Elements of an array

**Output Format** 

First Line Contains Integer – Number of zeroes present in the given array.

#### Algorithm:

```
initialize c as (right - (mid + 1)) + 1
       return c
     } else {
       // search in the right half
       return count(a, mid + 1, right)
     }
  }
  // check if both ends are 0
  else if a[left] is equal to 0 and a[right] is equal to 0 {
     return right + 1 // return total count of elements
  }
  // search in the left half
  else {
     return count(a, left, mid - 1)
  }
}
function main() {
  initialize n // number of elements
  read n from user
  initialize arr array of size n // array to hold binary values
  // read values into the arr array
  for i from 0 to n - 1 {
     read arr[i] from user
  }
```

```
initialize left as 0 // left index initialize right as n - 1 // ri
```

## **Program:**

```
#include<stdio.h>
int function(int a[],int l,int r)
{
  int mid=0;
  mid=I+(r-I)/2;
  if (a[0]==0)
     return 0;
  else if (a[r-1]==1)
     return r;
  if ((a[mid]==0) && (a[mid-1]==0))
     return function(a,0,mid);
  else if (a[mid]==0)
     return mid;
  else
     return function(a,mid+1,r);
}
int main()
{
  int n;
  scanf("%d",&n);
  int arr[n];
```

```
for (int i=0;i<n;i++)
    scanf("%d",&arr[i]);

int ZeroStart=function(arr,0,n);
    printf("%d",n-ZeroStart);
}</pre>
```

	Input	Expected	Got	
~	5	2	2	~
	1			
	1			
	1			
	0			
	0			
~	10	0	0	~
	1			
	1			
	1			
	1			
	1			
	1			
	1			
	1			
	1			
	1			
~	8	8	8	~
	0			
	0			
	0			
	0			
	0			
	0			
	0			
	0			

## 4.b. Majority Element

Example 1:

**Aim:** Given an array nums of size n, return the majority element.

The majority element is the element that appears more than  $\lfloor n / 2 \rfloor$  times. You may assume that the majority element always exists in the array.

```
Input: nums = [3,2,3]
Output: 3
Example 2:
Input: nums = [2,2,1,1,1,2,2]
Output: 2
Constraints:
   • n == nums.length
   • 1 <= n <= 5 * 104
   • -2^{31} \le nums[i] \le 2^{31} - 1
Algorithm:
int divide(a, l, r, n) {
  // base case: if left index equals right index
  if I is equal to r {
     return a[l] // return the only element
  }
  initialize mid as (I + r) / 2 // find the middle index
  // recursively divide the array
  initialize min as divide(a, l, mid, n) // find min in left half
  initialize max as divide(a, mid + 1, r, n) // find max in right half
  initialize leftc as 0 // counter for min occurrences
  initialize rightc as 0 // counter for max occurrences
```

```
// count occurrences of min and max in the entire array
  for i from 0 to n - 1 {
     if a[i] is equal to min {
       increment leftc by 1 // count occurrences of min
     } else {
       increment rightc by 1 // count occurrences of max
     }
  }
  // check if min occurs more than n/2 times
  if leftc is greater than (n / 2) {
     return min // return min if it is the majority element
  } else {
     return max // return max otherwise
  }
int main() {
  initialize n // number of elements
  read n from user
  initialize a array of size n // array to hold input values
  // read values into the array
  for j from 0 to n - 1 {
     read a[j] from user
  }
```

}

```
initialize I as 0 // left index
  initialize r as n - 1 // right index
  // call the divide function
  initialize result as divide(a, l, r, n)
  print result // output the final majority element
}
Program:
#include<stdio.h>
int count=0;
int Count(int a[],int l,int r,int key)
{
  int mid=I+(r-I)/2;
  if(a[mid]==key)
  {
     count++;
  }
  else
  {
     Count(a,l,mid,key);
     Count(a,mid+1,r,key);
  }
   return count;
```

}

```
int main()
{
  int n;
  scanf("%d",&n);
  int arr[n];
  for(int i=0;i < n;i++)
  {
     scanf("%d",&arr[i]);
  }
  int k=arr[0];
  if(Count(arr,0,n,k)>n/2)
{
     printf("%d",k);
  }
  else
  {
   for(int i=0; i< n/2; i++)
       if(arr[i]!=k)
         printf("%d",k);
         break;
       }
    }
  }
}
```

	Input	Expected	Got	
~	3 3 2 3	3	3	~

## 4.c. Finding Floor Value

**Aim:** Given a sorted array and a value x, the floor of x is the largest element in array smaller than or equal to x. Write divide and conquer algorithm to find floor of x. Input Format

First Line Contains Integer n – Size of array

Next n lines Contains n numbers – Elements of an array

Last Line Contains Integer x – Value for x

#### **Output Format**

First Line Contains Integer – Floor value for x

#### Algorithm:

```
int large(arr, l, r, x){
  // Base case: if the range is invalid
  if r < 1
     return 0 // return 0 when there is no valid element
  // Calculate the middle index
  mid = (l + r) / 2
  // Check if the middle element is equal to x
  if arr[mid] is equal to x
     return mid // return the index of x if found
  // If the middle element is less than x
  else if arr[mid] < x
     // Recursively search in the right half
     floorIndex = large(arr, mid + 1, r, x)
     // Check if a valid floor index is found
```

```
if floorIndex is not equal to 0
        return floorIndex // return the found index
     else
        return mid // return mid as the largest element less than x
  // If the middle element is greater than x, search in the left half
  else
     return large(arr, I, mid - 1, x) // search in the left half
}
Int main()
  initialize n // number of elements in the array
  read n from user
  initialize arr of size n // array to hold input values
  // Read values into the array
  for i from 0 to n - 1
     read arr[i] from user
  initialize I as 0 // left index
  initialize r as n - 1 // right index
  initialize x // the value for which we want to find the largest element less than or equal to
  read x from user
  // Call the large function
  result = large(arr, l, r, x)
```

```
// Check the result

if result is equal to 0

print x // if no valid element, print x

else

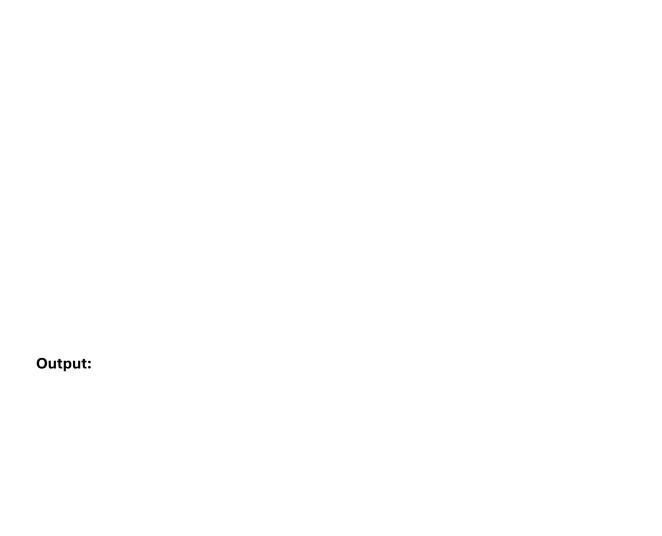
print arr[result] // print the largest element less than or equal to x
```

## **Program:**

int n;

```
#include<stdio.h>
void find(int a[],int l,int r,int key)
{
  if(a[r]<=key)
  {
    printf("%d",a[r]);
  }
  else
  {
    if(l<r)
    {
     int mid=(l+r)/2;
     find(a,mid+1,r,key);
     find(a,l,mid,key);
    }
  }
}
int main()
{
```

```
scanf("%d",&n);
  int a[n];
 for(int i=0;i<n;i++)
 {
    scanf("%d",&a[i]);
  }
  int k;
  scanf("%d",&k);
int a[n];
 for(int i=0;i<n;i++)
 {
    scanf("%d",&a[i]);
  }
  int k;
  scanf("%d",&k);
 find(a,0,n-1,k);
}
```



	Input	Expected	Got	
<b>~</b>	6 1 2 8 10 12 19 5	2	2	*
~	5 10 22 85 108 129 100	85	85	*
<b>~</b>	7 3 5 7 9 11 13 15	9	9	*

#### 4.d. Two Elements Sum to X

Aim: Given a sorted array of integers say arr[] and a number x. Write a recursive program using divide and conquer strategy to check if there exist two elements in the array whose sum = x. If there exist such two elements then return the numbers, otherwise print as "No". Note: Write a Divide and Conquer Solution Input Format

First Line Contains Integer n – Size of array

Next n lines Contains n numbers – Elements of an array

Last Line Contains Integer x – Sum Value

Output Format

First Line Contains Integer – Element1

Second Line Contains Integer – Element2 (Element 1 and Elements 2 together sums to value "x")

#### Algorithm:

```
int findPairWithSum(arr, left, right, x){
    // Base case: if there are no more pairs to check
    if left >= right
        print "No" // No pair found
        return

// Calculate the sum of the elements at the left and right indices
    sum = arr[left] + arr[right]

// Check if the sum is equal to x
    if sum is equal to x
    print arr[left] // Print the first element of the pair
    print arr[right] // Print the second element of the pair
    return

// If the sum is less than x, move the left index up
```

```
if sum < x
     findPairWithSum(arr, left + 1, right, x) // Recursive call with increased left index
  else
     findPairWithSum(arr, left, right - 1, x) // Recursive call with decreased right index
}
function main()
  initialize n // number of elements in the array
  read n from user
  initialize arr of size n // array to hold input values
  // Read values into the array
  for i from 0 to n - 1
     read arr[i] from user
  initialize x // the target sum value
  read x from user
  // Call the findPairWithSum function
  findPairWithSum(arr, 0, n - 1, x)
Program:
#include<stdio.h>
int s1=0,s2=0;
int sum(int a[],int l,int r,int s)
{
  if(l<r)
```

```
{
    int mid=(l+r)/2;
   if(a[mid]+a[r]==s)
   {
      s1=a[mid];
      s2=a[r];
      return 1;
   }
    sum(a,l,r-1,s);
 }
  return 0;
}
int main()
{
  int n;
  scanf("%d",&n);
 int a[n];
 for(int i=0;i < n;i++)
 {
    scanf("%d",&a[i]);
 }
int y=sum(a,0,n-1,x);
 if (y==0)
 {
    printf("%s","No");
 }
```

```
else
{
    printf("%d\n%d",s1,s2);
}
```

	Input	Expected	Got	
~	4	4	4	<b>~</b>
	2	10	10	
	4			
	8			
	10			
	14			
~	5	No	No	~
	2			
	4			
	6			
	8			
	10			
	100			

# 4.e. Implementation of Quick Sort

Aim: Write a Program to Implement the Quick Sort Algorithm

Input Format:

The first line contains the no of elements in the list-n The next n lines contain the elements.

### Output:

Sorted list of elements

```
Algorithm:
int partition(a, left, right)
{
  pivot = right // Choose the last element as pivot
  i = left - 1 // Index of smaller element
  for j from left to right - 1
  {
     if a[j] < a[pivot]
     {
       i++
       // Swap a[i] and a[j]
       temp = a[i]
       a[i] = a[j]
       a[j] = temp
     }
  }
  // Swap a[i + 1] and a[right]
  temp = a[i + 1]
  a[i + 1] = a[right]
```

```
a[right] = temp
  return (i + 1) // Return the partition index
}
function quick(a, left, right)
{
  if left < right
  {
     p = partition(a, left, right) // Partition the array
     quick(a, left, p - 1) // Recursively sort the left sub-array
     quick(a, p + 1, right) // Recursively sort the right sub-array
  }
}
int main()
{
  initialize n // number of elements
  read n from user
  initialize a of size n // array to hold input values
  for i from 0 to n - 1
  {
     read a[i] from user
  }
  quick(a, 0, n - 1) // Call the quicksort function
  // Print the sorted array
```

```
for i from 0 to n - 1
  {
     print a[i]
  }
}
Program:
#include<stdio.h>
void quick(int a[],int l,int r)
{
  if(l<r)
  {
     int p=(1+r)/2;
     int i=l;
     int j=r;
     while(i<j)
     {
       while(a[p]>=a[i])
       {
         i++;
       }
       while(a[p]<a[j])
       {
         j--;
```

```
}
       if(i < =j)
          int temp=a[i];
          a[i]=a[j];
          a[j]=temp;
       }
     }
     int temp=a[j];
     a[j]=a[p];
     a[p]=temp;
     quick(a,l+1,r);
  }
int main()
  int n;
  scanf("%d",&n);
  int a[n];
  for(int i=0;i < n;i++)
  {
     scanf("%d",&a[i]);
  }
```

}

{

```
quick(a,0,n-1);
for(int i=0;i<n;i++)
{
    printf("%d ",a[i]);
}</pre>
```

	Input	Expected	Got	
~	5 67 34 12 98 78	12 34 67 78 98	12 34 67 78 98	~
~	10 1 56 78 90 32 56 11 10 90 114	1 10 11 32 56 56 78 90 90 114	1 10 11 32 56 56 78 90 90 114	~
~	12 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 10 11 90	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 90	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 90	~