

Theoretical Computer Science Cheat Sheet

Definitions

$f(n) = O(g(n))$ iff \exists positive c, n_0 such that $0 \leq f(n) \leq cg(n) \forall n \geq n_0$.

$f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$ iff \exists positive c, n_0 such that $f(n) \geq cg(n) \geq 0 \forall n \geq n_0$.

$f(n) = \Theta(g(n))$ iff $f(n) = O(g(n))$ and $f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$.

$f(n) = o(g(n))$ iff $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f(n)/g(n) = 0$.

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = a$ iff $\forall \epsilon > 0, \exists n_0$ such that $|a_n - a| < \epsilon, \forall n \geq n_0$.

$\sup S$ least $b \in \mathbb{R}$ such that $b \geq s, \forall s \in S$.

$\inf S$ greatest $b \in \mathbb{R}$ such that $b \leq s, \forall s \in S$.

$\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n$ $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \inf \{a_i \mid i \geq n, i \in \mathbb{N}\}$.

$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n$ $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sup \{a_i \mid i \geq n, i \in \mathbb{N}\}$.

$\binom{n}{k}$ Combinations: Size k subsets of a size n set.

$[n]$ Stirling numbers (1st kind): Arrangements of an n element set into k cycles.

$\left\{ \begin{matrix} n \\ k \end{matrix} \right\}$ Stirling numbers (2nd kind): Partitions of an n element set into k non-empty sets.

$\langle n \rangle_k$ 1st order Eulerian numbers: Permutations $\pi_1 \pi_2 \dots \pi_n$ on $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ with k ascents.

$\langle\langle n \rangle\rangle_k$ 2nd order Eulerian numbers.

C_n Catalan Numbers: Binary trees with $n + 1$ vertices.

Series

$$\sum_{i=1}^n i = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}, \quad \sum_{i=1}^n i^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}, \quad \sum_{i=1}^n i^3 = \frac{n^2(n+1)^2}{4}.$$

In general:

$$\sum_{i=1}^n i^m = \frac{1}{m+1} \left[(n+1)^{m+1} - 1 - \sum_{i=1}^n ((i+1)^{m+1} - i^{m+1} - (m+1)i^m) \right]$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} i^m = \frac{1}{m+1} \sum_{k=0}^m \binom{m+1}{k} B_k n^{m+1-k}.$$

Geometric series:

$$\sum_{i=0}^n c^i = \frac{c^{n+1} - 1}{c - 1}, \quad c \neq 1, \quad \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} c^i = \frac{1}{1 - c}, \quad \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} c^i = \frac{c}{1 - c}, \quad |c| < 1,$$

$$\sum_{i=0}^n ic^i = \frac{nc^{n+2} - (n+1)c^{n+1} + c}{(c-1)^2}, \quad c \neq 1, \quad \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} ic^i = \frac{c}{(1-c)^2}, \quad |c| < 1.$$

Harmonic series:

$$H_n = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i}, \quad \sum_{i=1}^n iH_i = \frac{n(n+1)}{2} H_n - \frac{n(n-1)}{4}.$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n H_i = (n+1)H_n - n, \quad \sum_{i=1}^n \binom{i}{m} H_i = \binom{n+1}{m+1} \left(H_{n+1} - \frac{1}{m+1} \right).$$

$$1. \binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{(n-k)!k!}, \quad 2. \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} = 2^n, \quad 3. \binom{n}{k} = \binom{n}{n-k},$$

$$4. \binom{n}{k} = \frac{n}{k} \binom{n-1}{k-1}, \quad 5. \binom{n}{k} = \binom{n-1}{k} + \binom{n-1}{k-1},$$

$$6. \binom{n}{m} \binom{m}{k} = \binom{n}{k} \binom{n-k}{m-k}, \quad 7. \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{r+k}{k} = \binom{r+n+1}{n},$$

$$8. \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{k}{m} = \binom{n+1}{m+1}, \quad 9. \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{r}{k} \binom{s}{n-k} = \binom{r+s}{n},$$

$$10. \binom{n}{k} = (-1)^k \binom{k-n-1}{k}, \quad 11. \left\{ \begin{matrix} n \\ 1 \end{matrix} \right\} = \left\{ \begin{matrix} n \\ n \end{matrix} \right\} = 1,$$

$$12. \left\{ \begin{matrix} n \\ 2 \end{matrix} \right\} = 2^{n-1} - 1, \quad 13. \left\{ \begin{matrix} n \\ k \end{matrix} \right\} = k \left\{ \begin{matrix} n-1 \\ k \end{matrix} \right\} + \left\{ \begin{matrix} n-1 \\ k-1 \end{matrix} \right\},$$

$$14. \left[\begin{matrix} n \\ 1 \end{matrix} \right] = (n-1)!, \quad 15. \left[\begin{matrix} n \\ 2 \end{matrix} \right] = (n-1)! H_{n-1}, \quad 16. \left[\begin{matrix} n \\ n \end{matrix} \right] = 1, \quad 17. \left[\begin{matrix} n \\ k \end{matrix} \right] \geq \left\{ \begin{matrix} n \\ k \end{matrix} \right\},$$

$$18. \left[\begin{matrix} n \\ k \end{matrix} \right] = (n-1) \left[\begin{matrix} n-1 \\ k \end{matrix} \right] + \left[\begin{matrix} n-1 \\ k-1 \end{matrix} \right], \quad 19. \left\{ \begin{matrix} n \\ n-1 \end{matrix} \right\} = \left[\begin{matrix} n \\ n-1 \end{matrix} \right] = \binom{n}{2}, \quad 20. \sum_{k=0}^n \left[\begin{matrix} n \\ k \end{matrix} \right] = n!, \quad 21. C_n = \frac{1}{n+1} \binom{2n}{n},$$

$$22. \langle n \rangle_0 = \langle n \rangle_{n-1} = 1, \quad 23. \langle n \rangle_k = \langle n \rangle_{n-1-k}, \quad 24. \langle n \rangle_k = (k+1) \langle n-1 \rangle_k + (n-k) \langle n-1 \rangle_{k-1},$$

$$25. \langle n \rangle_k = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } k=0, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}, \quad 26. \langle n \rangle_1 = 2^n - n - 1, \quad 27. \langle n \rangle_2 = 3^n - (n+1)2^n + \binom{n+1}{2},$$

$$28. x^n = \sum_{k=0}^n \langle n \rangle_k \binom{x+k}{n}, \quad 29. \langle n \rangle_m = \sum_{k=0}^m \binom{n+1}{k} (m+1-k)^n (-1)^k, \quad 30. m! \left\{ \begin{matrix} n \\ m \end{matrix} \right\} = \sum_{k=0}^n \langle n \rangle_k \binom{k}{n-m},$$

$$31. \langle n \rangle_m = \sum_{k=0}^n \left\{ \begin{matrix} n \\ k \end{matrix} \right\} \binom{n-k}{m} (-1)^{n-k-m} k!, \quad 32. \langle\langle n \rangle\rangle_0 = 1, \quad 33. \langle\langle n \rangle\rangle_n = 0 \text{ for } n \neq 0,$$

$$34. \langle\langle n \rangle\rangle_k = (k+1) \langle\langle n-1 \rangle\rangle_k + (2n-1-k) \langle\langle n-1 \rangle\rangle_{k-1}, \quad 35. \sum_{k=0}^n \langle\langle n \rangle\rangle_k = \frac{(2n)^n}{2^n},$$

$$36. \left\{ \begin{matrix} x \\ x-n \end{matrix} \right\} = \sum_{k=0}^n \langle\langle n \rangle\rangle_k \binom{x+n-1-k}{2n}, \quad 37. \left\{ \begin{matrix} n+1 \\ m+1 \end{matrix} \right\} = \sum_k \binom{n}{k} \left\{ \begin{matrix} k \\ m \end{matrix} \right\} = \sum_{k=0}^n \left\{ \begin{matrix} k \\ m \end{matrix} \right\} (m+1)^{n-k},$$

Template

```
#include <bits/stdc++.h>
#define debug(a) cout << #a << ": " << a << endl
#define test() int t; cin >> t; while(t--)
#define all(a) a.begin(), a.end()
#define fillWith(a, b) memset(a, b, sizeof(a))
#define Mod 1000000007
#define F first                                #define S second
#define pb push_back
#define goFast() ios::sync_with_stdio(0); cin.tie(0);
cout.tie(0)
#define files(x) freopen(x, "r", stdin)
typedef long ll;
typedef long double ld;
```

- **Fibonacci:**

- Cassini's identity: $F_{n-1}F_{n+1} - F_n^2 = (-1)^n$
- The "addition" rule : $F_{n+k} = F_kF_{n+1} + F_{k-1}F_n$
- $K=n : F_{2n} = F_n(F_{n+1} + F_{n-1})$
- For any positive integer k, F_{nk} is multiple of F_n
- The inverse is true, if F_m is multiple of F_n then m is multiple of n.
- GCD : $GCD(F_m, F_n) = F_{GCD(m,n)}$
- $f(n) = \frac{(1+\sqrt{5})^n - (1-\sqrt{5})^n}{2^n\sqrt{5}}$

- **Sieve:**

```
const int MAX = 1e8;
bool prime[MAX];
void sieveOfEratosthenes(int n){
    for (int p = 2; p * p <= n; p++){
        if (prime[p] == true){
            for (int i = p * p; i <= n; i += p)
                prime[i] = false;
        }
    }
}
```

```
fillWith(prime, true); //in main
```

- **Comination :**

```
int dp[100][100];
int combination(int n, int r){
    // nCr
    if(n == r || r == 0) return 1;
    if(dp[n][r] != -1) return dp[n][r];
    return dp[n][r] = combination(n - 1, r - 1) + combination(n - 1, r);
}
```

```
fillWith(dp, -1);
```

- **Grapeee's Combinations:**

```
const int mod = 1e9 + 7;
int fa[100100];
int mul(int x, int y){
    return (ll) x * y % mod;
}
int po(int x, int y){
    if (!y) return 1;
    if (y & 1) return mul(x, po(x, y - 1));
    int z = po(x, y / 2);
    return mul(z, z);
}
int inv(int x){
    return po(x, mod - 2);
}
int C(int x, int y){
    if (y > x) return 0;
    return mul(mul(fa[x], inv(fa[y])), inv(fa[x - y]));
}
int main(){ goFast(); fa[0] = 1; for (int i = 1; i <= 1e5; i++) fa[i] = mul(fa[i - 1], i); }
```

segment tree:

```
const int MAXN = 1000100;
int n, m, t[4*MAXN];
int lazy[4*MAXN];
```

❖ **Build :**

```
void build(int v, int tl, int tr) {
    if (tl == tr) {
        t[v] = 0;
    } else {
        int tm = (tl + tr) / 2;
        build(v*2, tl, tm);
        build(v*2+1, tm+1, tr);
        t[v] = t[v*2] + t[v*2+1];
    }
}
```

❖ **push :**

```
void push(int v) {
    if (lazy[v]) {
        t[v*2] += lazy[v];
        t[v*2+1] += lazy[v];
        lazy[v*2] += lazy[v];
        lazy[v*2+1] += lazy[v];
    }
}
```

```

        lazy[v] = 0;
    }
}

```

❖ Update :

```

void update(int v, int tl, int tr, int l, int r, int new_val) {
    // cout << v << ' ' << tl << ' ' << tr << ' ' << l << ' ' << r << endl;
    if (l > r)
        return;
    if (l == tl && tr == r) {
        t[v] += new_val;
        lazy[v] += new_val;
    } else {
        push(v);
        int tm = (tl + tr) / 2;
        update(v*2, tl, tm, l, min(r, tm), new_val);
        update(v*2+1, tm+1, tr, max(l, tm+1), r, new_val);
        t[v] = t[v*2] + t[v*2+1];
    }
}

```

❖ get :

```

int get(int v, int tl, int tr, int i) { //cout << v << ' ' << tl << ' ' << tr << ' ' << i << endl;
    //cout << t[v] << endl;
    if (tl == tr)
        return t[tl];
    push(v);
    int tm = (tl + tr) / 2;
    if (i > tm)
        return get(v*2+1, tm+1, tr, i);
    else
        return get(v*2, tl, tm, i);
}

```

Find in strings

```

string str = "x";
size_t found = str.find("x");
if(found != string::npos) cout << "Found at index: " << found;

```

Ordered_set

```

#include <ext/pb_ds/assoc_container.hpp>

```

```

using namespace __gnu_pbds;

typedef tree<int,null_type,less<int>,rb_tree_tag,
tree_order_statistics_node_update> indexed_set;

auto x = s.find_by_order(2);

cout << s.order_of_key(7) << "\n";

```

Graph :

```

int n, m, visited[200200];
vector<int> myGraph[200200];

```

❖ add weighted edge :

```

void addWeightedEdge(int u, int v, int w){
    myGraph[u].push_back({w,v});
    myGraph[v].push_back({w,u});
}

```

❖ DFS :

```

void dfs(int u){
    if (visited[u])
        return;
    visited[u] = 1;
    for (int v : myGraph[u])
        dfs(v);
}

```

❖ BFS:

```

void bfs(int u){
    queue<int> q;
    q.push(u);
    visited[u] = true;
    while(!q.empty()){
        int s = q.front();
        q.pop();
        for(int v : myGraph[s]){
            if(!visited[v]){
                visited[v] = true;
                q.push(v);
            }
        }
    }
}

```

❖ BFS shortest path

```

vector<int> BFSshortestPath(int start){
    queue<int> q;
    vector<int> distance(n + 1, 1e8);

```

```

q.push(start);
distance[start] = 0;
while (!q.empty()){
    int parent = q.front();
    q.pop();
    for (int son : myGraph[parent]){
        if (distance[son] > distance[parent] + 1){
            distance[son] = distance[parent] + 1;
            q.push(son);
        }
    }
}
return distance;
}

```

❖ 01BFS :

```

vector<int> 01Bfs(int start){
    deque<int> q;
    vector<int> distance(n + 1, 1e8);
    q.push_front(start);
    distance[start] = 0;
    while (!q.empty()){
        int parent = q.front();
        q.pop_front();
        for (auto pairSon : MyGraph[parent]){
            int son = pairSon.first;
            int weight = pairSon.second;
            if (distance[son] > distance[parent] + weight){
                distance[son] = distance[parent] + weight;
                if (weight == 0)
                    q.push_front(son);
                else
                    q.push_back(son);
            }
        }
    }
    return distance;
}

```

❖ Dijkstra :

```

vector<ll> Dijkstra(int source){
    priority_queue<pair<ll, int>> q;
    vector<ll> Dist(n + 1, 1e18);
    Dist[source] = 0;
    q.push({Dist[source], source});
    while (!q.empty()){
        pair<ll, int> Top = q.top();
    }
}

```

```

        q.pop();
        int Parent = Top.second;
        ll DistParent = (-1) * Top.first;
        if (DistParent > Dist[Parent])
            continue; // Very Important
        for (auto PairSon : MyGraph[Parent]){
            int son = PairSon.second;
            ll Weight = PairSon.first;
            if (DistParent + Weight < Dist[son]){
                Dist[son] = DistParent + Weight;
                q.push({(-1) * Dist[son], son});
            }
        }
    }
    return Dist;
}

```

❖ Floyd :

```

int Distance[555][555];
void Initiate(){
    for(int i = 1; i <= n; i++)
        for(int j = 1; j <= n; j++)
            Distance[i][j] = 1e9;
    for(int i = 1; i <= n; i++)
        Distance[i][i] = 0;
}
void Floyd(){
    for(int k = 1; k <= n; k++)
        for(int i = 1; i <= n; i++)
            for(int j = 1; j <= n; j++)
                Distance[i][j] = min(Distance[i][j], Distance[i][k] + Distance[k][j]);
}

```

❖ DSU:

```

int parent[200200], sizee[200200], numberOfComponents = n;
int root(int x){
    if (x == parent[x])
        return x;
    return parent[x] = root(parent[x]);
}
void Union(int x, int y){
    int rx = root(x);
    int ry = root(y);
    if (rx != ry){
        parent[rx] = ry;
        sizee[ry] += sizee[rx];
        numberOfComponents--;
    }
}

```

```

    }
}

for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++){ // In Main
    parent[i] = i;
    sizee[i] = 1;
}

```

❖ Graph On Grid

```

int N;
bool vis[N][N];
// direction vectors:
int dr = {-1, 1, 0, 0};
int dc = {0, 0, 1, -1};
void dfsGrid(int i, int j){
    if(vis[i][j]) return;
    vis[i][j] = true;
    for(int k = 0 ; k < 4 ; i++){
        int r = i + dr[k];
        int c = j + dc[k];
        if(r < 0 || c < 0 || r > N || c > N) continue;
        dfsGrid(r,c);
    }
}

```

Built-in function

- `__builtin_clz(x)`: the number of zeros at the beginning of the number
- `__builtin_ctz(x)`: the number of zeros at the end of the number
- `__builtin_popcount(x)`: the number of ones in the number
- `__builtin_parity(x)`: the parity (even or odd) of the number of ones

Bit manipulation

the formula $x | (1 \ll k)$ sets the kth bit of x to one

the formula $x \& \sim(1 \ll k)$ sets the kth bit of x to zero

the formula $x \wedge (1 \ll k)$ inverts the kth bit of x

The formula $x \& (x-1)$ sets the last one bit of x to zero

the formula $x \& -x$ sets all the one bits to zero, except for the last one bit

The formula $x \mid (x-1)$ inverts all the bits after the last one bit

a positive number x is a power of two exactly when $x \& (x-1) = 0$

```
int gcd(int a, int b){  
    if(a > b)swap(a,b);  
    if(a == 0){  
        return b;  
    }  
    return gcd(b%a,a);  
}
```

```
int lcm(int a, int b){  
    return (a*b)/gcd(a,b);  
}
```