

80. Remove Duplicate from Sorted Array. ||

nums = [1, 1, 1, 2, 2, 3]

O.P = 5; nums = [1, 1, 2, 2, 3, -]

⁰ 1 2 3 4 5
[1, 1, 1, 2, 2, 3]

→ i should start from i=2.
→ if (nums[i] == nums[i-2]) || Then its repeating.

for (int i = 2; i < arr.length - 1; i++)

if (nums[i] != nums[i-2])

nums[i] = nums[i-2]

This approach failed 😞

i = 2

num[2] == num[0] ✓

nums[i] = nums[i+1]

Counter = 2 || initial start

→ output was

[1, 1, 2, 2, 3, 3]

↓
wrong.

* Counter missing.

* Element Shifting is wrong.

Second Approach

[1, 1, 1, 2, 2, 3]
0 1 2 3 4 5

int counter = 2;

for (int i = 2; i < arr.length; i++)

if (nums[i] != nums[counter-2])

nums[counter] = nums[i]

counter = counter + 1;

return counter.

Hand Tracing i = 3

if (num[3] != num[3-2]) ✓

nums[2] = nums[i]

counter = 3;

nums[2] = 3

*new

array = [1, 1, 2, 2, 2, 3]

Then

process goes on until
duplicates are removed.