

# Must-Do Trie Problems for FAANG Interviews

## 1. Basic Trie Construction & Search

- Implement Trie (Prefix Tree) (LC 208)
- Add and Search Word - Word Dictionary (LC 211)
- Design Word Dictionary (Variant of LC 211)
- Trie Insert and Search (GFG)

## 2. Word Search / Dictionary Problems

- Word Search II (LC 212)
- Replace Words (LC 648)
- Implement Magic Dictionary (LC 676)
- Longest Word in Dictionary (LC 720)

## 3. Prefix & Suffix Related

- Maximum XOR of Two Numbers in an Array (LC 421)
- Maximum XOR With an Element From Array (LC 1707)
- Map Sum Pairs (LC 677)
- Prefix and Suffix Search (LC 745)

## 4. Advanced / Hard Applications

- Palindrome Pairs (LC 336)
- Word Break II (LC 140) – can be solved with Trie + DP
- Concatenated Words (LC 472)
- Stream of Characters (LC 1032)

## **Top 12 Must-Solve (If Time is Short)**

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