

Given an array of **distinct** integers `candidates` and a target integer `target`, return a list of all **unique combinations** of `candidates` where the chosen numbers sum to `target`. You may return the combinations in **any order**.

The **same** number may be chosen from `candidates` an **unlimited number of times**. Two combinations are unique if the **frequency** of at least one of the chosen numbers is different.

The test cases are generated such that the number of unique combinations that sum up to `target` is less than `150` combinations for the given input.

Example 1:

Input: `candidates = [2,3,6,7], target = 7`

Output: `[[2,2,3],[7]]`

Explanation:

2 and 3 are candidates, and $2 + 2 + 3 = 7$. Note that 2 can be used multiple times.

7 is a candidate, and $7 = 7$.

These are the only two combinations.

Combination Sum I

* `candidates = [2, 3, 6, 7]`

`target = 7`

$$\underline{2} + \underline{2} + 3 = 7$$



* `ex no. of unlimited times`

(7)



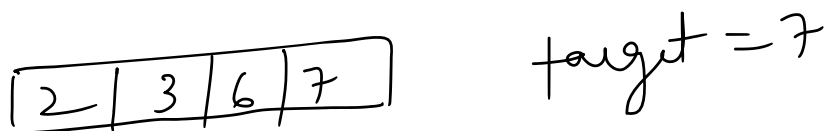
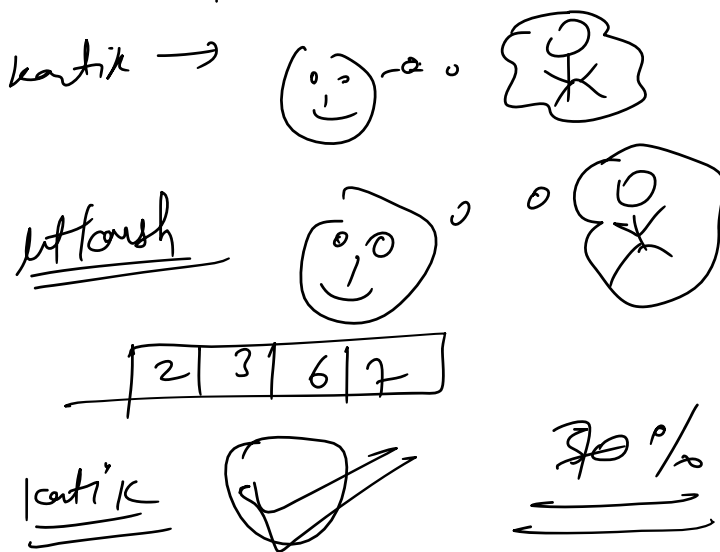
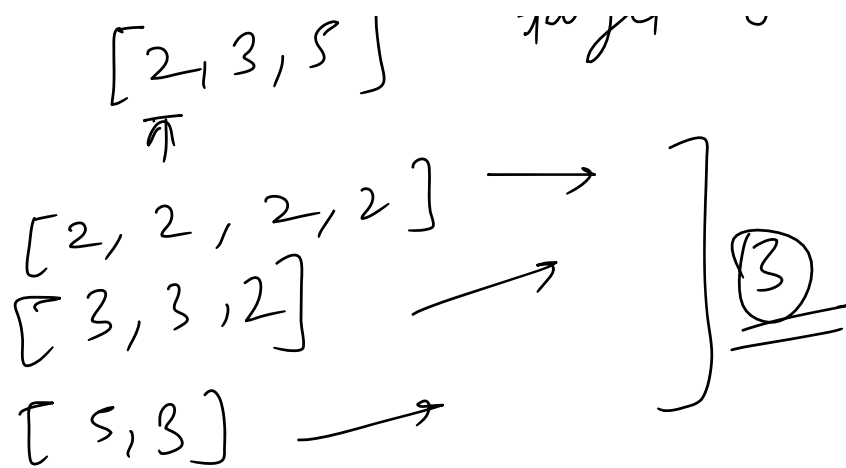
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`[[2, 2, 3], [7]]`

candidates

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target = 7



Choice Diagram

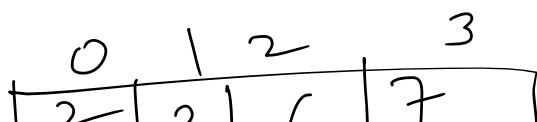
$arr[i] \leq \text{target}$

① Choice to Include it

② Not to Include it

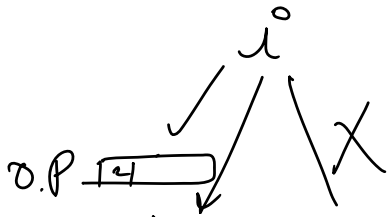
$arr[i] > \text{target}$

① Not to Include it

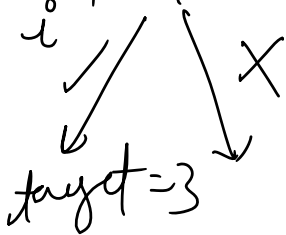


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2	3	6	7

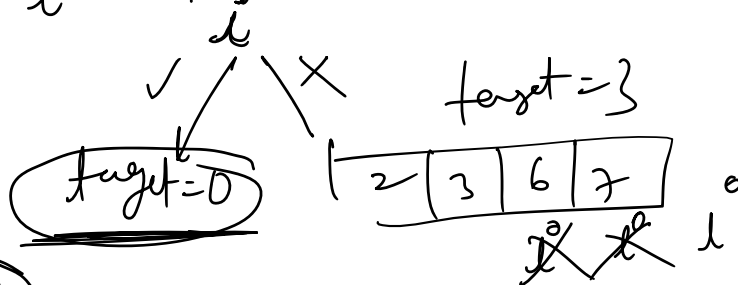
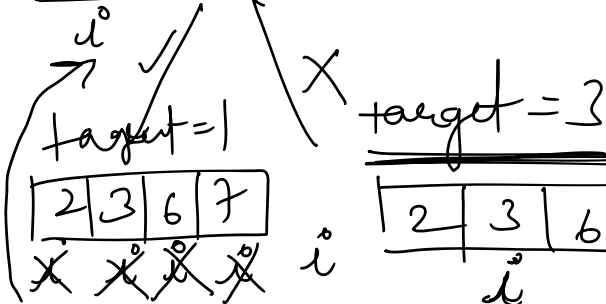
target = 7



2	3	6	7
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2	3	6	7
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[2, 2, 3]

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class Solution {
public:
    void helper(int i, vector<int> &temp_output, vector<vector<int>> &answer_array, vector<int>
    &candidates, int target)
    {
        // sum mera target k equal ho gaya
        if(target == 0){
            answer_array.push_back(temp_output);
            return;
        }

        if(i == candidates.size()){
            return;
        }
    }
};
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    }

    if(i == candidates.size()){
        return;
    }
    // []
    // [2, ---]
    if(candidates[i] <= target){
        temp_output.push_back(candidates[i]);
        // include
        helper(i, temp_output, answer_array, candidates, target - candidates[i]);
        // []
        temp_output.pop_back();
        // not include
        helper(i+1, temp_output, answer_array, candidates, target);
    } else {
        helper(i+1, temp_output, answer_array, candidates, target);
    }
}

vector<vector<int>> combinationSum(vector<int>& candidates, int target) {
    vector<vector<int>> answer_array;
    vector<int> temp_output;
    helper(0, temp_output, answer_array, candidates, target);
    return answer_array;
};

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T.C - $O(2^N)$

S.C - $O(N)$

Subset 2 → Combination 2

Method →

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            // include
            helper(i+1, temp_output, answer_array, candidates, target - candidates[i]);
            // []
            temp_output.pop_back();
            // not include
            while(i + 1 < candidates.size() && candidates[i+1] == candidates[i]){
                i++;
            }
        }
    }
};

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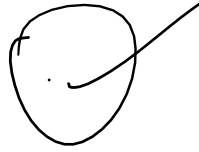
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    }
    helper(i+1,temp_output,answer_array,candidates,target);
}
}
}
}
vector<vector<int>> combinationSum2(vector<int>& candidates, int target) {
    sort(candidates.begin(),candidates.end());
    vector<vector<int>> answer_array;
    vector<int> temp_output;
    helper(0,temp_output,answer_array,candidates,target);
    return answer_array;
}
};

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Permutation with spaces

Example 1:

Input:

S = "ABC"

Output: (A B C)(A BC)(AB C)(ABC)

Explanation:

ABC

AB C

A BC

A B C

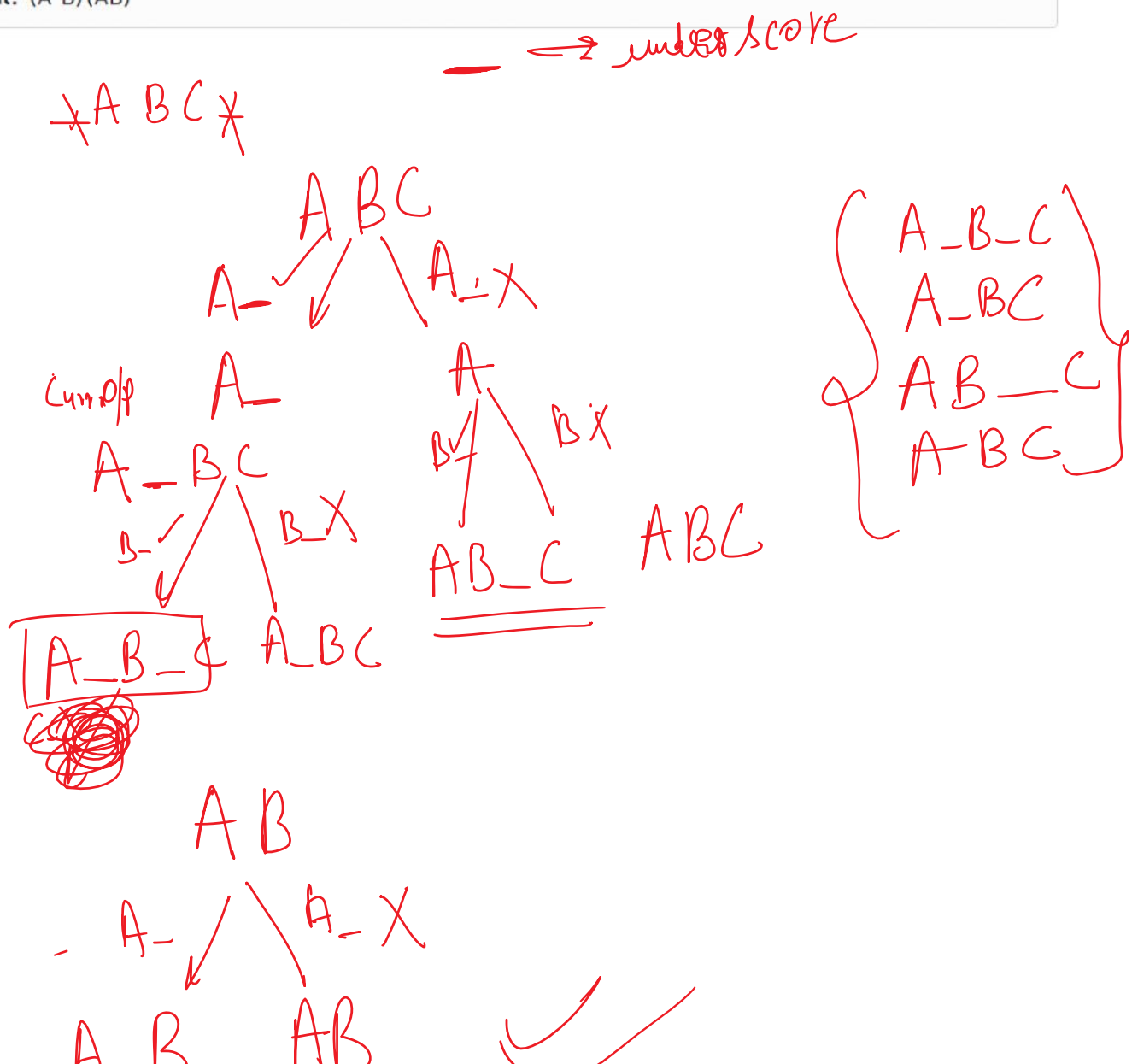
These are the possible combination of "ABC".

Example 2:

Input:

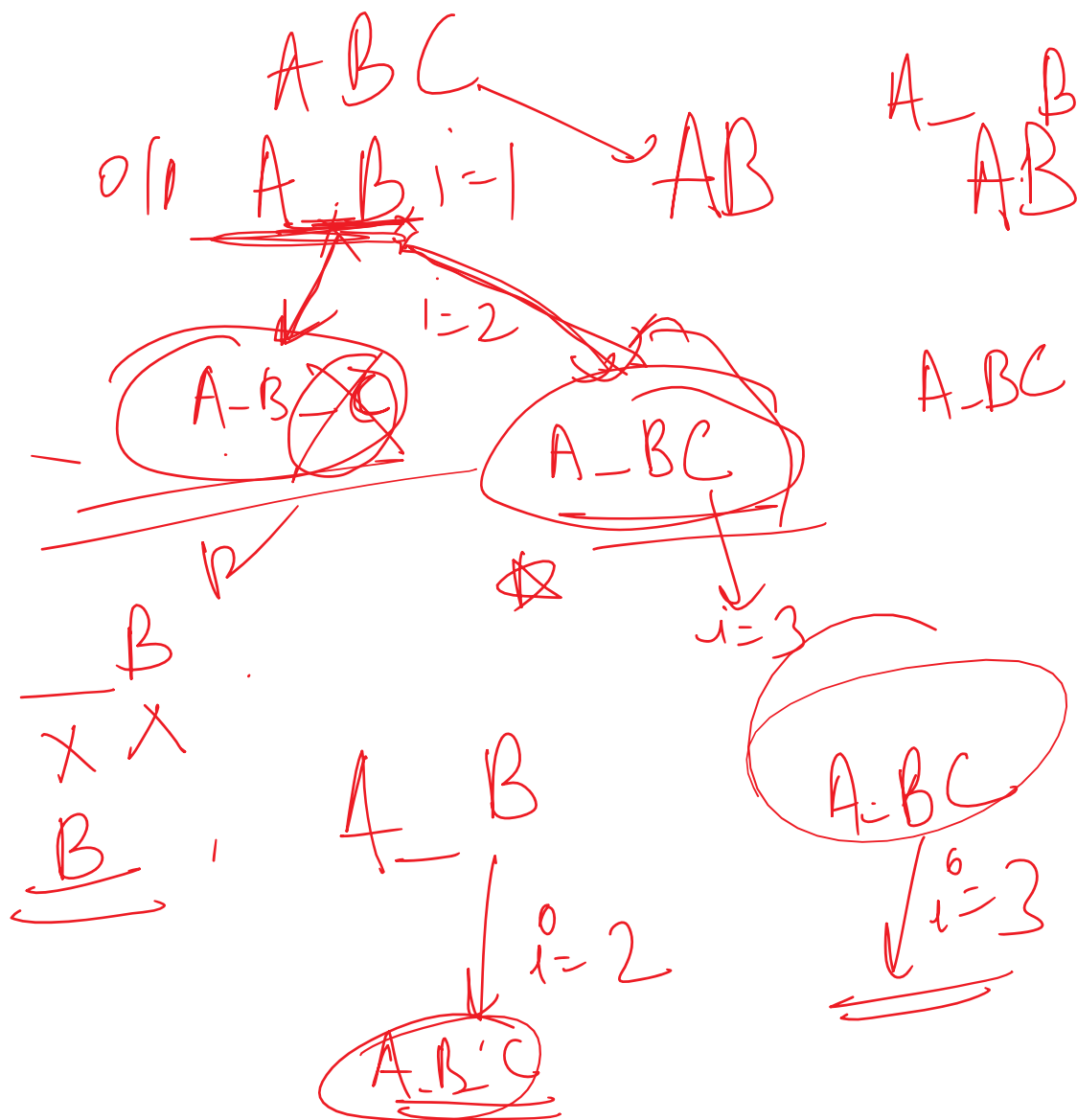
S = "AB"

Output: (A B)(AB)



$A-B \quad AB \quad \checkmark$

Auxillary stack space



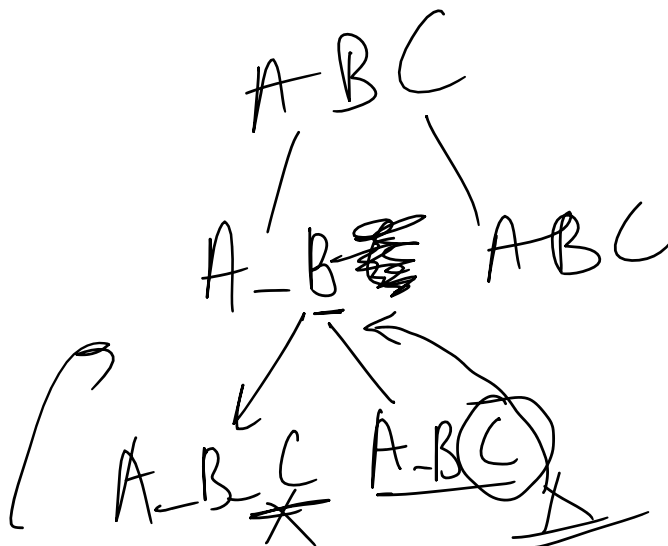
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void helper(int i, string output, string &input, vector<string> &answer_array){
    if(i == input.size()){
        answer_array.push_back(output);
        return;
    }
    // included
    string op1 = output;
    op1 += input[i];
    string op2 = output;
    op2 += input[i];
    helper(i+1, op1, input, answer_array);
    // not included
    helper(i+1, op2, input, answer_array);
}

vector<string> permutation(string S){
    int i = 1;
    vector<string> answer_array;
    string temp_output;
    temp_output += S[0];
    helper(i, temp_output, S, answer_array);
    return answer_array;
}

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        return;
    }
    // included
    output += input[i];
    helper(i+1, output, input, answer_array);
    // not included
    output.pop_back();
    output.pop_back();
    output += input[i];
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