

2.Medium\08.Next_permutation.cpp

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1  /*
2  QUESTION:-
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4  A permutation of an array of integers is an arrangement of its members into a sequence or
  linear order.
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6  For example, for arr = [1,2,3], the following are all the permutations of arr: [1,2,3],
  [1,3,2], [2, 1, 3], [2, 3, 1], [3,1,2], [3,2,1].
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8  The next permutation of an array of integers is the next lexicographically greater
  permutation of its integer. More formally, if all the permutations of the array are sorted in
  one container according to their lexicographical order, then the next permutation of that
  array is the permutation that follows it in the sorted container. If such arrangement is not
  possible, the array must be rearranged as the lowest possible order (i.e., sorted in
  ascending order).
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10 For example, the next permutation of arr = [1,2,3] is [1,3,2].
11 Similarly, the next permutation of arr = [2,3,1] is [3,1,2].
12 While the next permutation of arr = [3,2,1] is [1,2,3] because [3,2,1] does not have a
  lexicographical larger rearrangement.
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14 Given an array of integers nums, find the next permutation of nums.
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16 The replacement must be in place and use only constant extra memory.
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18 Example 1:
19 Input: nums = [1,2,3]
20 Output: [1,3,2]
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24 APPROACH:-
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26 To find the next permutation of an array, we can follow these steps:
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28 1. Find the first index `i` from the right such that `nums[i] < nums[i+1]`. This is the first
  element that needs to be swapped.
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30 2. Find the first index `j` from the right such that `nums[j] > nums[i]`. This is the element
  that will replace `nums[i]`.
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32 3. Swap `nums[i]` and `nums[j]`.
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34 4. Reverse the subarray starting from `i+1` till the end of the array.
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36 5. If step 1 does not find any index `i`, it means the array is in descending order. In that
  case, reverse the entire array to get the lowest possible order.
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40 // CODE:
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42 void nextPermutation(vector<int> &nums)
43 {
44     int bp = -1;
45     // finding the break point
46     for (int i = nums.size() - 2; i >= 0; i--)

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43     {
44         if (nums[i] < nums[i + 1])
45         {
46             bp = i;
47             break;
48         }
49     }
50     // first greater element from back
51     if (bp != -1)
52     {
53         for (int i = nums.size() - 1; i >= 0; i--)
54         {
55             if (nums[i] > nums[bp])
56             {
57                 swap(nums[i], nums[bp]);
58                 break;
59             }
60         }
61     }
62     // reverse the array from bp+1 to end
63     reverse(nums.begin() + bp + 1, nums.end());
64 }
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66 // TIME COMPLEXITY: O(n), where n is the size of the input array.
67 // SPACE COMPLEXITY: O(1)
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