

2.Medium\07.Rearrange_elements_by_sign.cpp

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1  /*
2  QUESTION:-
3  You are given a 0-indexed integer array nums of even length consisting of an equal number of
  positive and negative integers.
4  You should rearrange the elements of nums such that the modified array follows the given
  conditions:
5  Every consecutive pair of integers have opposite signs.
6  For all integers with the same sign, the order in which they were present in nums is
  preserved.
7  The rearranged array begins with a positive integer.
8  Return the modified array after rearranging the elements to satisfy the aforementioned
  conditions.
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11 Example 1:
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13 Input: nums = [3,1,-2,-5,2,-4]
14 Output: [3,-2,1,-5,2,-4]
15 Explanation:
16 The positive integers in nums are [3,1,2]. The negative integers are [-2,-5,-4].
17 The only possible way to rearrange them such that they satisfy all conditions is
  [3,-2,1,-5,2,-4].
18 Other ways such as [1,-2,2,-5,3,-4], [3,1,2,-2,-5,-4], [-2,3,-5,1,-4,2] are incorrect because
  they do not satisfy one or more conditions.
19 */
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21 /*
22 APPROACH:-
23 Initialize two pointers, pos_ptr and neg_ptr. pos_ptr will point to the first positive
  integer in the array, and neg_ptr will point to the first negative integer in the array.
24 Iterate over the array.
25 If the current integer is positive, swap it with the element at neg_ptr.
26 Increment pos_ptr by 1.
27 Increment neg_ptr by 1.
28 Repeat steps 3-5 until the end of the array is reached.
29 The array will now be rearranged such that every consecutive pair of integers have opposite
  signs.
30 */
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32 // CODE:-
33 vector<int> rearrangeArray(vector<int> &nums)
34 {
35     int i = 0; // for +ve integers
36     int j = 1; // for -ve integers
37     vector<int> ans(nums.size());
38     for (int k = 0; k < nums.size(); k++)
39     {
40         if (nums[k] >= 0)
41         {
42             ans[i] = nums[k];
43             i += 2;
44         }
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45         else
46         {
47             ans[j] = nums[k];
48             j += 2;
49         }
50     }
51     return ans;
52 }
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54 // TIME COMPLEXITY = O(N)
55 // SPACE COMPLEXITY = O(0)
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