

DAA Assignment-05

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Abstract—In this report we designed a Dynamic Programming algorithm to find the number of subsets of given array of n elements $arr[]$ having XOR of elements as a given number K .

I. INTRODUCTION

Given an array $arr[]$ of size n , we will use dynamic programming approach to find the number of elements having XOR value as K . Here in $dp[i][j]$ we keep a count of number of sets from 0 to $i-1$ having XOR value as j . At the end of the program we will give $dp[n][k]$ as output.

Dynamic Programming is mainly an optimization over plain recursion. Wherever we see a recursive solution that has repeated calls for same inputs, we can optimize it using Dynamic Programming. The idea is to simply store the results of sub-problems, so that we do not have to re-compute them when needed later. This simple optimization reduces time complexities from exponential to polynomial.

II. ALGORITHM DESIGN

Following is Dynamic Programming algorithm

- We initialize all values of $dp[i][j]$ as 0 .
- Set value of $dp[0][0] = 1$ since XOR of an empty set is 0 .
- Iterate over all the values of $arr[i]$ from left to right and for each $arr[i]$, iterate over all the possible values of XOR i.e from 0 to m (both inclusive). Here m is maximum possible value for XOR of any of possible subsets. To calculate m , we take maximum element from array and $m = (1 \ll (\text{int}(\log_2(\text{max}) + 1)) - 1)$;
- Fill the dp array as following:
for $i = 1$ to n :
for $j = 0$ to m :
 $dp[i][j] = dp[i-1][j] + dp[i-1][j \oplus arr[i-1]]$
- This can be explained as, if there is a subset $arr[0 \dots i-2]$ with XOR value j , then there also exists a subset $arr[0 \dots i-1]$ with XOR value j also if there exists a subset $arr[0 \dots i-2]$ with XOR value $j \oplus arr[i-1]$ then clearly there exist a subset $arr[0 \dots i-1]$ with XOR value j , as:
 $j \oplus arr[i-1] \oplus arr[i-1] = j$.
- Counting the number of subsets with XOR value k :
Since $dp[i][j]$ is the number of subsets having j as XOR value from the subsets of $arr[0 \dots i-1]$, then the number of subsets from set $arr[0 \dots n]$ having XOR value as K will be $dp[n][K]$

III. ALGORITHM AND ILLUSTRATION

Brute-Force

Let's take a array $arr = [1, 2, 3, 4]$ and $K=6$

First, we will use brute force approach to calculate all the possible subsets:

Subsets (with size > 1): $[1,2]$, $[1,3]$, $[1,4]$, $[2,3]$, $[2,4]$, $[3,4]$, $[1,2,3]$, $[1,3,4]$, $[2,3,4]$, $[1,2,3,4]$

To calculate XOR of a subset:

We start with first element of subset array and take its XOR with our variable initialised as 0 .

Now we update the variable as we iterate through the subset array by taking its XOR with element in each iteration.

In order to keep a count of subsets with XOR as K we make a variable count and increment it every time when subset's XOR comes out to be K .

var $cnt=0$

XOR($[1,2]$)= 3

XOR($[1,3]$)= 2

XOR($[1,4]$)= 5

XOR($[2,3]$)= 1

XOR($[2,4]$)= 6

$cnt = 1$

XOR($[3,4]$)= 7

XOR($[1,2,3]$)= 0

XOR($[1,3,4]$)= 6

$cnt = 2$

XOR($[2,3,4]$)= 5

XOR($[1,2,3,4]$)= 4

So $cnt=2$ is the solution.

Dynamic-Programming

Let's take a array $arr = [1, 2, 3, 4]$ and $K=6$

Firstly we initialise dp array as 0 . $dp[i][j] = 0$ (for all $i < n$ & $j < n$)

here in $dp[i][j]$ we keep a count of number of subsets from 0 to $i-1$ having XOR value as j $n = \text{sizeof}(arr)$

$dp[0][0] = 1$ (Empty set)

Now take max element from array and use it to calculate maximum possible XOR value (m).

$max=4$

$m = (1 \ll (\text{int}(\log_2(4)+1)) - 1)$

$m = 7$

Now we Iterate over all values of $arr[i]$ from $i=1$ to $i=n-1$. Then for each iteration, we also iterate over all values of XOR.

dp(After 1st Iteration):

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

dp(After 2nd Iteration):

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

dp(After 3rd Iteration):

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

dp(After 4th Iteration):

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now our solution is the value of $dp[n][k] = dp[4][5] = 2$.

IV. ALGORITHM ANALYSIS

Time complexity:

Brute-Force:

One naive approach is to generate all the 2^n subsets and count all the subsets having XOR value K, but this approach will not be efficient for large values of n.

This will result in the time complexity of $O(2^n)$.

Dynamic-Programing:

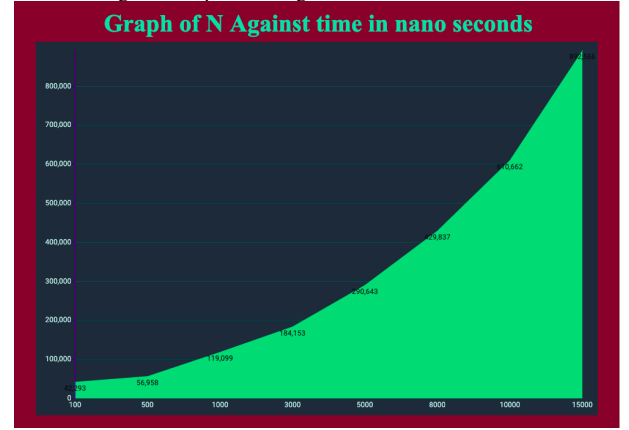
In this approach we iterate over whole array one by one finding and storing the possible subsets that generate a value p we say and store it in the $dp[i][k]$ which will need time to iterate over the array and for each element a loop of time complexity m , where m is the maximum possible value of XOR and could be found from the max value of element in array.

$$m = 2^{\lceil \log_2(\max\text{-element}) \rceil + 1} - 1$$

This will result in the time complexity of $O(n * m)$.

N	M	Time(in nanoseconds)
100	10	42293
500	10	56958
1000	10	119099
3000	10	184153
5000	10	290643
8000	10	429837
10000	10	610662
15000	10	892566

Fig. 1. Graph of N Against time in nanoseconds



N	M	Time(in nanoseconds)
10	100	31042
10	500	63804
10	1000	71490
10	3000	116213
10	5000	204245
10	8000	368717
10	10000	628989
10	15000	912566

Space complexity:

Brute-Force:

In Brute force we will be directly doing XOR operation on the variable or will be resetting the variable, no extra space other than input would be required .

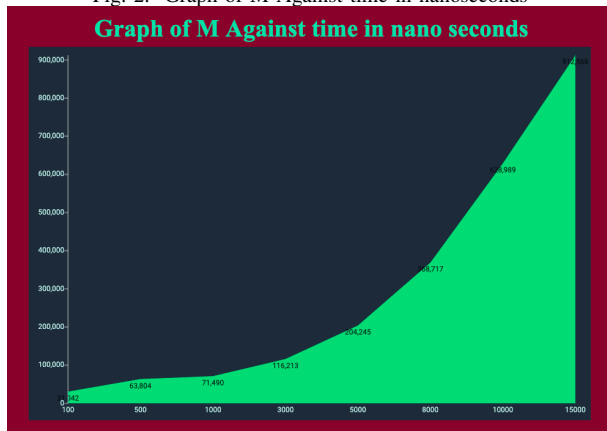
This will result in the space complexity of $O(1)$.

Dynamic-Programing:

In this approach we will have to store the values for all possible cases that are generated, as the $dp[i][j]$ requires $dp[i-1][j]$ and hence a 2D array of size $n * m$ is required where m is same as mentioned above, that is:

$$m = 2^{\lceil \log_2(\max\text{-element}) \rceil + 1} - 1$$

Fig. 2. Graph of M Against time in nanoseconds



This will result in the space complexity of $O(n * m)$.

V. CONCLUSION

We can observe that In Dynamic Programming Approach it may consume more space but will have better time-complexity than Brute force approach.

VI. REFERENCES

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APPENDIX

Code for implementation of this paper is given below:

```
1 #include<bits/stdc++.h>
2 using namespace std;
3 int n,k;
4 int subsetXOR(int arr[])
5 {
6     int max_ele = arr[0];
7     for (int i=1; i<n; i++)
8         if (arr[i] > max_ele)
9             max_ele = arr[i];
10
11     int m = (1 << (int)(log2(max_ele) + 1) ) - 1;
12     if( k > m )
13         return 0;
14     int dp[n+1][m+1];
15     for (int i=0; i<=n; i++)
16         for (int j=0; j<=m; j++)
17             dp[i][j] = 0;
18     dp[0][0] = 1;
19
20     // Fill the dp table
21     for (int i=1; i<=n; i++)
22     {
23         for (int j=0; j<=m; j++)
24             dp[i][j] = dp[i-1][j] + dp[i-1][j^arr[i-1]];
25     }
26
27     // The answer is the number of subset from set
28     // arr[0..n-1] having XOR of elements as k
29     return dp[n][k];
30 }
31
32 // Driver program to test above function
33 int main()
34 {
35     cout<<"Enter number of elements"<<endl;
36     cin>>n;
37     int arr[n];
38     cout<<"Enter the elements"<<endl;
39     for(int i=0;i<n;i++)
40         cin>>arr[i];
41     cout<<"Enter value of K"<<endl;
42     cin>>k;
43     cout << "Count of subsets is " << subsetXOR(arr);
44
45 }
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Listing 1. Code for this paper