# **Algorithm Documentation for Dominator**

## 1. Recursive Approach

#### **Pseudo Code**

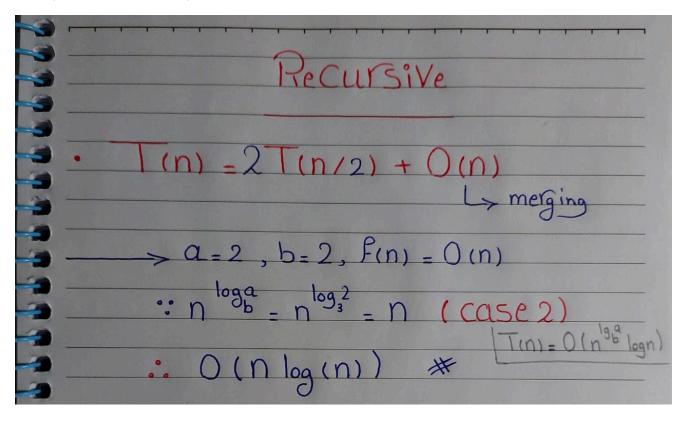
```
FUNCTION findDominatorRecursive(A, left, right):
   IF left == right:
        RETURN left
   mid \leftarrow (left + right) / 2
   leftIndex ← findDominatorRecursive(A, left, mid)
   rightIndex ← findDominatorRecursive(A, mid+1, right)
   leftValue ← A[leftIndex] if valid ELSE MIN_VALUE
   rightValue ← A[rightIndex] if valid ELSE MIN_VALUE
   leftCount ← count of leftValue in A[left to right]
   rightCount ← count of rightValue in A[left to right]
   threshold ← (right - left + 1) / 2
   IF leftCount > threshold:
        RETURN leftIndex
   IF rightCount > threshold:
        RETURN rightIndex
   RETURN -1
```

#### Implementation in Java

```
public class DominatorRecursive {
   public static int findDominator(int[] A) {
       if (A.length == 0)
           return -1;
       return findDominatorRecursive(A, 0, A.length - 1);
   private static int findDominatorRecursive(int[] A, int left, int right) {
        if (left == right)
            return left;
        int mid = left + (right - left) / 2;
        int leftIndex = findDominatorRecursive(A, left, mid);
        int rightIndex = findDominatorRecursive(A, mid + 1, right);
        int leftValue = leftIndex != -1 ? A[leftIndex] : Integer.MIN_VALUE;
        int rightValue = rightIndex != -1 ? A[rightIndex] : Integer.MIN_VALUE;
        int leftCount = 0, rightCount = 0;
        for (int i = left; i <= right; i++) {</pre>
            if (A[i] == leftValue)
                leftCount++;
            if (A[i] == rightValue)
                rightCount++;
```

```
int threshold = (right - left + 1) / 2;
if (leftCount > threshold)
    return leftIndex;
if (rightCount > threshold)
    return rightIndex;
return -1;
}
```

### **Analysis & complexity (steps)**



## 2. Non-Recursive Approach

#### **Pseudo Code**

```
FUNCTION findDominator(A):
    If A is empty:
        RETURN -1

candidate \( \times A[\theta] \), count \( \times 1 \), candidateIndex \( \theta \)

FOR i from 1 to length(A) - 1:
    If A[i] == candidate:
        count += 1

ELSE:
        count -= 1
    If count == 0:
        candidate \( \times A[i] \)
        candidate \( \times A[i] \)
        candidateIndex \( \times i \)
        count \( \times 0 \)

FOR each element in A:
```

### Implementation in Java

```
public class DominatorNonRecursive {
   public static int findDominator(int[] A) {
        if (A.length == 0)
            return -1;
        int candidate = A[0], count = 1, candidateIndex = 0;
        for (int i = 1; i < A.length; i++) {</pre>
            if (A[i] == candidate) {
                count++;
            } else {
                count--;
                if (count == 0) {
                    candidate = A[i];
                    candidateIndex = i;
                    count = 1;
                }
            }
        }
        count = 0;
        for (int value : A) {
            if (value == candidate) {
                count++;
        return count > A.length / 2 ? candidateIndex : -1;
   }
}
```

## Analysis & complexity (steps)

```
NON-Recursive
For i from 1 to n-1
   if A[i] = candidate
         Count++
   else:
        Coun
        if-count == 0:
          Candidate = A[i]
For each elment in A
    if element == candidate:
operation count ++.
   otal time complexity = O(n) + O(n)
```

## 3. Comparison Table

Feature	Non-Recursive	Recursive
Time Complexity	O(n)	O(nlog(n))
Efficient For	Large arrays	small arrays

Feature	Non-Recursive	Recursive
Logic	Simple logic	Divide-and-conquer