

Data Structures

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# Data Structures

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A **data structure** is a particular way of organizing data in a computer so that it can be used effectively.

For example, we can store a list of items having the same data-type using the **array** data structure.

Memory Location

200	201	202	203	204	205	206	*	*
U	B	F	D	A	E	C	*	*
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	*	*

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Array Data Structure

This page contains detailed tutorials on different data structures (DS) with topic-wise problems.

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- Overview of Data Structures | Set 1 (Linear Data Structures)

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## Linked List:

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- Linked List Deletion (Deleting a key at given position)
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## Stack:

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- Linked List Implementation of Queue
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## Binary Tree:

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- Handshaking Lemma and Interesting Tree Properties
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## Binary Search Tree:

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- Heap Sort
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- Tournament Tree (Winner Tree) and Binary Heap

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## Hashing:

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- Open Addressing for Collision Handling
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- Union and Intersection of two Linked Lists
- Find a pair with given sum
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## Graph:

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- Applications of Depth First Search
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- Detect cycle in an undirected graph
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- Longest prefix matching - A Trie based solution in Java
- Print unique rows in a given boolean matrix
- How to Implement Reverse DNS Look Up Cache?
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**Binary Indexed Tree:**

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- Binary Indexed Tree: Range Updates and Point Queries
- Binary Indexed Tree: Range Update and Range Queries

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- Suffix Array Introduction
- Suffix Array n-Logn Algorithm
- Kasai's Algorithm for Construction of LCP array from Suffix Array
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- Red-Black Tree Introduction
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- Program for Red Black Tree Insertion

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## K Dimensional Tree:

- K D Tree (Search and Insert)
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- Treap (A Randomized Binary Search Tree)
- Ternary Search Tree
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- Implement LRU Cache
- Sort numbers stored on different machines
- Find the k most frequent words from a file
- Given a sequence of words, print all anagrams together
- Tournament Tree (Winner Tree) and Binary Heap
- Decision Trees - Fake (Counterfeit) Coin Puzzle (12 Coin Puzzle)
- Smallest Stack
- Data Structure for Dictionary and Spell Checker?
- Cartesian Tree
- Cartesian Tree Sorting
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- Centroid Decomposition of Tree
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## Array:

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## Matrix:

- Search in a row wise and column wise sorted matrix
- Print a given matrix in spiral form
- A Boolean Matrix Question
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- Print unique rows in a given boolean matrix
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- Dynamic Programming | Set 27 (Maximum sum rectangle in a 2D matrix)
- Strassen's Matrix Multiplication
- Create a matrix with alternating rectangles of 0 and X
- Print all elements in sorted order from row and column wise sorted matrix
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- Count number of islands where every island is row-wise and column-wise separated
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- A data structure for n elements and O(1) operations
- Expression Tree

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