

Product of array except self.

example: 1, 2, 3, 4 \Rightarrow 24, 12, 8, 6
_{0 1 2 3}

Solution analytics $O(n)$

$$24 = 2 \times 3 \times 4$$

$$1 \times 2 \times 3 \times 4 = 24$$

$$12 = 1 \times 3 \times 4$$

$$8 = 1 \times 2 \times 4$$

$$6 = 1 \times 2 \times 3$$

$$\text{output}[2] = \text{nums}[0] \times \text{nums}[1] \times \text{nums}[3]$$



output is: the product of right products & and left products

1, 2, 3, 4

left products of: i

0 \rightarrow 1
 1 \rightarrow 1 \times 1 = 1
 2 \rightarrow 2 \times 1 = 2
 3 \rightarrow 3 \times 2 = 6
 end.

1, 1, 2, 6
 num[i] * left[i-1]

24, 12, 4, 1
 num[i] * right[i+1]

right products of: i

3 \rightarrow 1
 2 \rightarrow 4 \times 1 = 4
 1 \rightarrow 3 \times 4 = 12
 0 \rightarrow 2 \times 12 = 24
 end

output[0]: left[0] * right[0] = 1 \times 24 = 24
 output[1]: left[1] * right[1] = 1 \times 12 = 12
 output[2]: left[2] * right[2] = 2 \times 4 = 8
 output[3]: left[3] * right[3] = 6 \times 1 = 6

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class Solution {
public:
    vector<int> productExceptSelf(vector<int> &nums) {
        vector<int> left(nums.size());
        left[0] = 1;

        vector<int> right(nums.size());
        right[nums.size() - 1] = 1;

        for (int i = 1; i < nums.size(); i++) {
            left[i] = nums[i - 1] * left[i - 1];
        }

        for (int i = nums.size() - 2; i >= 0; i--) {
            right[i] = nums[i + 1] * right[i + 1];
        }

        vector<int> output(nums.size());
        for (int i = 0; i < nums.size(); i++) {
            output[i] = left[i] * right[i];
        }

        return output;
    }
};
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we can remove the third loop and make its logic inside the second one.