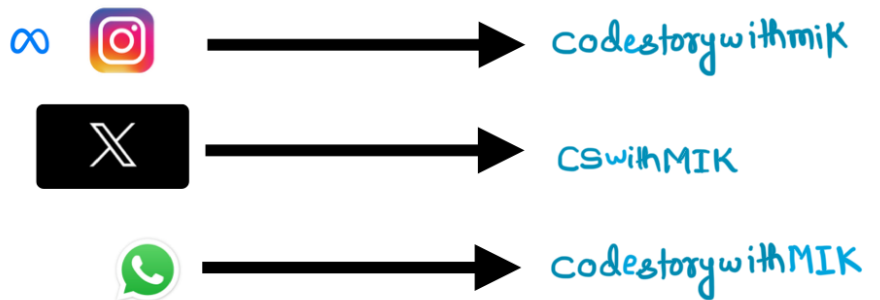


Line Sweep Algorithm

Concepts & Qns



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Motivation :

Take it without consistency is like

thunder without rain: Loud but useless.

Always remember
Consistency
beats
talent



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1943. Describe the Painting

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Hint

There is a long and thin painting that can be represented by a number line. The painting was painted with multiple overlapping segments where each segment was painted with a **unique** color. You are given a 2D integer array `segments`, where `segments[i] = [starti, endi, colori]` represents the **half-closed segment** `[starti, endi)` with `colori` as the color.

The colors in the overlapping segments of the painting were **mixed** when it was painted. When two or more colors mix, they form a new color that can be represented as a **set** of mixed colors.

- For example, if colors `2`, `4`, and `6` are mixed, then the resulting mixed color is `{2,4,6}`.

$$2 + 4 + 6$$

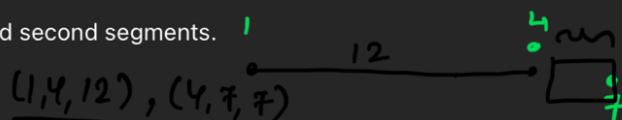
For the sake of simplicity, you should only output the **sum** of the elements in the set rather than the full set.

You want to **describe** the painting with the **minimum** number of non-overlapping **half-closed segments** of these mixed colors. These segments can be represented by the 2D array `painting` where `painting[j] = [leftj, rightj, mixj]` describes a **half-closed segment** `[leftj, rightj)` with the mixed color **sum** of `mixj`.

- For example, the painting created with `segments = [[1,4,5],[1,7,7]]` can be described by `painting = [[1,4,12],[4,7,7]]` because:

- `[1,4)` is colored `{5,7}` (with a sum of `12`) from both the first and second segments.

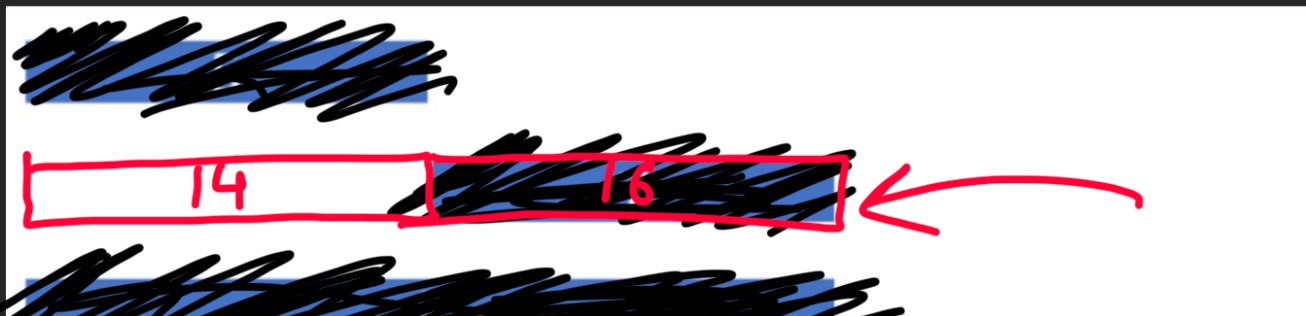
- `[4,7)` is colored `{7}` from only the second segment.

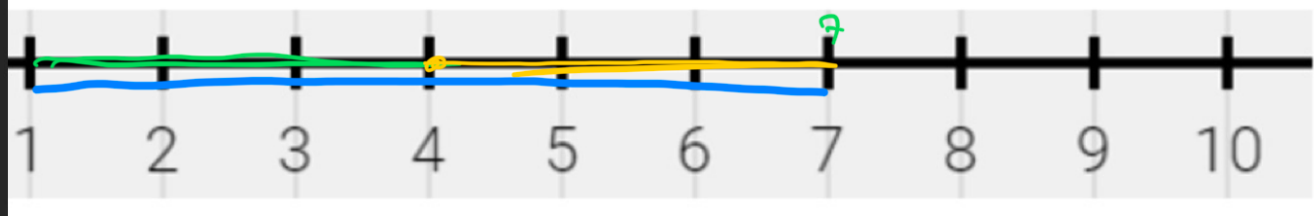


Return the 2D array `painting` describing the finished painting (excluding any parts that are **not** painted). You may return the segments in **any order**.

A **half-closed segment** `[a, b)` is the section of the number line between points `a` and `b` **including** point `a` and **not including** point `b`.

Example 1:





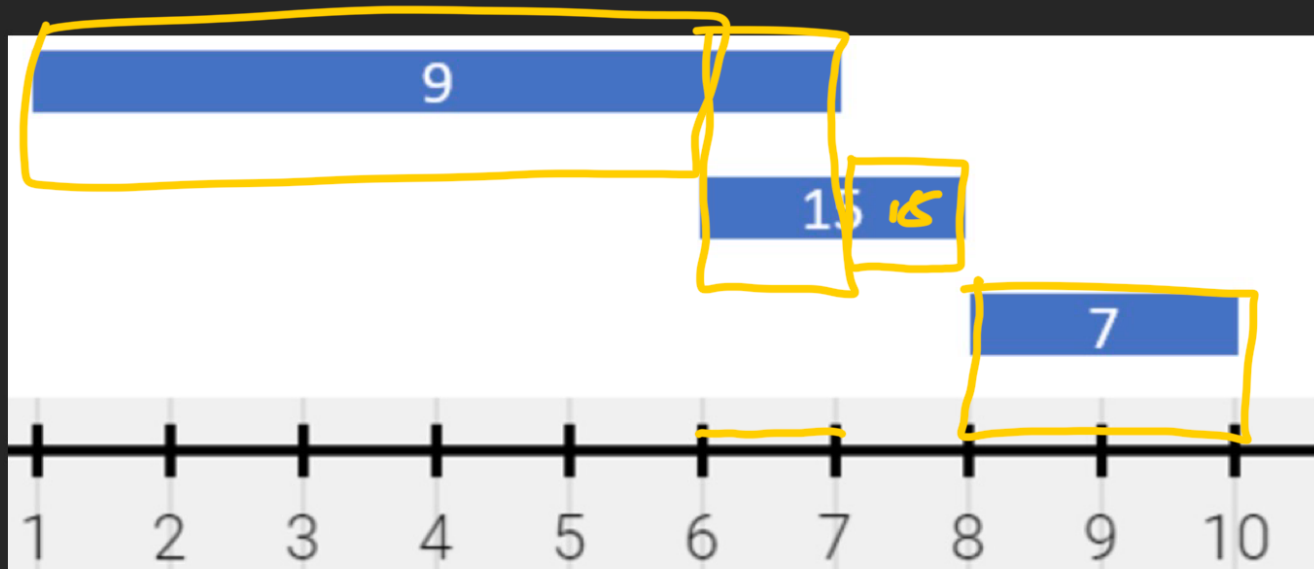
Input: segments = `[[1,4,5],[4,7,7],[1,7,9]]`

Output: `[[1,4,14],[4,7,16]]`

Explanation: The painting can be described as follows:

- `[1,4)` is colored `{5,9}` (with a sum of 14) from the first and third segments.
- `[4,7)` is colored `{7,9}` (with a sum of 16) from the second and third segments.

Example 2:



Input: segments = `[[1,6,9],[6,7,15],[8,10,7]]`

Output: `[1,6,9],[6,7,24],[7,8,15],[8,10,7]`

Explanation: The painting can be described as follows:

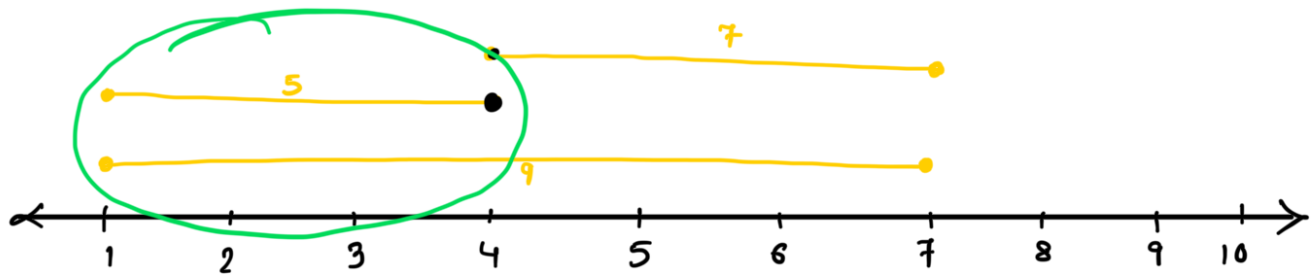
- `[1,6)` is colored 9 from the first segment.
- `[6,7)` is colored `{9,15}` (with a sum of 24) from the first and second segments.
- `[7,8)` is colored 15 from the second segment.
- `[8,10)` is colored 7 from the third segment.

Constraints:

- $1 \leq \text{segments.length} \leq 2 * 10^4$
- $\text{segments}[i].\text{length} == 3$ *{s, e, c}*
- $1 \leq \text{start}_i < \text{end}_i \leq 10^5$
- $1 \leq \text{color}_i \leq 10^9$ *long long.*
- Each color_i is distinct.

Thought Process

nums = { (1, 4, 5), (4, 7, 7), (1, 7, 9) }



$(1, 4, 14)$
 $\uparrow \quad \uparrow \quad \uparrow$

events = $\{ (1, +5), (4, -5), (4, +7), (7, -7), (1, +9), (7, -9) \}$

Sort = $\{ (1, +5), (1, +9), (4, -5), (4, +7), (7, -9), (7, -7) \}$

map
 $[1 \rightarrow 14]$
 $4 \rightarrow 2$
 $7 \rightarrow -16$

\rightarrow
 Sum = 0
 Start = 7

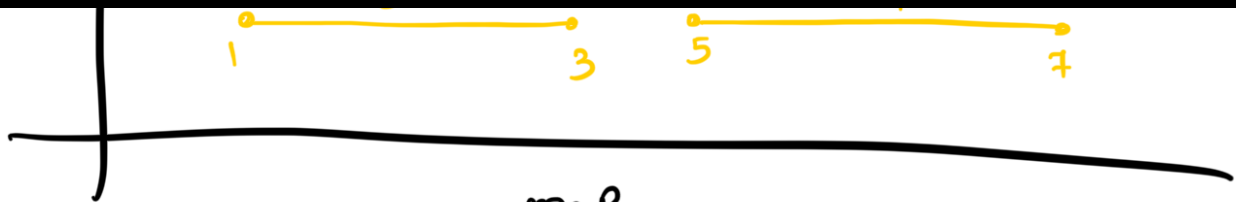
result = $\left(\begin{array}{l} (1, 4, 14), \\ (4, 7, 16) \end{array} \right)$

$(1, 3, 5)$

$(5, 7, 4)$

5

4



map
 begin \rightarrow $1 \rightarrow +5$ it;
 $\rightarrow 3 \rightarrow -5$
 $5 \rightarrow +4$
 $7 \rightarrow -4$

\checkmark
 Start = 7
 Sum = 0

if (sum > 0)
 $\{ (1, 3, 5), (3, 5, 0), (5, 7, 4) \}$

Story to Code:

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map < int , long long > events;
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for (auto & segment : segments) {
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    events[segment[0]] += segment[2];
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    events[segment[1]] -= segment[2];
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}
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vector<vec<int>> result;

auto it = event.begin();

long long Sum = it->second();

long long start = it->first();

it++;

while (it != events.end()) {

if (sum > 0) {

result.push_back((start, it->first, sum));

}

start = it->first;

sum += it->second;

it++;

}

return result;