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Contest → Trees, Heaps, Greedy

Doubts Session → Sunday (Assignments)

A → Introduction to DP using Fibonacci

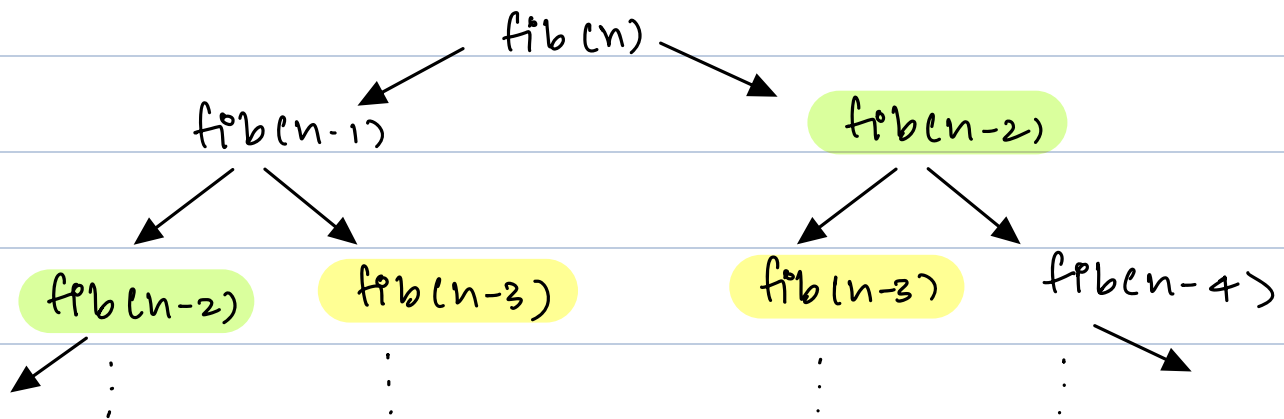
fib =

0	1	1	2	3	5	8	13	21	...
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pseudo code

```
int fib (n) {  
    if (n <= 1) return n;  
    return fib(n-1) + fib(n-2);  
}
```

Recursion call



$T.C = O(2^n)$ $S.C = O(n)$

How to identify if we can solve the problem using DP?

- ①. Optimal substructure \rightarrow can split the given problem into various subproblems
- ②. Overlapping subproblems \rightarrow Repeating subproblem

How to solve?

Store the ans of subproblem & reuse

Dynamic Programming solution

```
int F[N+1]; // initialize to -1;
```

```
int fib(n) {
```

```
    if (n <= 1) return n;
```

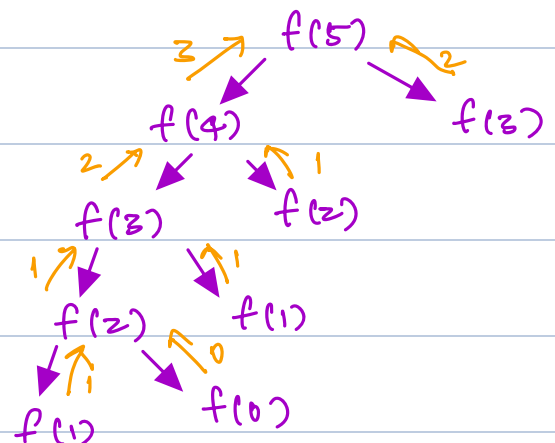
```
    if (F[n] != -1) return F[n];
```

```
    F[n] = fib(n-1) + fib(n-2);
```

```
    return F[n];
```

```
}
```

0	1	2	3	4	5
-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1
		1	2	3	5



T.C = $O(n)$

S.C = $O(n)$

Types of Dynamic Programming solution

[easy to implement]

Top Down Approach : [Memoization]

- a) It is a recursive solution
- b) Start with the biggest problem and keep on breaking it till we reach base case
- c) store the answer of already evaluated problems and reuse it

Bottom up Approach :

[saves potential space]

- 1) It is an iterative solution
- 2) We start with the smallest problem, solve and store its result
- 3) Keep moving to bigger problem using already calculated solution

Fibonacci using Bottom up Approach

$$F[0] = 0 \quad F[1] = 1$$

for $i = 2$ to n {

$$F[i] = F[i-1] + F[i-2];$$

} return $F[n]$

$$T.C = O(n)$$

$$S.C = O(n)$$

Optimizing Space

first = 0, second = 1;

for i = 2 to n {

 third = first + second;

 first = second;

 second = third;

}
return third;

T.C = $O(n)$

S.C = $O(1)$

Quiz 1

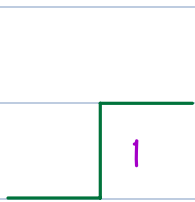
Purpose of memoization is to store and reuse
already computed subproblems.

Quiz 2

Iterative approach is also called Bottom Up

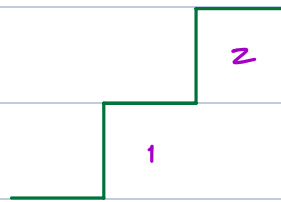
Q → Calculate the number of ways to reach the
nth stair. You can take 1 step or you can take
2 steps at a time.

Best way to understand a problem is using
examples



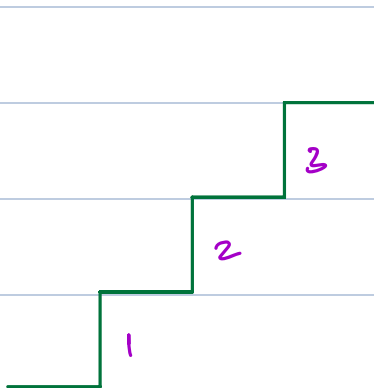
$N=1$

options: $[1]$



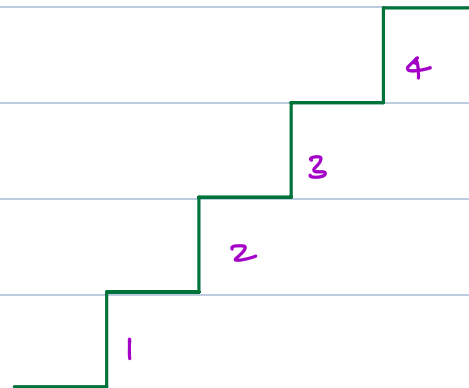
$N=2$

$[1, 1]$ $[2] \rightarrow 2$



$N=3$

options: $[1, 1, 1]$ $[1, 2]$
 $[2, 1] \rightarrow 3$

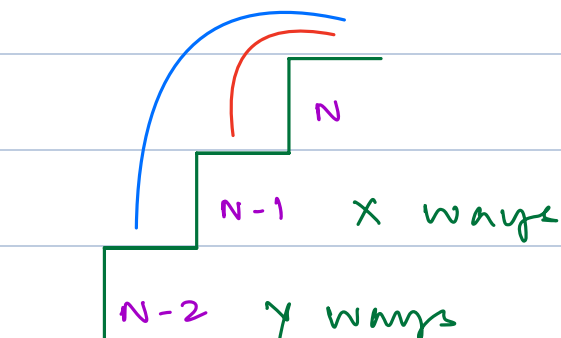


$N=4$ (Quiz)

$[1, 1, 1, 1]$ $[1, 1, 2]$ $[1, 2, 1]$
 $[2, 2]$ $[2, 1, 1]$

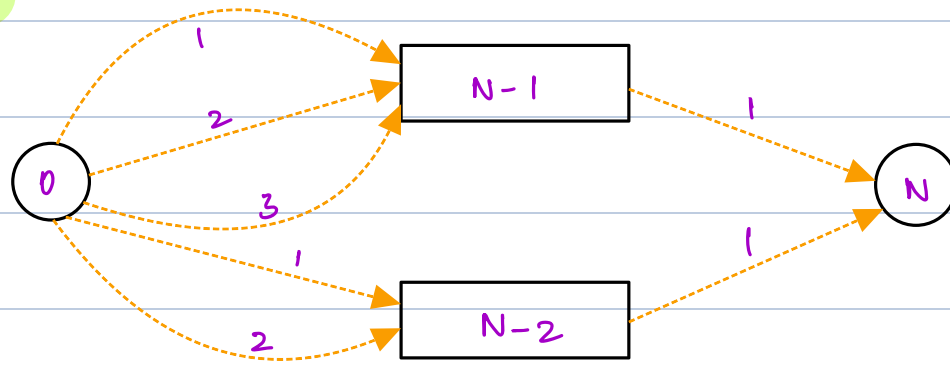
last step approach

From where all can we reach N in one step?



$x+y$ steps

↳ Personalize



$$\text{ways}(N) = \text{ways}(N-1) + \text{ways}(N-2)$$

exactly similar to Fibonacci

Base conditions

$N=1$ return 1

$N=2$ return 2

T.C = $O(N)$ S.C = $O(1)$

Break : 10:16 pm

Q → Find minimum number of perfect squares required to get sum = N (duplicate squares are allowed)

$$N=6 \rightarrow 1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2 \quad [6]$$

$$2^2 + 1^2 + 1^2 \quad [3]$$

$$N=10 \rightarrow 1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2 + \dots + 1^2 \quad [10]$$

$$2^2 + 2^2 + 1^2 + 1^2 \quad [4]$$

$$3^2 + 1^2 \quad [2]$$

Quiz 4

$$N = 5 \rightarrow 1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2 \quad [5]$$

$$2^2 + 1^2 \quad [2]$$

Greedy Approach

Subtract highest possible perfect square from N

example $N = 12$

$$12 = 3^2 + 1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2$$

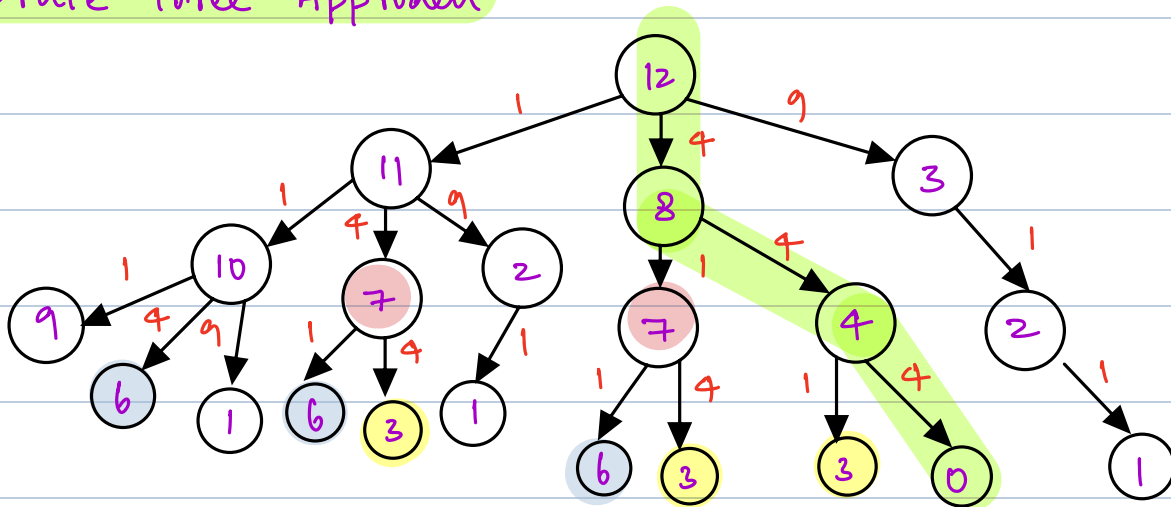
[4]

→ greedy does not work

$$12 = 2^2 + 2^2 + 2^2$$

[3]

Brute force Approach



Recurrence Relation

$$F(12) = \min \begin{cases} 1 + F(11) \\ 1 + F(8) \\ 1 + F(3) \end{cases}$$

$$\text{solve}(x) = 1 +$$

$$\min(\text{solve}(x - i^2))$$

$$\forall i \quad i^2 \leq x$$

pseudo code

```
int psquare (int n) {  
    if (N == 0) return 0;  
    ans = N; // worst ans consider 12 only  
    for (x = 1; x * x <= n; x++) {  
        | ans = 1 + min (ans, psquare (n - x2));  
        |  
    }  
    return ans;  
}
```

Dynamic Programming

subproblem

Optimal substructure → Bigger problem to smaller

Overlapping subproblems → repeated subproblems

pseudo code

DP [n+1] // initialize all p as -1

```
int psquare (int n) {  
    if (N == 0) return 0;  
    if (DP [n] != -1) return DP [n]; // reuse  
    ans = N; // worst ans consider 12 only  
    for (x = 1; x * x <= n; x++) {  
        | ans = 1 + min (ans, psquare (n - x2));  
    }
```

```
DP[n] = ans; // store  
return ans;
```

T.C = $O(n\sqrt{n})$

S.C = $O(n)$

// iterative

```
DP[n+1] // initialize ∞
```

```
DP[0] = 0    DP[1] = 1
```

```
for (i = 2; i <= n; i++) {
```

```
    ans = N; // worst ans consider  $i^2$  only
```

```
    for (x = 1; x * x <= i; x++) {
```

```
        DP[i] = min(DP[i], 1 + DP[i - x2]);
```

```
    }  
    return DP[n];
```

Q \rightarrow RBI wants to reduce paper usage for money.

Imagine you need to withdraw a specific amount of money from an ATM. The ATM should be programmed to give least number of notes.

Available notes: $\{ 50, 30, 5 \}$

Return minimum number of notes for a given request.

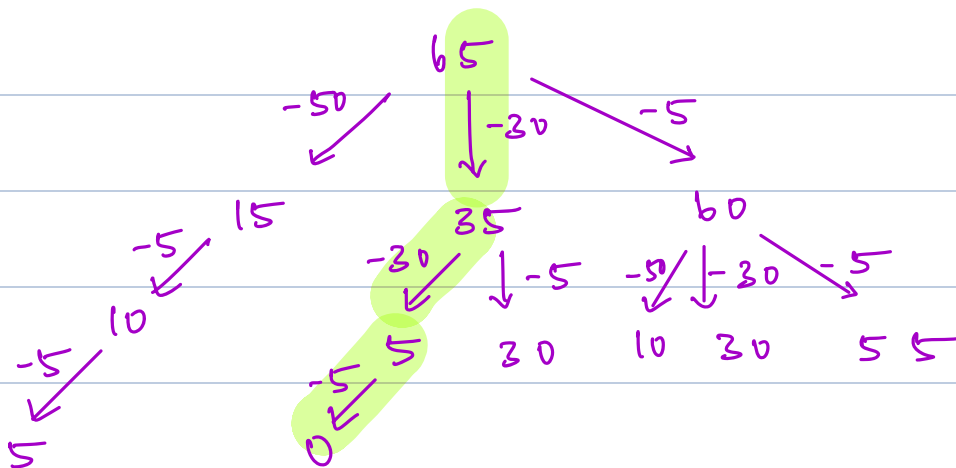
$$N = 100 \rightarrow 50 \times 2 = 100 \quad (2)$$

$$N = 55 \rightarrow 50 \times 1 + 5 \times 1 \quad (2)$$

Greedy

$$N = 65 \quad 50 \times 1 + 5 \times 2 = (4 \text{ notes})$$

$$30 \times 2 + 5 \times 1 = (3 \text{ notes})$$



pseudo code

Brute Force

Store & reuse

DP [n-1] // initialize to -1

int minNotes (int N) {

if (N == 0) return 0;

if (N < 0) return INT_MAX;

// subtract 50, 30, 5

if (DP[N] != -1) return DP[N];

ans = INT_MAX;

ans = min(1 + minNotes (N - 50), ans)

ans = min(1 + minNotes (N - 30), ans)

ans = min(1 + minNotes (N - 5), ans)

DP[N] = ans;

return DP[N]

}

T.C = $O(n)$