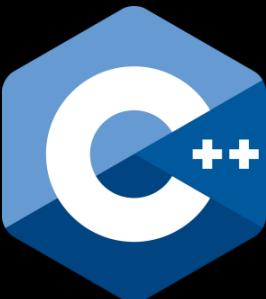


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I’m just a dude.”**

- Scott Schurr, CppCon 2015

# About Me

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- I am a programming language enthusiast
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- I love algorithms and beautiful code
- I have a  YouTube channel





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## Algorithm Intuition

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```
template<class T>
using rev = reverse_iterator<T>;  
  
int trap(vector<int>& v) {
    vector u(v.size);
    auto it = max_element(v.begin(), v.end());
    inclusive_scan(it, v.end(), u.begin());
    inclusive_scan(v.begin(), it, u.end());
    return transform_reduce(u.begin(), u.end(),
                           std::plus<>(),
                           std::minus<>());
}
```



```
auto dangerous_teams(std::string const& s) -> bool {
    return s
        | views::group_by(std::equal_to{})
        | views::transform(ranges::distance)
        | ranges::any_of([](std::size_t s){
            return s >= 7;
        });
}
```

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# Goal

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- Get you excited about algorithms
- Learn a new algorithm
- Start to develop some **algorithm intuition**

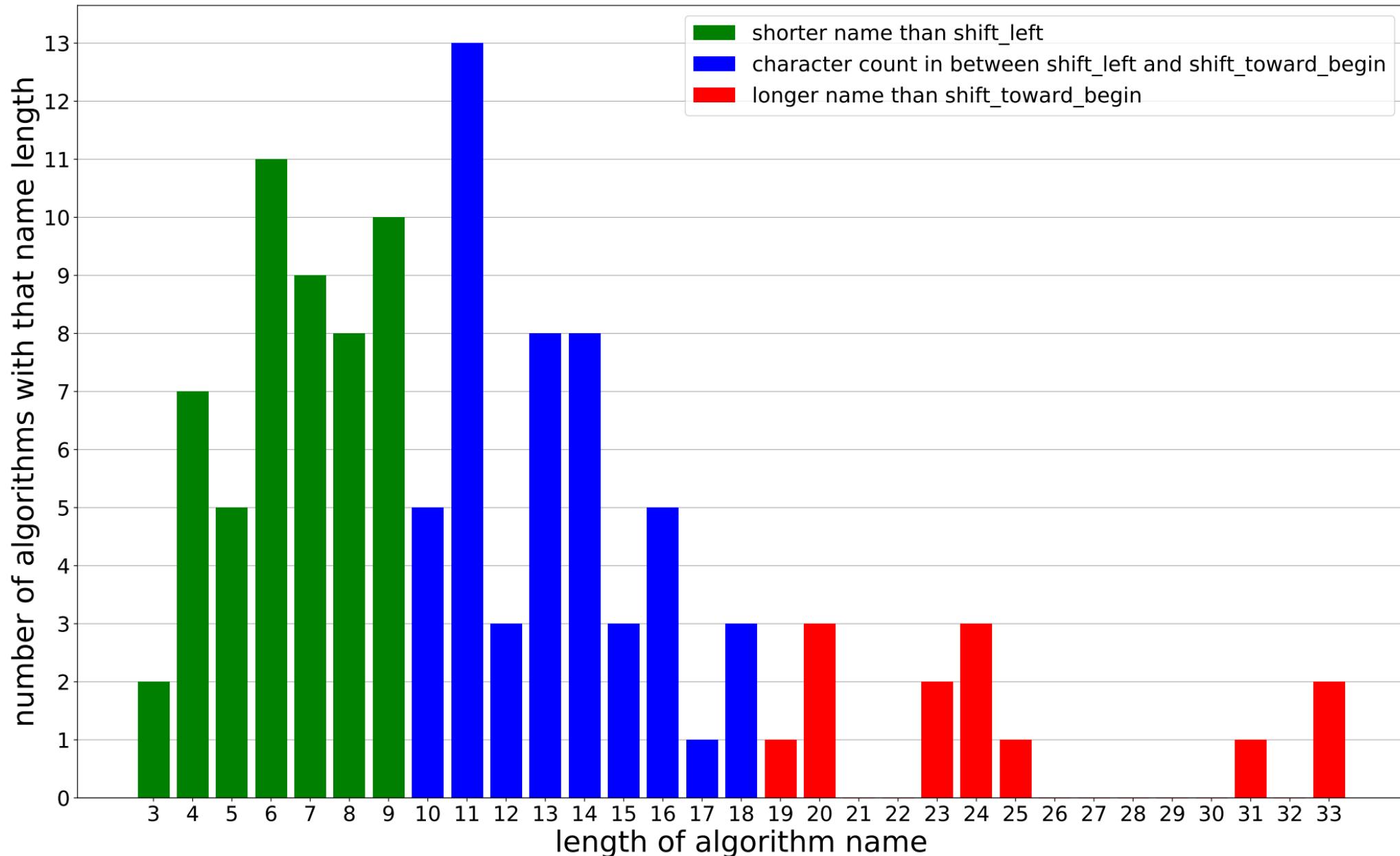
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	7 <b>bsearch</b>	11 equal_range	15 is_sorted_until
3	7 copy_if	11 find_if_not	15 partition_point
3	7 destroy	11 lower_bound	15 replace_copy_if
	7 find_if	11 max_element	
3	7 is_heap	11 min_element	16 next_permutation
	7 none_of	11 nth_element	16 prev_permutation
4	7 replace	11 partial_sum	16 set_intersection
4	7 reverse	11 remove_copy	16 stable_partition
4	7 shuffle	11 rotate_copy	16 transform_reduce
		11 stable_sort	
4	8 count_if	11 swap_ranges	17 partial_sort_copy
4	8 find_end	11 unique_copy	
4	8 for_each	11 upper_bound	18 uninitialized_copy
4	8 generate		18 uninitialized_fill
5	8 includes	12 partial_sort	18 uninitialized_move
5	8 mismatch	12 replace_copy	
5	8 pop_head	12 reverse_copy	19 adjacent_difference
5	8 search_n		
5 <b>qsort</b>	9 destroy_n	13 adjacent_find	20 uninitialized_copy_n
6	9 is_sorted	13 binary_search	20 uninitialized_fill_n
6	9 iter_swap	13 copy_backward	20 uninitialized_move_n
6	9 make_heap	13 find_first_of	
6	9 partition	13 inner_product	23 lexicographical_compare
6	9 push_heap	13 inplace_merge	23 uninitialized_construct
6	9 remove_if	13 is_heap_until	
6	9 set_union	13 move_backward	24 set_symmetric_difference
6	9 sort_heap		24 transform_exclusive_scan
6	9 transform	14 exclusive_scan	24 transform_inclusive_scan
		14 inclusive_scan	
6	10 accumulate	14 is_partitioned	25 uninitialized_construct_n
6	10 destroy_at	14 is_permutation	
6	10 for_each_n	14 minmax_element	31 uninitialized_default_construct
6	10 generate_n	14 partition_copy	
6	10 replace_if	14 remove_copy_if	33 lexicographical_compare_three_way
		14 set_difference	33 uninitialized_default_construct_n



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# Chapter 1

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## 344. Reverse String

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Write a function that reverses a string.



```
void reverseString(std::string& s) {  
    std::reverse(  
        std::begin(s),  
        std::end(s));  
}
```



[thrust::reverse](#)

## 344. Reverse String

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## Simple C++ solution



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```
class Solution {  
public:  
    string reverseString(string s) {  
        int i = 0, j = s.size() - 1;  
        while(i < j){  
            swap(s[i++], s[j--]);  
        }  
  
        return s;  
    }  
};
```

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```
class Solution {
public:
    string reverseString(string s) {
        int start = 0;
        int end = s.length() - 1;
        char ch = 0;

        for (; start < end; start++, end--)
        {
            ch = s[start];
            s[start] = s[end];
            s[end] = ch;
        }

        return s;
    };
}
```

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## Easy C++ 2 Line Solution [beats 92%, 100%]



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Runtime: 44 ms, faster than 92.12% of C++ online submissions for Reverse String.



Memory Usage: 15.2 MB, less than 96.34% of C++ online submissions for Reverse String.

```
void reverseString(vector<char>& s) {  
  
    for(int start=0, end = s.size()-1; start < end; start++, end--)  
        swap(s[start], s[end]);  
}
```

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## [C++] One-Liner



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# One Line C++ Code (with Help of STL)



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## 709. To Lower Case

Easy

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Implement function `ToLowerCase()` that has a string parameter `str`, and returns the same string in lowercase.



```
std::string toLowerCase(string s) {  
    std::transform(  
        std::begin(s),  
        std::end(s),  
        std::begin(s),  
        ::tolower);  
  
    return s;  
}
```



[thrust::transform](#)



## 905. Sort Array By Parity

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Given an array `A` of non-negative integers, return an array consisting of all the even elements of `A`, followed by all the odd elements of `A`.

You may return any answer array that satisfies this condition.



```
auto sortArrayByParity(vector<int>& A) {  
    std::partition(  
        std::begin(A),  
        std::end(A),  
        [](auto e) {  
            return e % 2 == 0;  
        });  
  
    return A;  
}
```



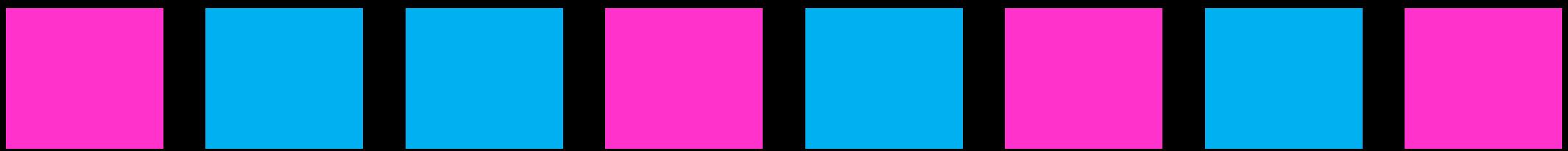
[thrust::partition](#)



“two finger method”



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## 283. Move Zeroes

Easy

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Given an array `nums`, write a function to move all `0`'s to the end of it while maintaining the relative order of the non-zero elements.



```
void moveZeroes(vector<int>& nums) {  
    std::stable_partition(  
        std::begin(nums),  
        std::end(nums),  
        [] (auto e) {  
            return e != 0;  
        });  
}
```



[thrust::stable\\_partition](#)



## 973. K Closest Points to Origin

Medium

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We have a list of `points` on the plane. Find the `K` closest points to the origin  $(0, 0)$ .

(Here, the distance between two points on a plane is the Euclidean distance.)

You may return the answer in any order. The answer is guaranteed to be unique (except for the order that it is in.)



```
vector<vector<int>> kClosest(
    vector<vector<int>>& points, int K) {

    std::sort(
        std::begin(points),
        std::end(points),
        [] (auto const& a, auto const& b) {
            return sqrt(a[0] * a[0] + a[1] * a[1]) <
                   sqrt(b[0] * b[0] + b[1] * b[1]);
        });

    return vector(
        std::begin(points),
        std::begin(points) + K);
}
```



[thrust::sort](#)



```
vector<vector<int>> kClosest(
    vector<vector<int>>& points, int K) {

    std::sort(
        std::begin(points),
        std::end(points),
        [] (auto const& a, auto const& b) {
            return (a[0] * a[0] + a[1] * a[1]) <
                (b[0] * b[0] + b[1] * b[1]);
        });

    return vector(
        std::begin(points),
        std::begin(points) + K);
}
```



[thrust::sort](#)



```
vector<vector<int>> kClosest(
    vector<vector<int>>& points, int K) {

    std::partial_sort(
        std::begin(points),
        std::begin(points) + K,
        std::end(points),
        [] (auto const& a, auto const& b) {
            return (a[0] * a[0] + a[1] * a[1]) <
                (b[0] * b[0] + b[1] * b[1]);
        });

    return vector(
        std::begin(points),
        std::begin(points) + K);
}
```



```
vector<vector<int>> kClosest(
    vector<vector<int>>& points, int K) {

    std::nth_element(
        std::begin(points),
        std::begin(points) + K,
        std::end(points),
        [] (auto const& a, auto const& b) {
            return (a[0] * a[0] + a[1] * a[1]) <
                (b[0] * b[0] + b[1] * b[1]);
        });

    return vector(
        std::begin(points),
        std::begin(points) + K);
}
```



`std::sort`



`std::partial_sort`



`std::nth_element`



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## An <algorithm> story

- sort
- partial\_sort

1 5 4 2 9 7

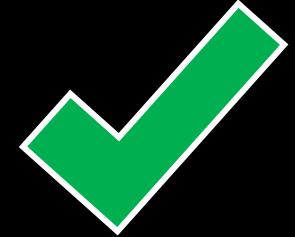
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partial\_sort\_copy

top\_n



nth\_element\_copy

top\_n



`set`

`unordered_set`



`nth_element_copy`

`top_n`

`partial_sort_copy`

`top_n_sorted`



reverse

stable\_partition

transform

nth\_element

for\_each

sort

partition

partial\_sort



std::swap ->  
std::move

`reverse`

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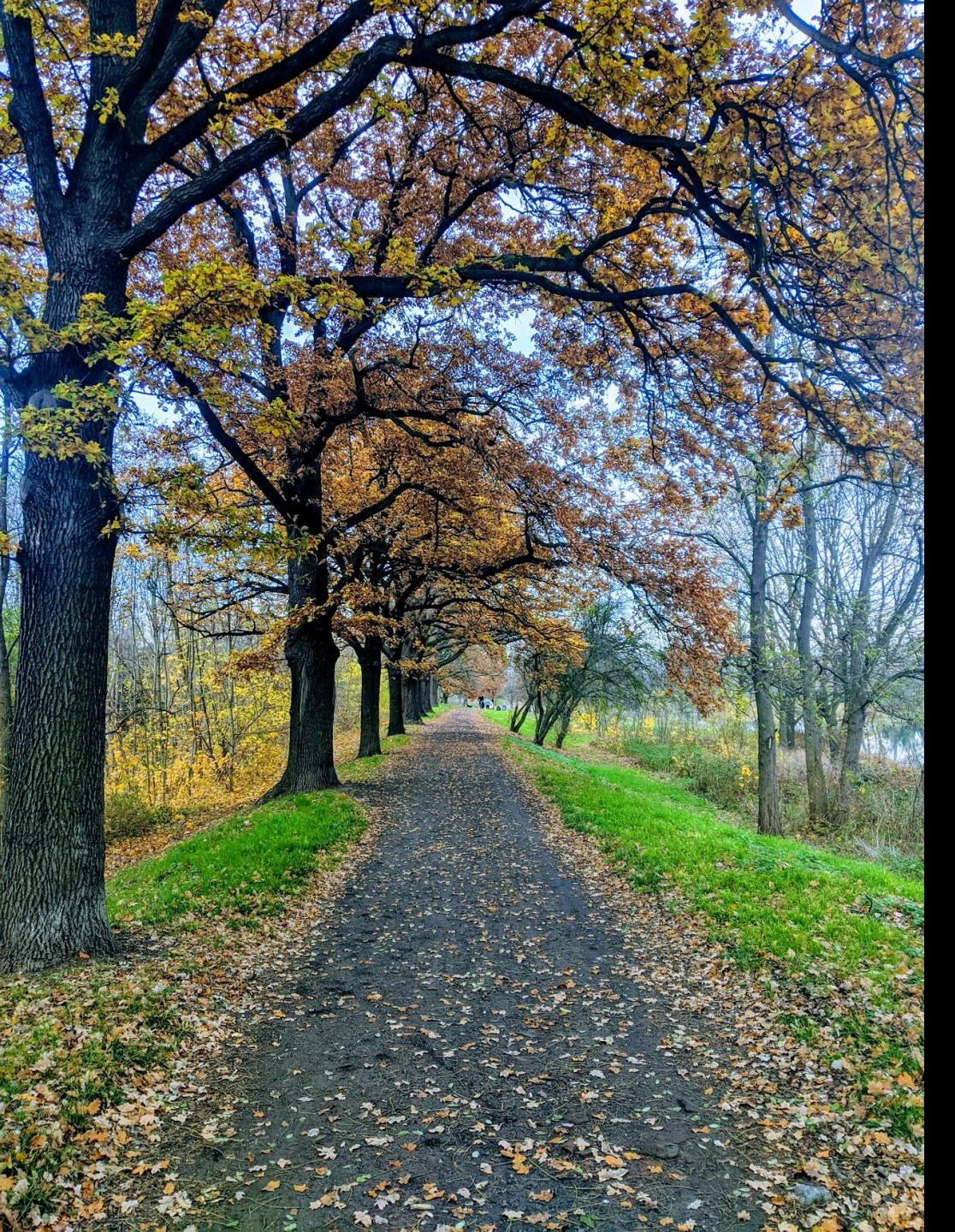
partial\_sort



move

swap

**stable\_partition**



# Chapter 2

# LeetCode Level 2





## 977. Squares of a Sorted Array

Easy

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Given an array of integers  $A$  sorted in non-decreasing order, return an array of the squares of each number, also in sorted non-decreasing order.

**Note:**

1.  $1 \leq A.length \leq 10000$
2.  $-10000 \leq A[i] \leq 10000$
3.  $A$  is sorted in non-decreasing order.



```
vector<int> sortedSquares(vector<int>& A) {  
    std::transform(  
        std::begin(A),  
        std::end(A),  
        std::begin(A),  
        [] (auto e) {  
            return e * e;  
        });  
  
    std::sort(  
        std::begin(A),  
        std::end(A));  
  
    return A;  
}
```



[thrust::transform](#) [thrust::sort](#)



```
vector<int> sortedSquares(vector<int>& A) {
    transform(begin(A), end(A), begin(A),
              [] (auto e) { return e * e; });
    sort(begin(A), end(A));
    return A;
}
```



[thrust::transform](#) [thrust::sort](#)



## 20 Ranges

<https://godbolt.org/z/4wQbNY>

```
namespace rv = ranges::views;
namespace ra = ranges::actions;

auto sortedSquares(std::vector<int> A) {
    return A
        | rv::all
        | ra::transform([] (int e) { return e * e; })
        | ra::sort
        | ranges::to<std::vector<int>>;
}
```



[thrust::transform](#) [thrust::sort](#)



[1,3,2,5,4]  
[1,9,4,25,16]  
[1,4,9,16,25]

```
square :: Int -> Int  
square n = n * n
```

```
sortedSquares :: [Int] -> [Int]  
sortedSquares = sort . map square
```



## 961. Element Repeated Once

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In an array  $A$  of size  $N$ , there are  $N - 1$  unique values (therefore exactly one of those values appears twice).

Return the value that is repeated 2 times.



```
int repeatedNTimes(vector<int>& A) {  
    std::sort(  
        std::begin(A),  
        std::end(A));  
  
    return *std::adjacent_find(  
        std::cbegin(A),  
        std::cend(A));  
}
```



[thrust::sort](#)



## 33. Search in Rotated Sorted Array

Medium

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Suppose an array sorted in ascending order is rotated at some pivot unknown to you beforehand.

(i.e., `[0,1,2,4,5,6,7]` might become `[4,5,6,7,0,1,2]` ).

If found in the array return `true`, otherwise return `false`.

You may assume no duplicate exists in the array.

Your algorithm's runtime complexity must be in the order of  $O(\log n)$ .



```
bool search(vector<int>& nums, int target) {
    auto f = std::cbegin(nums);
    auto l = std::cend(nums);
    auto p = std::is_sorted_until(f, l); ?
    return target >= *f ? std::binary_search(f, p, target)
    : std::binary_search(p, l, target);
}
```



[thrust::is\\_sorted\\_until](#) [thrust::binary\\_search](#)



```
bool search(vector<int>& nums, int target) {
    auto f = std::cbegin(nums);
    auto l = std::cend(nums);
    auto p = std::partition_point(f, l,
        [x = *f] (auto const& e) {
            return e >= x;
        });
    return target >= *f ? std::binary_search(f, p, target)
        : std::binary_search(p, l, target);
}
```



[thrust::partition\\_point](#) [thrust::binary\\_search](#)



```
bool search(vector<int>& nums, int target) {
    auto f = std::cbegin(nums);
    auto l = std::cend(nums);
    auto p = std::partition_point(f, l,
        std::bind(std::greater_equal{}, _1, *f));
    return target >= *f ? std::binary_search(f, p, target)
                         : std::binary_search(p, l, target);
}
```



[thrust::partition\\_point](#) [thrust::binary\\_search](#)



## 42. Trapping Rain Water

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Given  $n$  non-negative integers representing an elevation map where the width of each bar is 1, compute how much water it is able to trap after raining.



The above elevation map is represented by array [0,1,0,2,1,0,1,3,2,1,2,1]. In this case, 6 units of rain water (blue section) are being trapped. **Thanks Marcos** for contributing this image!



```
template<class T>
using rev = reverse_iterator<T>;\n\nint trap(vector<int>& v) {\n    vector u(v.size(), 0);\n    auto it = max_element(begin(v), end(v));\n    inclusive_scan(begin(v), next(it), begin(u), ufo::max{});\n    inclusive_scan(rbegin(v), rev(it), rbegin(u), ufo::max{});\n    return transform_reduce(cbegin(u), cend(u), cbegin(v), 0,\n                           std::plus<>(),\n                           std::minus<>());\n}
```



[thrust::inclusive\\_scan](#) [thrust::transform\\_reduce](#) [thrust::max\\_element](#)



# Chapter 4

# LeetCode Level 3



# Quickly mention

**find\_if** → **lower\_bound**

**find\_if** → **upper\_bound**

```
// Next, check if the panel has moved to the other side of another panel.  
  
auto p = find_if(begin(expanded_panels_), end(expanded_panels_),  
    [&](const ref_ptr<Panel>& e){ return center_x <= e->cur_panel_center(); });  
  
// Fix this code - panel is the panel found above.  
  
if (panel != fixed_panel) {  
    // If it has, then we reorder the panels.  
    ref_ptr<Panel> ref = expanded_panels_[fixed_index];  
    expanded_panels_.erase(expanded_panels_.begin() + fixed_index);  
    expanded_panels_.insert(expanded_panels_.begin() + i, ref);  
}
```

Quickly mention 

**find\_if** → **lower\_bound**

**find\_if** → **upper\_bound**



## 917. Reverse Only Letters

Easy

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Given a string `s`, return the "reversed" string where all characters that are not a letter stay in the same place, and all letters reverse their positions.

**1ab2cd -> 1dc2ba**

# How many STL algorithms will it take to solve?

1

2

3

4



```
string reverseOnlyLetters(string S) {  
    std::string letters;  
  
    std::copy_if(  
        std::begin(S),  
        std::end(S),  
        std::back_inserter(letters),  
        ::isalpha);  
  
    std::reverse(  
        std::begin(letters),  
        std::end(letters));  
  
    std::transform(  
        std::begin(S),  
        std::end(S),  
        std::begin(S),  
        [c = std::cbegin(letters)] (auto e) mutable {  
            return isalpha(e) ? *c++ : e;  
       });  
  
    return S;  
}
```

[transform](#) [reverse](#) [copy\\_if](#)





```
string reverseOnlyLetters(string S) {  
    std::string letters;  
  
    std::copy_if(  
        std::crbegin(S),  
        std::crend(S),  
        std::back_inserter(letters),  
        ::isalpha);  
  
    std::transform(  
        std::begin(S),  
        std::end(S),  
        std::begin(S),  
        [c = std::cbegin(letters)] (auto e) mutable {  
            return isalpha(e) ? *c++ : e;  
        });  
  
    return S;  
}
```



[transform](#) [copy\\_if](#)



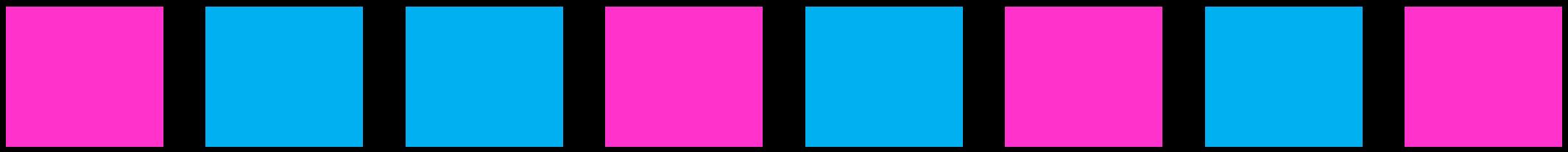
```
string reverseOnlyLetters(string S) {  
    std::reverse_if(  
        std::begin(S),  
        std::end(S),  
        ::isalpha);  
  
    return S;  
}
```

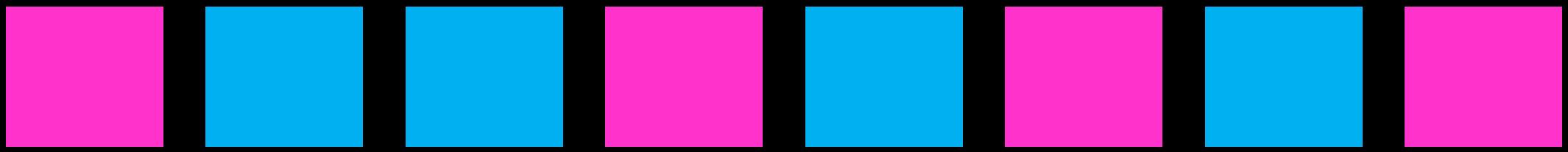


```
template <class B, class P>
void reverse_if(B first, B last, P pred) {
    while (first != last) {
        while (!pred(*first)) ++first;
        while (!pred(*last)) --last;
        iter_swap(first++, last++);
    }
}
```



```
template <class B, class P>
void reverse_if(B f, B l, P pred) {
    while (f != l) {
        while (!pred(*f)) { ++f; if (f == l) goto done; }
        while (!pred(*l)) { --l; if (f == l) goto done; }
        iter_swap(f++, l);
        if (f == l) break;
        ++l;
    }
done: ;
}
```







```
std::string reverseOnlyLetters(std::string S) {  
    std::partition(  
        std::begin(S),  
        std::end(S),  
        [b = true] (auto e) mutable {  
            if (isalpha(e)) b = !b;  
            return b;  
        });  
  
    return S;  
}
```



[thrust::partition](#)

# How many STL algorithms will it take to solve?

1

2

3

4

# Chapter 5

## The Sean Parent Game





`std::is_sorted`



`std::is_sorted_until`



```
template<class _FwdIt,
         class _Pr>
_NODISCARD inline bool is_sorted(_FwdIt _First, _FwdIt _Last, _Pr _Pred)
{   // test if range is ordered by predicate
    _Adl_verify_range(_First, _Last);
    const auto _UFirst = _Get_unwrapped(_First);
    const auto _ULast = _Get_unwrapped(_Last);
    return (_STD is_sorted_until(_UFirst, _ULast, _Pass_fn(_Pred)) == _ULast);
}
```



[thrust::is\\_sorted](#) [thrust::is\\_sorted\\_until](#)



`std::is_sorted`



`std::is_sorted_until`



`std::adjacent_find`



```
template<class _FwdIt,
         class _Pr>
_NODISCARD inline _FwdIt is_sorted_until(const _FwdIt _First, _FwdIt _Last, _Pr _Pred)
{   // find extent of range that is ordered by predicate
    _Adl_verify_range(_First, _Last);
    auto _UFirst = _Get_unwrapped(_First);
    auto _ULast = _Get_unwrapped(_Last);
    if (_UFirst != _ULast)
    {
        for (auto _UNext = _UFirst; ++_UNext != _ULast; ++_UFirst)
        {
            if (_DEBUG_LT_PRED(_Pred, *_UNext, *_UFirst))
            {
                _ULast = _UNext;
                break;
            }
        }
    }

    _Seek_wrapped(_Last, _ULast);
    return (_Last);
}
```



```
template<class _FwdIt,
         class _Pr>
_NODISCARD inline _FwdIt adjacent_find(const _FwdIt _First, _FwdIt _Last, _Pr _Pred)
{   // find first satisfying _Pred with successor
    _Adl_verify_range(_First, _Last);
    auto _UFirst = _Get_unwrapped(_First);
    auto _ULast = _Get_unwrapped(_Last);
    if (_UFirst != _ULast)
    {
        for (auto _UNext = _UFirst; ++_UNext != _ULast; _UFirst = _UNext)
        {
            if (_Pred(*_UFirst, *_UNext))
            {
                _ULast = _UFirst;
                break;
            }
        }
    }

    _Seek_wrapped(_Last, _ULast);
    return (_Last);
}
```



```
1 template<class _FwdIt,
2      class _Pr>
3     _NODISCARD inline _FwdIt adjacent_find(const
4     _FwdIt _First, _FwdIt _Last, _Pr _Pred)
5     { // find first satisfying _Pred with successor
6     _Adl_verify_range(_First, _Last);
7     auto _UFirst = _Get_unwrapped(_First);
8     auto _ULast = _Get_unwrapped(_Last);
9     if (_UFirst != _ULast)
10    {
11        for (auto _UNext = _UFirst; ++_UNext != _ULast; _UFirst = _UNext)
12        {
13            if (_Pred(*_UFirst, *_UNext))
14            {
15                _ULast = _UFirst;
16                break;
17            }
18        }
19
20     _Seek_wrapped(_Last, _ULast);
21     return (_Last);
22 }
```

```
1 template<class _FwdIt,
2      class _Pr>
3     _NODISCARD inline _FwdIt is_sorted_until(const
4     _FwdIt _First, _FwdIt _Last, _Pr _Pred)
5     { // find extent of range that is ordered by predicate
6     _Adl_verify_range(_First, _Last);
7     auto _UFirst = _Get_unwrapped(_First);
8     auto _ULast = _Get_unwrapped(_Last);
9     if (_UFirst != _ULast)
10    {
11        for (auto _UNext = _UFirst; ++_UNext != _ULast; ++_UFirst)
12        {
13            if (_DEBUG_LT_PRED(_Pred, *_UNext, *_UFirst))
14            {
15                _ULast = _UNext;
16                break;
17            }
18        }
19
20     _Seek_wrapped(_Last, _ULast);
21     return (_Last);
22 }
```



```
#include <boost/hana/functional/flip.hpp>

template<class F, class P>
F is_sorted_until(F first, F last, P pred) {
    return std::adjacent_find(
        first,
        last,
        boost::hana::flip(pred));
}
```





`std::is_sorted`



`std::is_sorted_until`



`std::adjacent_find`



`std::is_sorted`



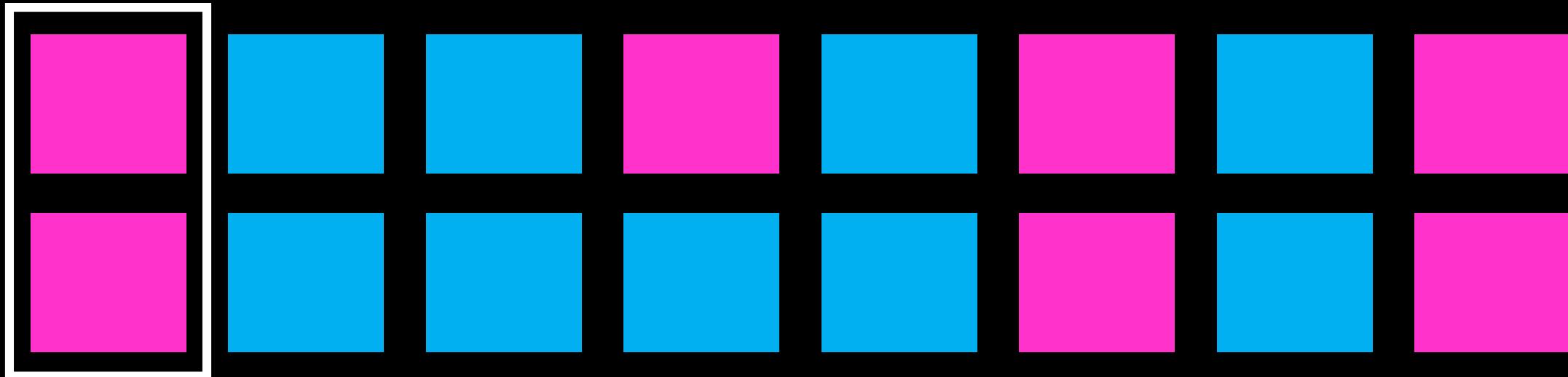
`std::is_sorted_until`



`std::adjacent_find`



`std::mismatch`





```
template <class I, class P>
I adjacent_find(I first, I last, P pred) {
    return std::mismatch(
        first,
        std::prev(last),
        std::next(first),
        [pred] (auto const& a, auto const& b) {
            return !pred(a, b);
        }).first;
}
```



```
template <class I, class P>
I adjacent_find(I first, I last, P pred) {
    return std::mismatch(
        first,
        std::prev(last),
        std::next(first),
        std::not_fn(pred)).first;
}
```





zip\_find

transform\_find



# zip\_find

```
template <class F, class F2, class P>
auto mismatch(F first, F last, F2 first2, P pred) {
    std::zip_find(
        first,
        last,
        first2,
        std::not_fn(pred));
}
```



# adjacent\_find

```
template <class I, class P>
I adjacent_find(I first, I last, P pred) {
    return zip_find(
        first,
        std::prev(last),
        std::next(first),
        pred).first;
}
```



**mismatch** -> **zip\_find**

**transform** -> **zip\_with**

**inner\_product** -> **zip\_reduce**

**transform\_reduce** -> **zip\_reduce**

**equal** -> **zip\_reduce(logical\_and, equal\_to)**



```
template<class _InIt1,
         class _InIt2,
         class _Pr> inline
bool _Equal_unchecked1(_InIt1 _First1, const _InIt1 _Last1,
                      _InIt2 _First2, _Pr _Pred, false_type)
{   // compare [_First1, _Last1) to [_First2, ...) using _Pred,
for (; _First1 != _Last1; ++_First1, (void)++_First2)
{
    if (!_Pred(*_First1, *_First2))
    {
        return (false);
    }
}

return (true);
}
```



```
template <class InputIterator1,
          class InputIterator2,
          class BinaryPredicate>
inline bool equal(InputIterator1 first1,
                  InputIterator1 last1,
                  InputIterator2 first2,
                  BinaryPredicate binary_pred) {
    return mismatch(
        first1,
        last1,
        first2,
        binary_pred).first == last1;
}
```



<http://stepanovpapers.com/butler.hpl.hp/stl/stl/ALGOBASE.H>

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template <class InputIterator1, class InputIterator2, class BinaryPredicate>
inline bool equal(InputIterator1 first1, InputIterator1 last1,
                  InputIterator2 first2, BinaryPredicate binary_pred) {
    return mismatch(first1, last1, first2, binary_pred).first == last1;
}
```



**mismatch** -> **zip\_find**

**transform** -> **zip\_with**

**inner\_product** -> **zip\_reduce**

**transform\_reduce** -> **zip\_reduce**

**equal** -> **zip\_reduce(logical\_and, equal\_to)**

**equal** -> **mismatch() == end()**

**includes, merge, search, set\_\*, swap\_range**



**mismatch** -> **zip\_find**

**adjacent\_difference** -> **adjacent\_transform**



reverse  
transform  
partition  
**stable\_partition**  
sort  
partial\_sort  
nth\_element  
remove\_if

unique  
for\_each  
copy  
adjacent\_find  
partial\_sort\_copy  
partition\_point  
binary\_search  
prev\_permutation

is\_sorted  
is\_sorted\_until  
find\_if  
equal\_range  
lower\_bound  
copy\_if  
mismatch  
equal

# Conclusion

## **Chapter 1:**

sort | partial\_sort | nth\_element  
remove\_if | stable\_partition

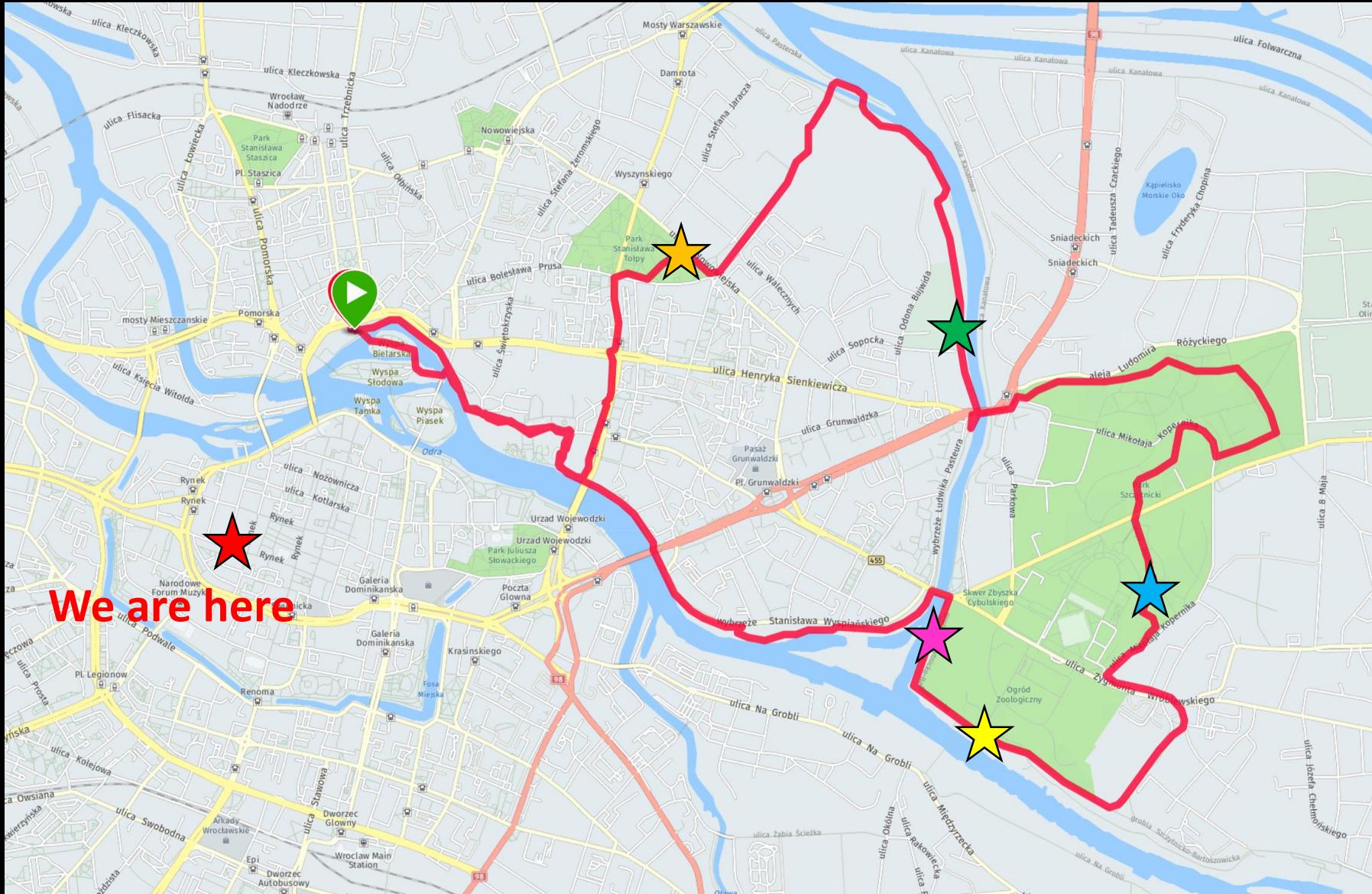
## **Chapter 2:** is\_sorted\_until | partition\_point ( ... is log n)

## **Chapter 3:** transform is both zipWith and map

## **Chapter 4:**

find\_if | lower\_bound / upper\_bound  
partition | reverse\_if

## **Chapter 5:** is\_sorted | is\_sorted\_until | adjacent\_find | mismatch

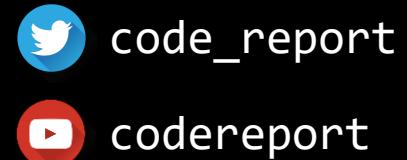




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# Bonus Slides



## 1051. Height Checker

Easy

90

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Students are asked to stand in non-decreasing order of heights for an annual photo.

Return the minimum number of students not standing in the right positions. (This is the number of students that must move in order for all students to be standing in non-decreasing order of height.)



```
int heightChecker(vector<int>& heights) {  
    std::vector<int> h_copy(heights.size());  
  
    std::partial_sort_copy(  
        std::begin(heights),  
        std::end(heights),  
        std::begin(h_copy),  
        std::end(h_copy));  
  
    return std::inner_product(  
        std::begin(heights),  
        std::end(heights),  
        std::begin(h_copy),  
        0,  
        std::plus{},  
        std::not_equal_to{});  
}
```



[thrust::inner\\_product](#)



## 1053. Previous Permutation With One Swap

Medium

62

161

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Given an array `A` of positive integers (not necessarily distinct), return the lexicographically largest permutation that is smaller than `A`, that can be **made with one swap** (A swap exchanges the positions of two numbers `A[i]` and `A[j]`). If it cannot be done, then return the same array.

`[3,2,1]` -> `[3,1,2]`

`[1,1,5]` -> `[1,1,5]`

`[1,9,4,6,7]` -> `[1,7,4,6,9]`

# How many STL algorithms will it take to solve?

1

2

3

4



[1,1,5]



```
vector<int> prevPermOpt1(vector<int>& A) {  
    prev_permutation(A.begin(), A.end());  
    return A;  
}
```



[1,9,4,6,7]

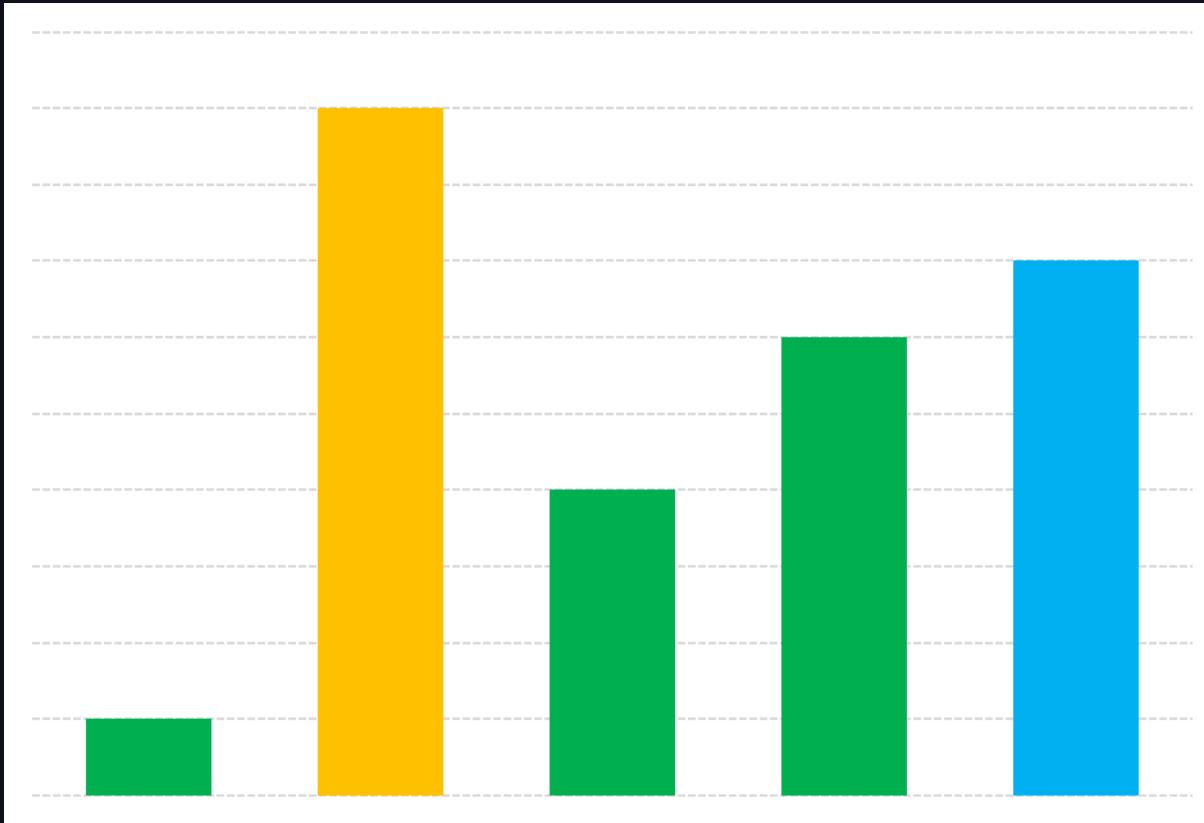


[1,7,4,6,9]

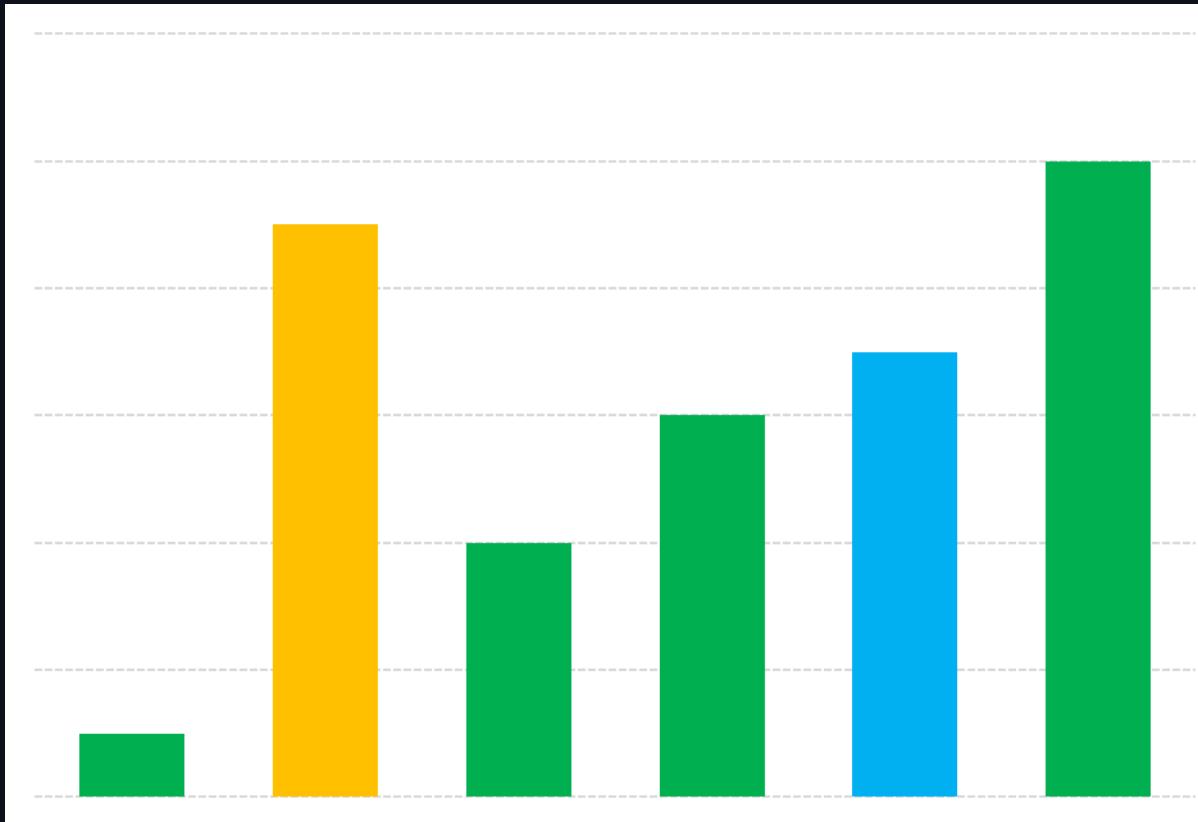
```
vector<int> prevPermOpt1(vector<int>& A) {  
    if (!is_sorted(A.begin(), A.end()))  
        prev_permutation(A.begin(), A.end());  
    return A;  
}
```



[thrust::is\\_sorted](#)



[1,9,4,6,7]



[1,9,4,6,7,10]



[3,1,1,3]



```
vector<int> prevPermOpt1(vector<int>& A) {
    if (is_sorted(A.begin(), A.end())) return A;
    auto i = is_sorted_until(A.rbegin(), A.rend(), greater<>());
    auto j = find_if(A.rbegin(), i, [&](auto e) { return e < *i; });
    iter_swap(i, j);
    return A;
}
```



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1,1,3,3

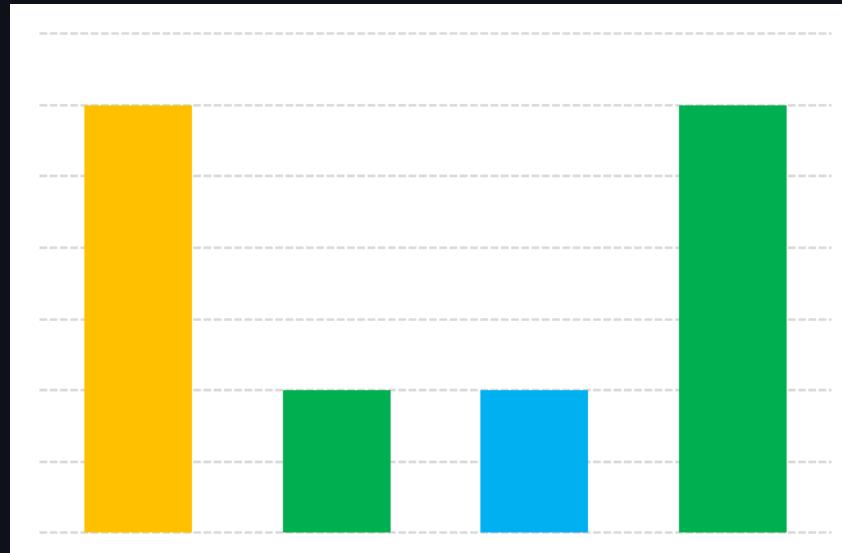
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1,3,3,1

3,1,1,3

3,1,3,1

3,3,1,1



[3,1,1,3]

1,1,3,3

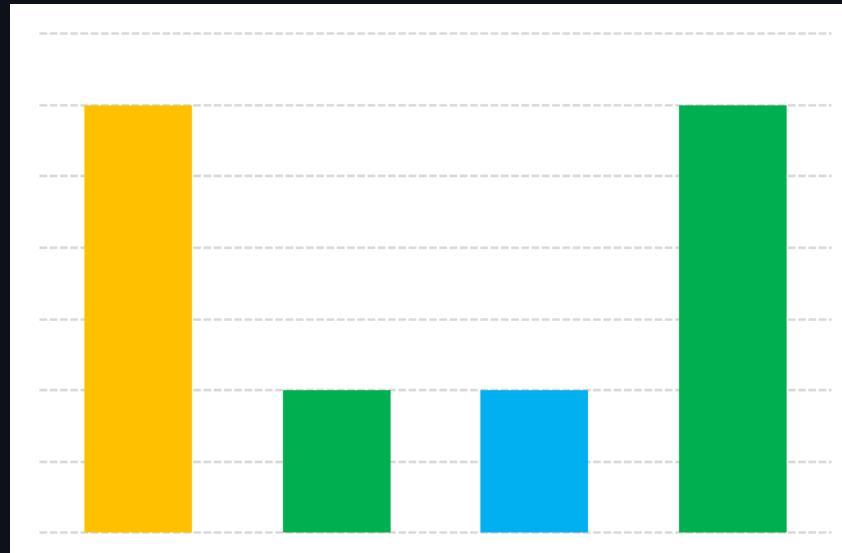
1,3,1,3

1,3,3,1

3,1,1,3

3,1,3,1

3,3,1,1



[3,1,1,3]

1,1,3,3

1,3,1,3

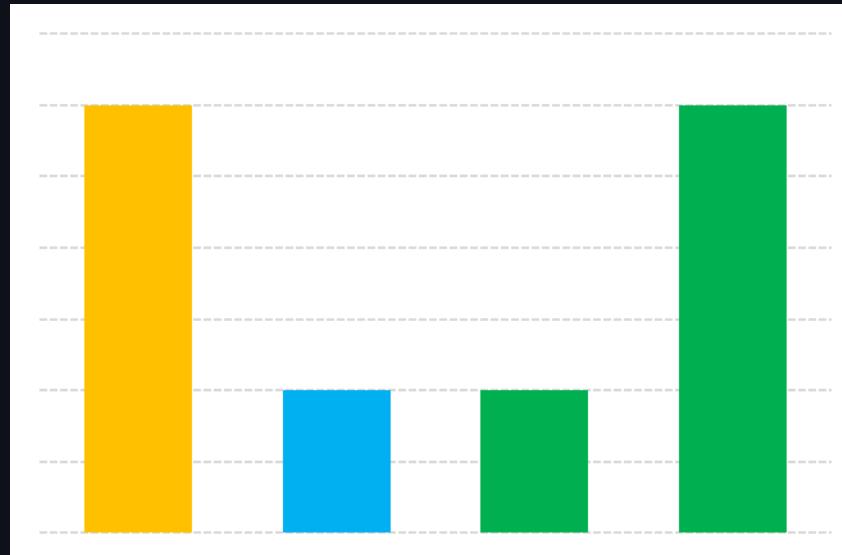
1,3,3,1

3,1,1,3

3,1,3,1

3,3,1,1

1. `is_sort_until` from back -> **i**
2. `find_if < i` from back -> **x**
3. find “range of all values equal to **x**”
4. swap furthest **x** (from back) with **i**



[3,1,1,3]



```
vector<int> prevPermOpt1(vector<int>& A) {
    if (is_sorted(A.begin(), A.end())) return A;
    auto i = is_sorted_until(A.rbegin(), A.rend(), greater<>());
    auto j = find_if(A.rbegin(), i, [&](auto e) { return e < *i; });
    auto p = equal_range(i.base(), A.end(), *j);
    iter_swap(i, p.first);
    return A;
}
```



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```
vector<int> prevPermOpt1(vector<int>& A) {
    auto i = is_sorted_until(A.rbegin(), A.rend(), greater<>());
    if (i != A.rend()) {
        auto j = find_if(A.rbegin(), i, [&](auto e) { return e < *i; });
        auto p = equal_range(i.base(), A.end(), *j);
        iter_swap(i, p.first);
    }
    return A;
}
```



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```
// Next, check if the panel has moved to the other side of another panel.  
  
auto p = find_if(begin(expanded_panels_), end(expanded_panels_),  
    [&](const ref_ptr<Panel>& e){ return center_x <= e->cur_panel_center(); });  
  
// Fix this code - panel is the panel found above.  
  
if (panel != fixed_panel) {  
    // If it has, then we reorder the panels.  
    ref_ptr<Panel> ref = expanded_panels_[fixed_index];  
    expanded_panels_.erase(expanded_panels_.begin() + fixed_index);  
    expanded_panels_.insert(expanded_panels_.begin() + i, ref);  
}
```



```
template<typename F, typename T>
F first_less_than(F f, F l, T val) {
    auto it = std::lower_bound(f, l, val);
    return it == f ? l : --it;
}

vector<int> prevPermOpt1(vector<int>& A) {
    auto i = is_sorted_until(A.rbegin(), A.rend(), greater<>());
    if (i != A.rend()) {
        auto j = first_less_than(i.base(), A.end(), *i);
        auto p = equal_range(i.base(), A.end(), *j);
        iter_swap(i, p.first);
    }
    return A;
}
```



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# How many STL algorithms will it take to solve?

1

2

3

4