

# Sort an array in wave form 1

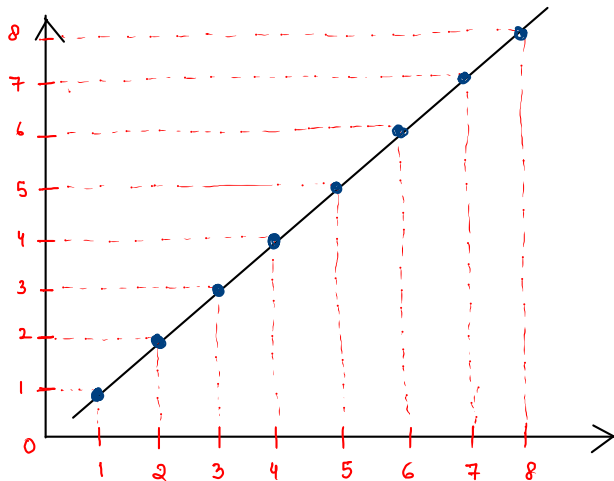
$arr[0] \geq arr[1] \leq arr[2] \geq arr[3] \leq arr[4] \geq \dots$

$n = 7$

arr [10 | 90 | 49 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 23]

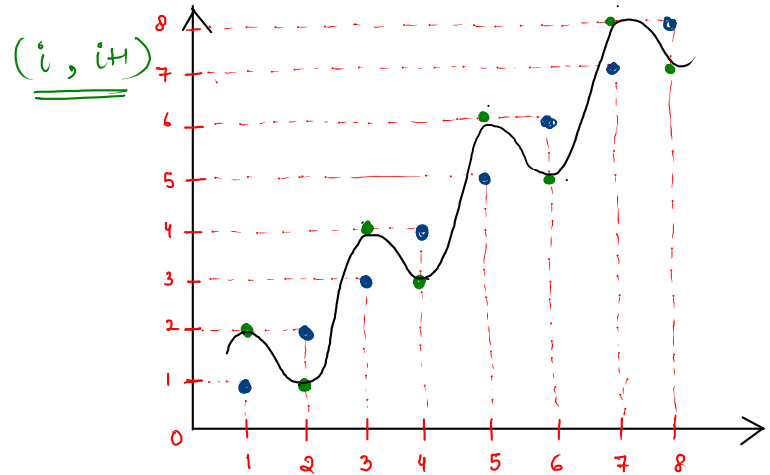
arr = [8, 3, 5, 2, 1, 4, 5, 6]

1) sort the array



arr = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8]

2) swap every adjacent pair



arr = [2, 1, 4, 3, 6, 5, 8, 7]

Note

$$[ \cancel{1}, \cancel{2}, \cancel{3}, \cancel{4}, \cancel{5}, \cancel{6}, 7 ]$$
 odd length

code

```
public static void main(String[] args) {  
    Scanner scn = new Scanner(System.in);  
    int n = scn.nextInt();  
    int[] arr = new int[n];  
    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {  
        arr[i] = scn.nextInt();  
    }
```

```
    int[] ans = sortWave(arr);
```

```
    // printing
```

```
    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {  
        System.out.print(ans[i] + " ");  
    }
```

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}  
public static int[] sortWave(int[] arr) {  
    int n = arr.length;
```

```
    // step 1
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    → Arrays.sort(arr);
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$O(n \log(n))$

```
    // step 2
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    for (int i = 0; i < n - 1; i += 2) {  
        swap(arr, i, i + 1);  
    }
```

$O(n)$

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    return arr;
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}  
public static void swap(int[] arr, int i, int j) {
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    int temp = arr[i];
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    arr[i] = arr[j];
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    arr[j] = temp;
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}
```

$$T.C \cong \underline{\underline{O(n \log n)}}$$

$$T.C = \underline{\underline{O(n \log n + n)}}$$

$$S.C = \underline{\underline{O(1)}}$$

logic

# Minimum difference 7

$n = 4$   
arr = 

0	1	2	3
9	4	1	7

$k = 3$

$\times \quad \underline{\underline{9, 4, 1}} = 8$   
 $\times \quad \underline{\underline{9, 4, 7}} = 5$   
 $\times \quad \underline{\underline{9, 1, 7}} = 8$   
 $\times \quad \underline{\underline{4, 1, 7}} = 6$

$9 \ 4 = 5$   
 $9 \ 1 = 8$   
 $9 \ 7 = 2$   
 $4 \ 1 = 3$   
 $4 \ 7 = 3$   
 $1 \ 7 = 6$

sorting  
arr = 

1	4	7	9
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$k = 3$

ans = ~~8~~ 5

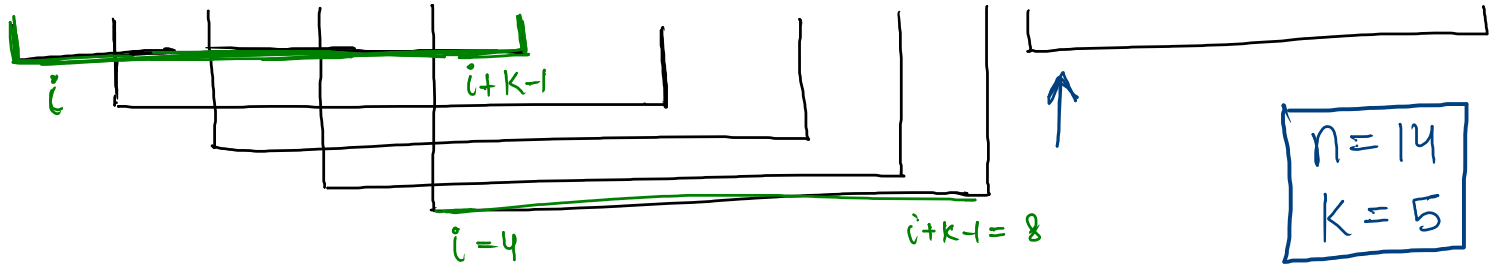
arr = 

5	3	7	-2	-8	19	10	0	1	2	5	-2	-1	7
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→ Sorting, k = 5

arr = 

-8	-2	-2	-1	0	1	2	3	5	5	7	7	10	19
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ans = ~~8~~ 3

$(i \leq n-k)$

loop

for (int i = 0; i <= n - k; i++) {

first = arr[i];

last = arr[i + k - 1];

}

code

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    Scanner scn = new Scanner(System.in);
    int n = scn.nextInt();
    int[] arr = new int[n];
    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
        arr[i] = scn.nextInt();
    }
    int k = scn.nextInt();

    int ans = miniDiff(arr, n, k);
    System.out.println(ans);
}

public static int miniDiff(int[] arr, int n, int k) {
    → Arrays.sort(arr);
    int ans = Integer.MAX_VALUE;
    for (int i = 0; i <= n - k; i++) {
        int smallest = arr[i];
        int largest = arr[i + k - 1];
        int diff = largest - smallest;
        if (diff < ans) {
            ans = diff;
        }
    }
    return ans;
}
```

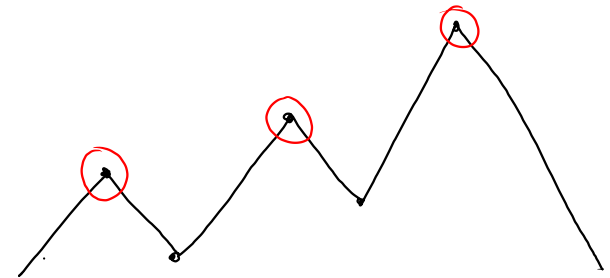
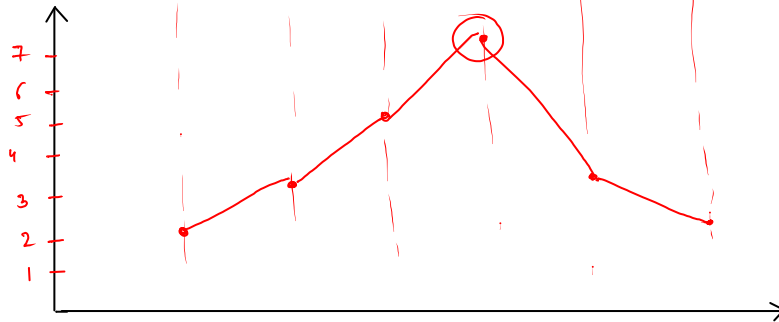
$T.C = O(n \log n + n)$   
 $\cong O(n \log n)$   
where 'n' is size of  
array

$S.C = O(1)$

# Peak Elements

(element which is greater than both its nbr)

arr = [ 2    3    5    7    3    2 ]



code

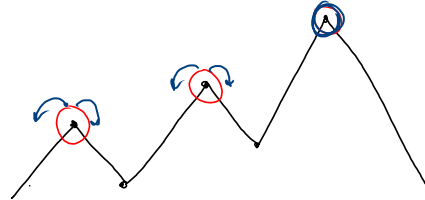
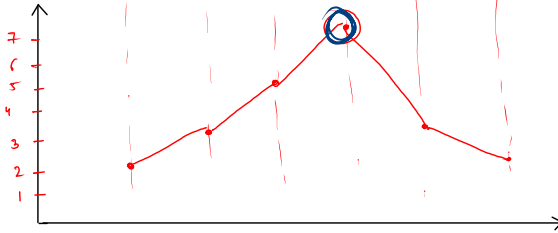
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public static void main(String[] args) {
    Scanner scn = new Scanner(System.in);
    int n = scn.nextInt();
    int[] arr = new int[n];
    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
        arr[i] = scn.nextInt();
    }

    findAllPeakElements(arr, n);
}

public static void findAllPeakElements(int[] arr, int n) {
    for (int i = 1; i < n - 1; i++) {
        int prev = arr[i - 1];
        int curr = arr[i];
        int next = arr[i + 1];
        if (curr > prev && curr > next) {
            System.out.print(curr + " ");
        }
    }
}
```

# Peak Index in a Mountain Array 2

arr = [2, 3, 5, 7, 3, 2]



code

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    Scanner scn = new Scanner(System.in);
    int n = scn.nextInt();
    int[] arr = new int[n];
    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
        arr[i] = scn.nextInt();
    }

    int ans = findAllPeakElements(arr, n);
    System.out.println(ans);
}

public static int findAllPeakElements(int[] arr, int n) {
    for (int i = 1; i < n - 1; i++) {
        int prev = arr[i - 1];
        int curr = arr[i];
        int next = arr[i + 1];
        if (curr > prev && curr > next) {
            return i;
        }
    }
    return -1;
}
```