

## Agenda

1. Power Function
2. Print array
3. All Indices
4. Check Palindrome





## • Power Function

Given  $a$  and  $n$ , find  $a^n$  using recursion. ( $N \geq 0$ )

$$a = 3, \quad n = 4$$

$$3^4 = 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 = \underline{\underline{81}}$$

### Idea 1

$$a^N = \underbrace{a \times a \times a \times a \times \dots \times a \times a}_{N \text{ times}}$$

$$a^N = a^{N-1} \times a$$

$$\text{power}(a, n) = \text{power}(a, n-1) \times a$$

```
int power(int a, int n){
    if(n == 0) {return 1}
    return power(a, n-1) * a;
}
```



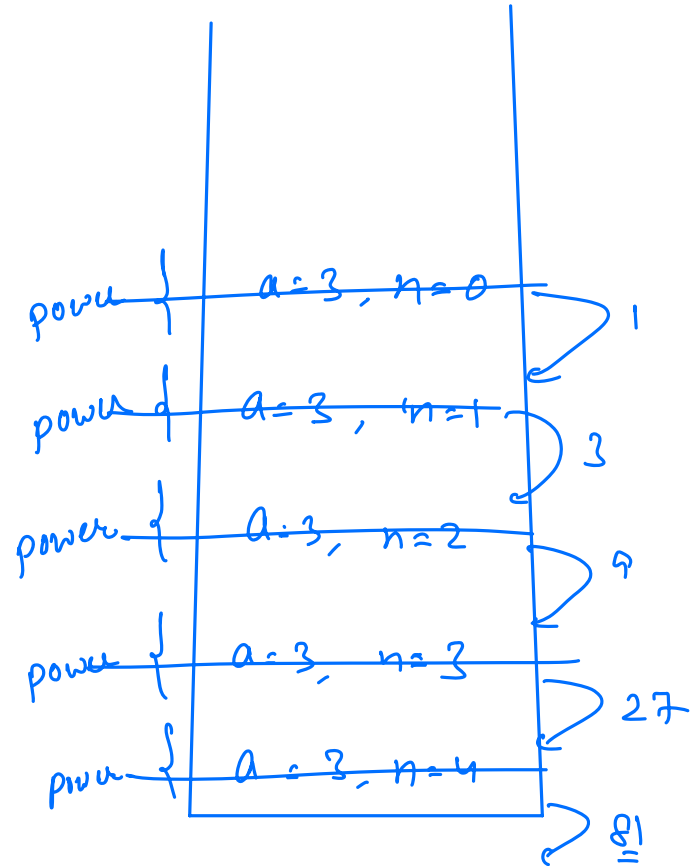
## Idea 1 - Dry Run

```

int power( int a, int n) {
    if (n == 0) { return 1 }
    return power(a, n-1) x a ;
}

```

$T.C \rightarrow O(N)$   
 $S.C \rightarrow O(N)$



$$2^{16} = 2^{15} \times 2$$

$$2^{16} = 2^8 \times 2^8$$

$$3^{64} = 3^{32} \times 3^{32}$$

$$2^{17} = 2^8 \times 2^8 \times 2$$

$$3^{15} = 3^7 \times 3^7 \times 3$$

$$a^N = a^{N/2} \times a^{N/2}$$

if N is even

$$a^N = a^{N/2} \times a^{N/2} \times a$$

if N is odd

if  $n \% 2 == 0$ ,  $\text{power}(a, n) = \text{power}(a, n/2) \times \text{power}(a, n/2)$   
 if  $n \% 2 == 1$ ,  $\text{power}(a, n) = \text{power}(a, n/2) \times \text{power}(a, n/2) \times a$

```
int power (int a, int n){
    if (n == 0) { return 1 }
    if (n % 2 == 0) {
        return power(a, n/2) * power(a, n/2);
    }
    else {
        return power(a, n/2) * power(a, n/2) * a;
    }
}
```

$$\begin{bmatrix} T.C \rightarrow O(N) \\ S.C \rightarrow O(10^9 \cdot N) \end{bmatrix}$$

## junction calls

Diagram illustrating the recursive steps of calculating  $a^b$  using the divide-and-conquer method:

- Root:  $\text{pow}(a, n)$
- Level 1:  $\text{pow}(a, n/2)$  (left),  $\text{pow}(a, n/2)$  (right)
- Level 2:  $a, n/4$  (left),  $a, n/4$  (middle),  $a, n/4$  (right),  $a, n/4$  (far right)
- Level 3:  $a, n/8$  (left),  $a, n/8$  (middle-left),  $a, n/8$  (middle-right),  $a, n/8$  (right),  $a, n/8$  (far right),  $a, n/8$  (far right)



no. of levels  $\rightarrow \log_2 N$

$$\text{total function calls} = \underbrace{1 + 2 + 2^2 + 2^3 + \dots}_{\log_2 N \text{ terms}}$$

$$= \frac{1 \cdot (2^{\log_2 N} - 1)}{(2 - 1)}$$

$$= (N - 1)$$

$$a = 1$$

$$r = 2$$

$$\text{no. of terms} = \log_2 N$$



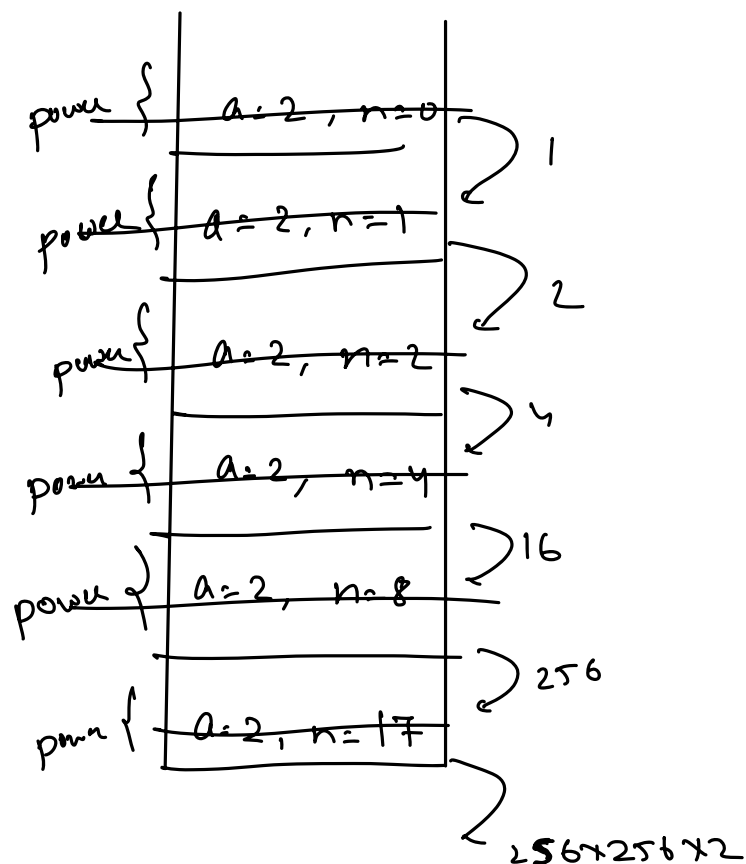
## Optimised Approach

```

int power (int a, int n){
    if (n == 0) { return 1; }
    int p = power(a, n/2);
    if (n % 2 == 0){
        return p * p;
    }
    else{
        return p * p * a;
    }
}

```

$T.C \rightarrow O(\log_2 N)$   
 $S.C \rightarrow O(\log_2 N)$





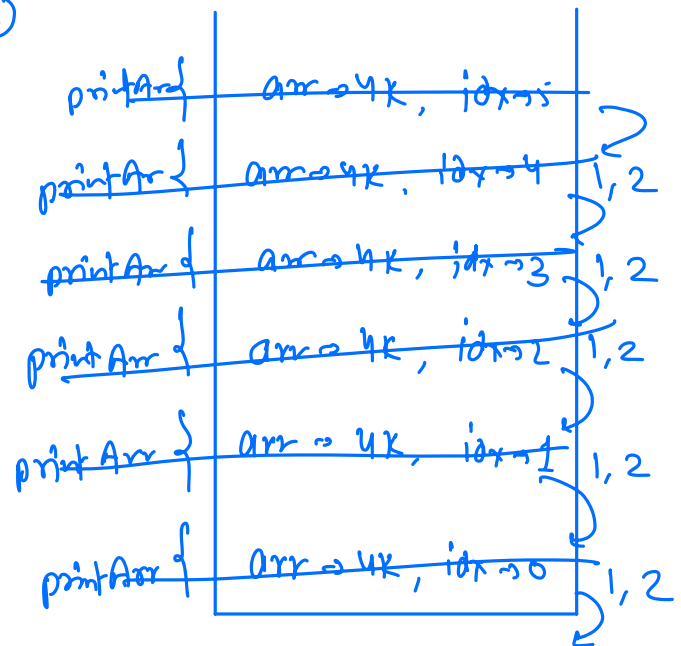
## • Print array using recursion

Given an array of size N, print all its elements.

arr  $\rightarrow$  <sup>uk</sup> [ 5, 2, 7, 3, 4 ]  
                   0   1   2   3   4

```
void printArr( int arr, int idx ){
    if ( idx == arr.length ) { return }
    print ( arr[idx] );           — ①
    printArr ( arr, idx + 1 );   — ②
}
```

T.C  $\rightarrow O(N)$   
 S.C  $\rightarrow O(N)$



o/p  $\rightarrow$  5, 2, 7, 3, 4

find max in array -

```
int findmax ( int [] arr, int idx) {  
    if (idx == arr.length - 1) { return arr[idx] }  
    return Max(arr[idx], findmax(arr, idx+1))  
}
```

find sum of all elements of an array -

```
int sum ( int [] arr, int idx) {  
    if (idx == arr.length) { return 0 }  
    return arr[idx] + sum(arr, idx+1);  
}
```





## • All Indices of Array

Given an array A of size N and target integer B, all all indices where B is present in the array.

arr[ ]  $\rightarrow$  [4, 5, 3, 1, 5, 4, 5]  
                   0 1 2 2 4 5 6

B = 5

arr[ ]  $\rightarrow$  [1, 2, 3, 1, 1] , B = 1  
                   0 1 2 3 4

o/p  $\rightarrow$  [0, 3, 4]

Output - [1, 4, 6]

```
int[] getAllIndices ( int[] arr, idx, count, B){
    if( idx == arr.length) { int[] res = new int[count], return res }

    if( arr[idx] == B){ count ++}

    int[] res = getAllIndices ( arr, idx+1, count, B);

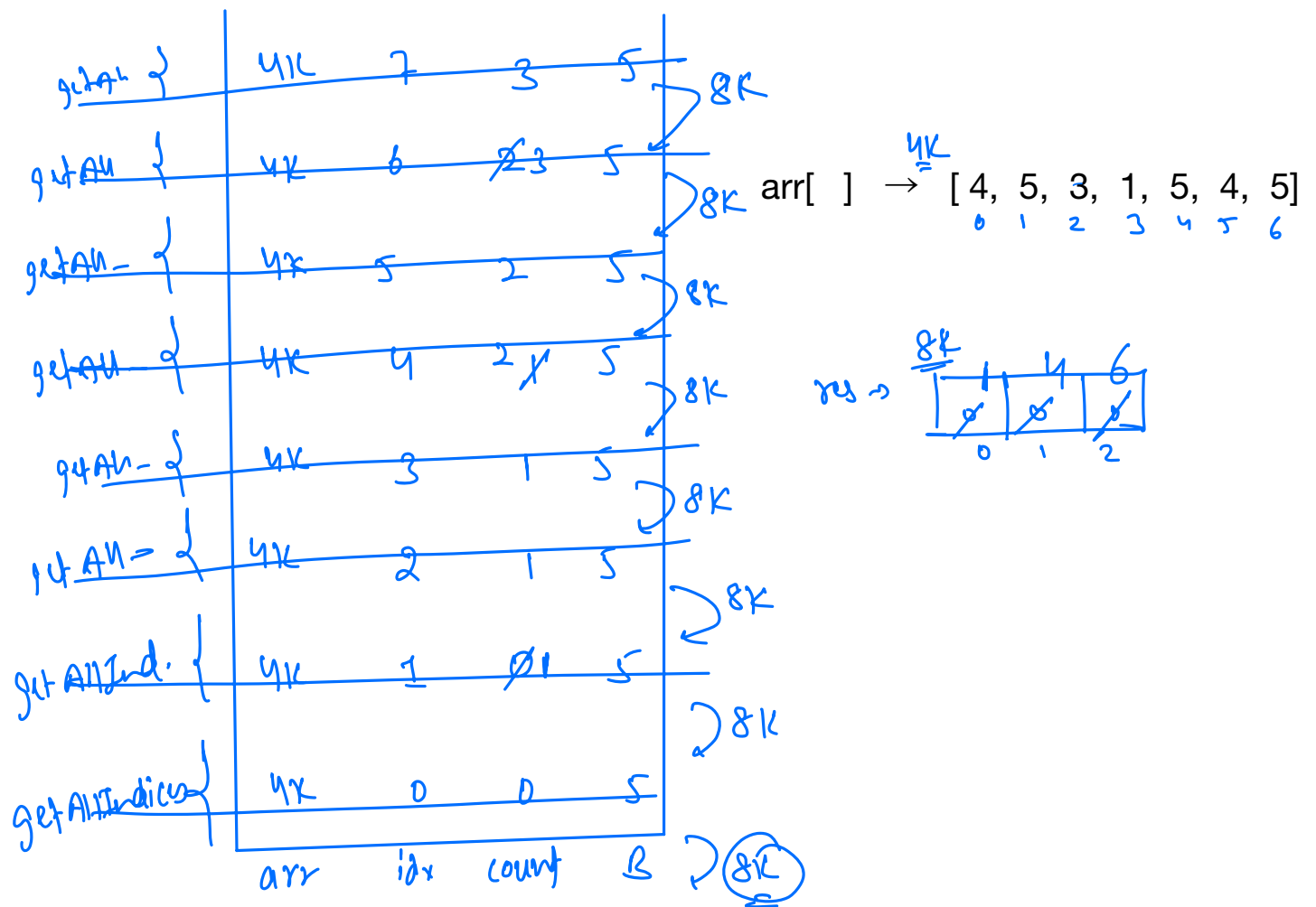
    if( arr[idx] == B){
        res[count-1] = idx ;
    }

    return res;
}
```

T.C  $\rightarrow O(N)$   
 S.C  $\rightarrow O(N)$



## • Dry Run





## • Check Palindrome

Given a String, write recursive function to check if it is a palindrome.

Example -

1. "radar" ans: true

2. "area" ans: false

r a d a r  
 0 1 2 3 4  
       ↑↑  
       1 4

r a d m r  
 0 1 2 3 4  
       ↑      ↑  
       1      4

```

boolean isPalindrome (String str, int l, int r) {
    if (l >= r) { return true; }

    if (str[l] != str[r]) {
        return false;
    }

    return isPalindrome (str, l+1, r-1);
}
  
```

T.C  $\rightarrow O(N)$   
 S.C  $\rightarrow O(N)$

str → a b c b a  
0 1 2 3 4  
          ↑  
          ↓

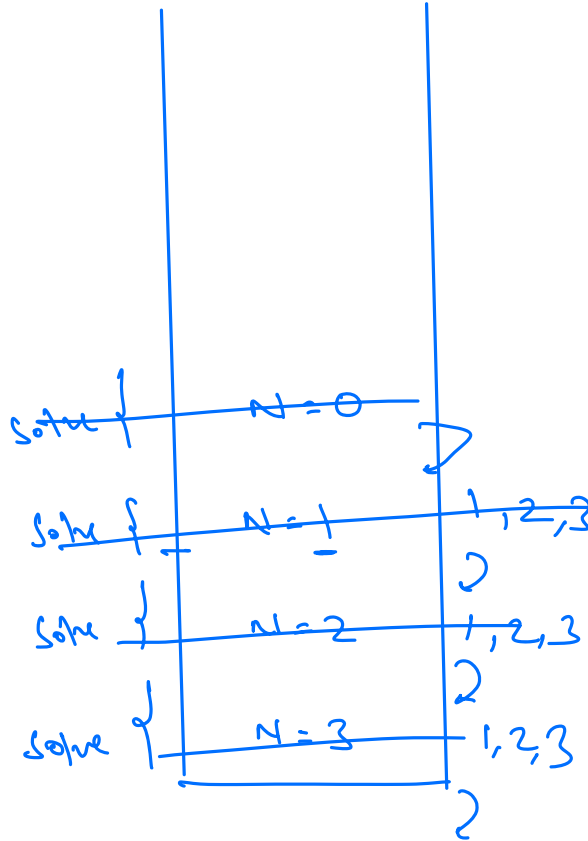
<del>isPal</del>	<del>str → "abcba", l = 2, r = 2</del>	<del>true</del>
<del>isPal</del>	<del>str → "abcba", l = 1, r = 3</del>	<del>true</del>
<del>isPal</del>	<del>str → "abcba", l = 0, r = 4</del>	<del>true</del>

```

void solve(int N){
    if(N == 0)
        return;
    print(N); ——— ①
    solve(N-1); ——— ②
    print(N); ——— ③
}

```

op 3, 2, 1, 1, 2, 3



```
void solve(int N){
```

```
    if(N == 0)
```

```
        return;
```

```
    print(N);
```

```
    solve(N-1);
```

```
}
```

N = -3

⇒ Error → stack overflow.

X

X

→ Tower of Hanoi

→ problems on recursion

⇓

Problem Solving Session.

→ optional.

int fun ( a , n ) {

if ( n == 0 ) { return 1 }

else if ( n % 2 == 0 ) {

return fun ( a \* a , n / 2 ); — ①

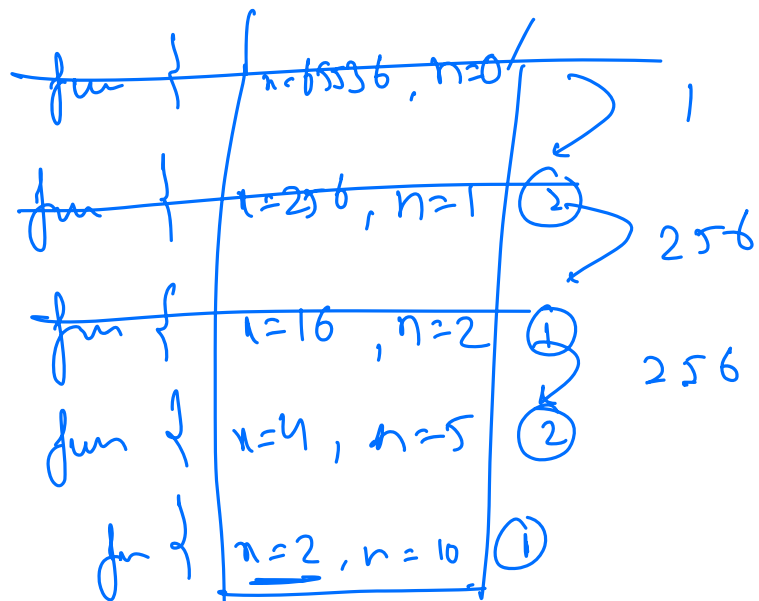
}

else {

return a \* fun ( a \* a , ( n - 1 ) / 2 ); — ②

}

}



$$\underline{N \geq 0}$$