

① Counting sort

1) 1, 4, 3, 2

Input Array

1	4	3	2
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 $max = 4$

array

0	0	0	0	0
0	1	2	3	4

Histogram

0	1	1	1	1
0	1	2	3	4

Count

0	1	2	3	4
0	1	2	3	4

cycle 1 array

1	4	3	2	
0	1	2	3	4

Count

0	1	2	3	4
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Output

1				
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new count

0	1	2	3	4
0	0	2	3	4

cycle 2

array

1	4	3	2
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Count

0	0	2	3	4
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Output

1			4	
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	0	1	2	3	4
new count	0	0	2	3	3

cycle 3

array	1	4	3	2
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	0	1	2	3	4
Count	0	0	2	3	3

	0	1	2	3	4
Output	1		3	4	/

	0	1	2	3	4
new count	0	0	2	2	3

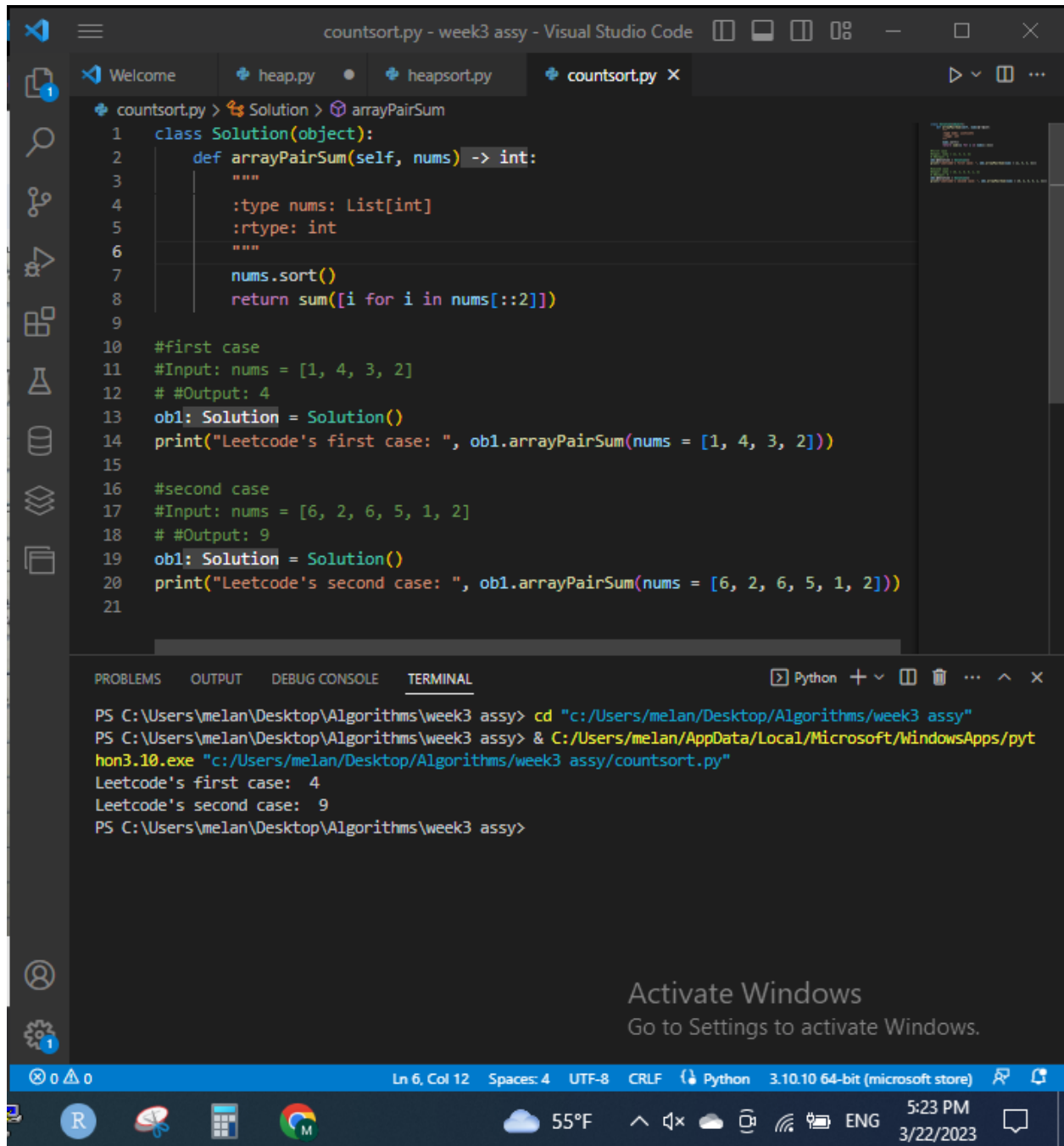
cycle 5

array	1	4	3	2
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	0	1	2	3	4
Count	0	0	2	2	3

	0	1	2	3	4
Output	1	2	3	4	/

	0	1	2	3	4
new count	0	0	1	2	3



CODE

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class Solution(object):
    def arrayPairSum(self, nums):
        """
        :type nums: List[int]
        :rtype: int
        """
        nums.sort()
        return sum([i for i in nums[::2]])

#first case
#Input: nums = [1, 4, 3, 2]
# #Output: 4
ob1 = Solution()
print("Leetcode's first case: ", ob1.arrayPairSum(nums = [1, 4, 3, 2]))

#second case
#Input: nums = [6, 2, 6, 5, 1, 2]
# #Output: 9
ob1 = Solution()
print("Leetcode's second case: ", ob1.arrayPairSum(nums = [6, 2, 6, 5, 1, 2]))
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