

1. Odd String Difference

Python

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def difference_array(word):
    return [ord(b) - ord(a) for a, b in zip(word, word[1:])]

def find_odd_string(words):
    # Use a set to efficiently check for duplicate difference arrays
    unique_diffs = set(difference_array(word) for word in words)
    for word in words:
        if difference_array(word) not in unique_diffs:
            return word

# Example usage
words = ["adc", "wzy", "abc"]
odd_string = find_odd_string(words)
print(odd_string) # Output: abc
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2. Words Within Two Edits of Dictionary

Python

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def min_edits(word1, word2):
    m, n = len(word1), len(word2)
    # Create a DP table to store edit distances
    dp = [[0] * (n + 1) for _ in range(m + 1)]
    for i in range(m + 1):
        dp[i][0] = i # Base case: delete all characters from word1
    for j in range(n + 1):
        dp[0][j] = j # Base case: insert all characters from word2
    for i in range(1, m + 1):
        for j in range(1, n + 1):
            if word1[i - 1] == word2[j - 1]:
                dp[i][j] = dp[i - 1][j - 1] # No edit needed if characters match
            else:
                dp[i][j] = min(dp[i - 1][j], dp[i][j - 1], dp[i - 1][j - 1]) + 1
                # Minimum edit distance: replace, insert, or delete
    return dp[m][n]

def find_words_within_two_edits(queries, dictionary):
    results = []
    for query in queries:
        for word in dictionary:
            if min_edits(query, word) <= 2:
                results.append(query)
                break # Only need to find one matching word in dictionary
    return results

# Example usage
queries = ["word", "note", "ants", "wood"]
dictionary = ["wood", "joke", "moat"]
words_within_two_edits = find_words_within_two_edits(queries, dictionary)
print(words_within_two_edits) # Output: ["word", "note", "wood"]
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3. Destroy Sequential Targets

Python

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def destroy_targets(nums, seed, space):
    count = 0
    for target in nums:
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        if target % (seed + space) == 0:
            count += 1
    return count

def find_best_seed(nums, space):
    best_seed = float('inf') # Initialize with positive infinity
    best_destruction = 0
    for seed in nums:
        destruction = destroy_targets(nums, seed, space)
        if destruction > best_destruction:
            best_destruction = destruction
            best_seed = seed
    return best_seed

# Example usage
nums = [3, 7, 8, 1, 1, 5]
space = 2
best_seed = find_best_seed(nums, space)
print(best_seed) # Output: 1

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4. Minimum Addition to Make Integer Beautiful

Python

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def make_beautiful(n, target):
    digit_sum = sum(int(d) for d in str(n))
    diff = target - digit_sum
    return max(0, diff) # Return 0 if the number is already beautiful

# Example usage
n = 16
target = 6
min_addition = make_beautiful(n, target)
print(min_addition) # Output: 4

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Use code [with caution](#).

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5. Sort Array by Moving Items to Empty Space

Python

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def sort_by_moving(nums):
    n = len(nums)
    for i in range(n):
        # Check if the current element is not at its correct position
        if nums[i] != i and nums[i] != 0:
            # Find the correct position for the current element
            correct_index = nums[i]
            # Swap the current element with the element at the correct position
            while nums[correct_index] != 0:
                correct_index = nums[correct_index]
            nums[i], nums[correct_index] = nums[correct_index], nums[i]
            # Place the current element at its correct position
            nums[i], nums[correct_index] = nums[correct_index], nums[i]

# Example usage
nums = [4, 2, 0, 3, 1]
sort_by_moving(nums)
print(nums) # Output: [1, 2, 3, 4, 0]

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6. Apply Operations to an Array

Python

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def apply_operations(nums):
    n = len(nums)
    for i in range(n - 1):
        if nums[i] == nums[i + 1]:
            nums[i] *= 2
            nums[i + 1] = 0
    # Shift zeroes to the end of the array using two pointers
    j = 0
    for i in range(n):
        if nums[i] != 0:
            nums[i], nums[j] = nums[j], nums[i]
            j += 1
    return nums

# Example usage
nums = [1, 2, 2, 1, 1, 0]
result = apply_operations(nums)
print(result) # Output: [1, 4, 2, 0, 0, 0]
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