

# Agenda.

⇒ Case Study: Design Typeahead.

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} Suggestions starting  
from prefix mic.

⇒ 4 steps.

1) MVP.

↳ Minimum Viable Product.

2) Scale Estimation

(back of the envelope)

├─ # of users  
├─ QPS (query per sec)  
├─ Storage requirements. ⇒ Is Sharding required?  
└─ # of read queries  
    # of write queries

Read heavy | Write heavy |

Both read & write heavy

# of reads >>> # of writes  $\Rightarrow$  Read Heavy System.

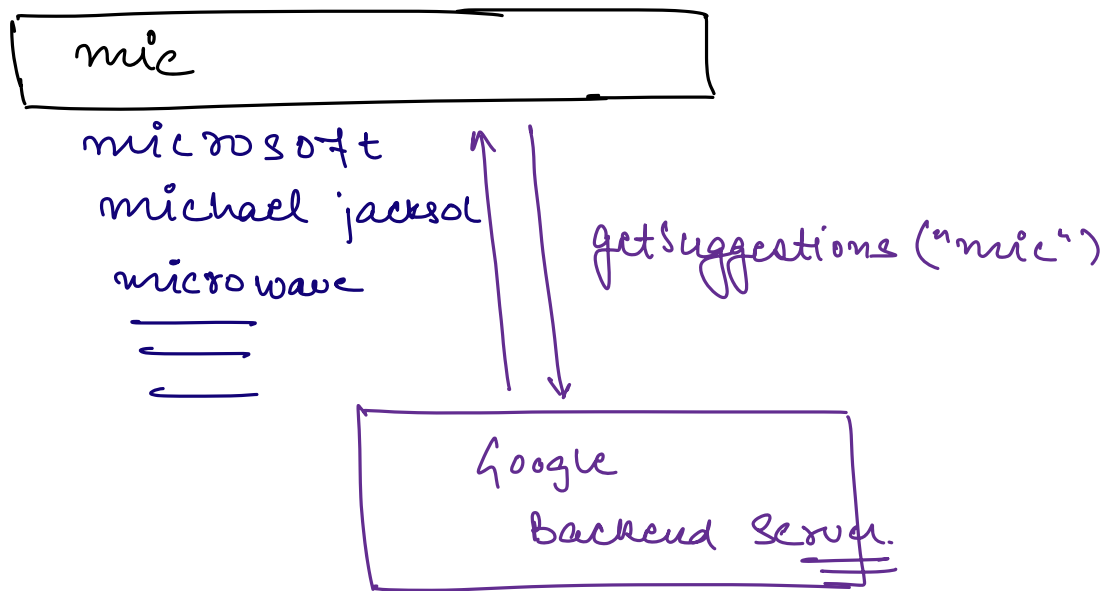
### 3) Design Trade-Offs / Goals.

→ High Consistency (vs) High Availability.  
→ latency.

### 4) Design Deep Dive

→ API's. (3-4 main APIs)  
→ MLD. (Architecture Diagram)  
→ Data Flow.

### # Google Typeahead.



## # MVP

- 1) Search Prefix / getSuggestions
- 2) Max 10 Suggestions.
- 3) Minimum 3 characters required to get the Suggestions.
- 4) Relevant Suggestions.  
↳ based on the recent searches.

## # Scale Estimation / Back of the Envelope

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Assumptions.

$$\# \text{ of users} = \underline{\underline{3B.}}$$

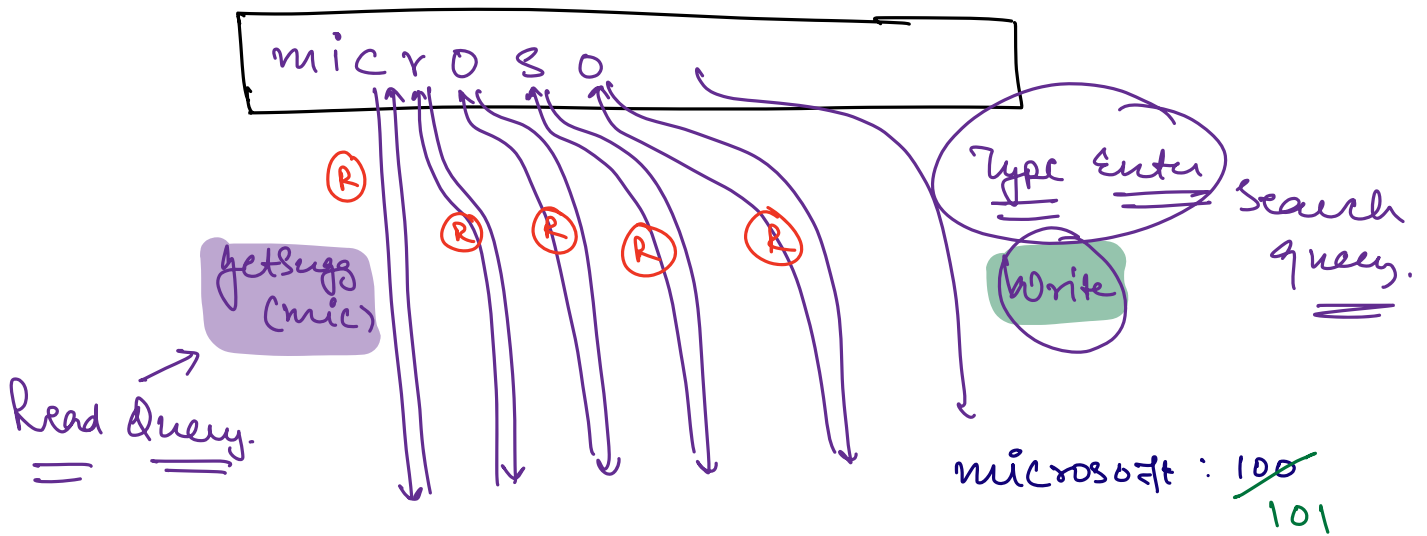
$$\text{DAU} = \textcircled{1B}$$

↖  
Daily Active Users

$$\text{Avg } \# \text{ of searches per user per day} = 20$$

$$\# \text{ of search queries / day} = 20 \times 1B.$$

$$\# \text{ of write queries} \rightarrow \textcircled{\underline{\underline{20B.}}}$$



# of write queries / Day = 20B.

$$\text{Write qps} = \frac{20B.}{24 \times 60 \times 60} \rightarrow 86400$$

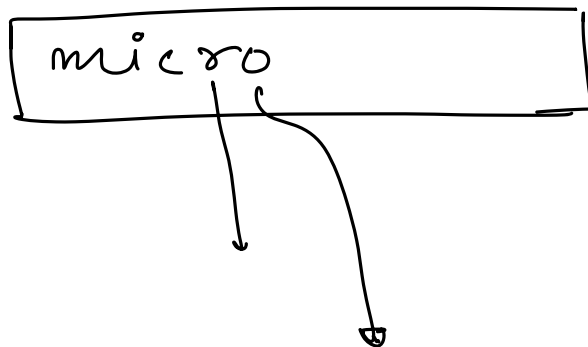
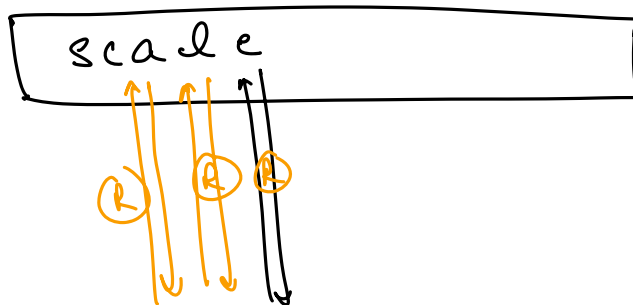
$$= \frac{20 \times 10^9}{10^8}$$

$$= 2 \times 10^5$$

$$= \underline{\underline{200K \text{ qps.}}}$$

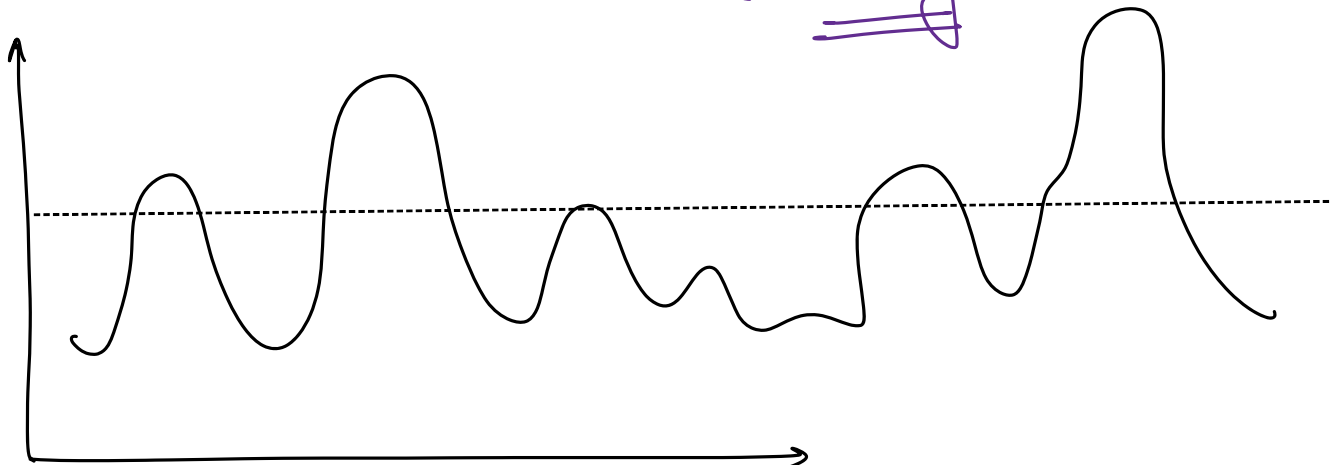
Avg # of getSuggestion call per search query = 5

Read qps =  $5 \times 200k$   
getSuggestions.  $\approx$  1M.



Write qps =  $200k$   
Read qps = 1M } 5x

Both read & write heavy.

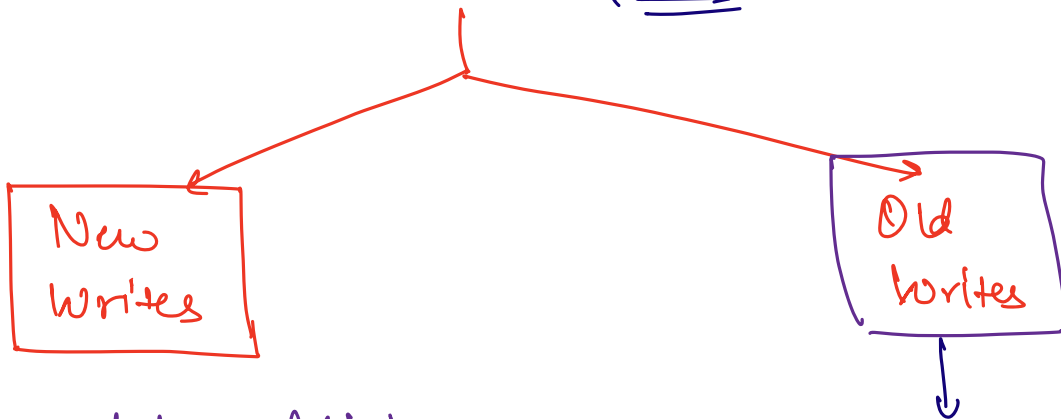


Peak qps  $\Rightarrow$  2x Avg. qps

# Storage Requirements.

Write qps = 200k  
Read qps = 1M

20B writes / day.



$\Rightarrow$  New data addition.

Scaler : 1

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{String, Long}



Search query + Long  
 $\downarrow$                        $\downarrow$   
70-80B.                      8B.

$\Rightarrow$  100B.

Only increment in frequency is required.

$\Rightarrow$  No new data addition

$$\text{New queries / Day} = 10\% \times 20B \\ = \textcircled{2B}$$

2B x 100 Bytes per Day.

$$\underline{\underline{200 \text{ GB.}}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{\underline{1 \text{ Yr}}} &= 200 \text{ GB} \times \cancel{365}^{400} \\ &= 8 \times 10 \times \textcircled{10^5} \text{ GB} \\ &= \underline{\underline{80 \text{ TB.}}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\underline{\underline{10 \text{ Yr}}} \Rightarrow \underline{\underline{800 \text{ TB.}}} \Rightarrow \cancel{\underline{\underline{0.8 \text{ PB.}}}} \quad \textcircled{\underline{\underline{1 \text{ PB}}}}$$

$\Rightarrow$  Sharding ✓

## Design Trade Offs.

I) Highly Availability >> High Consistency.

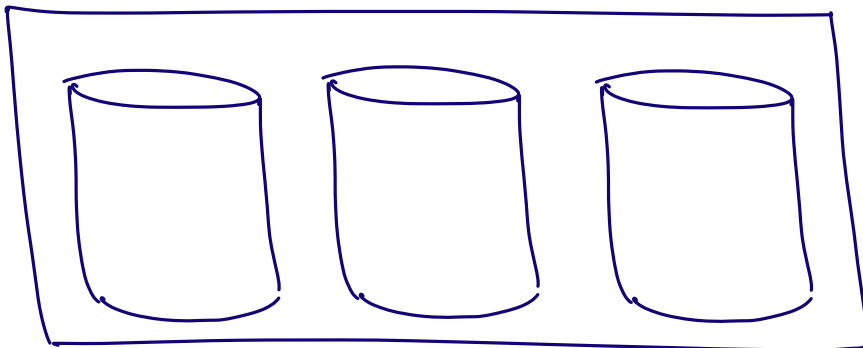
II) Ultra low latency.

## # API's

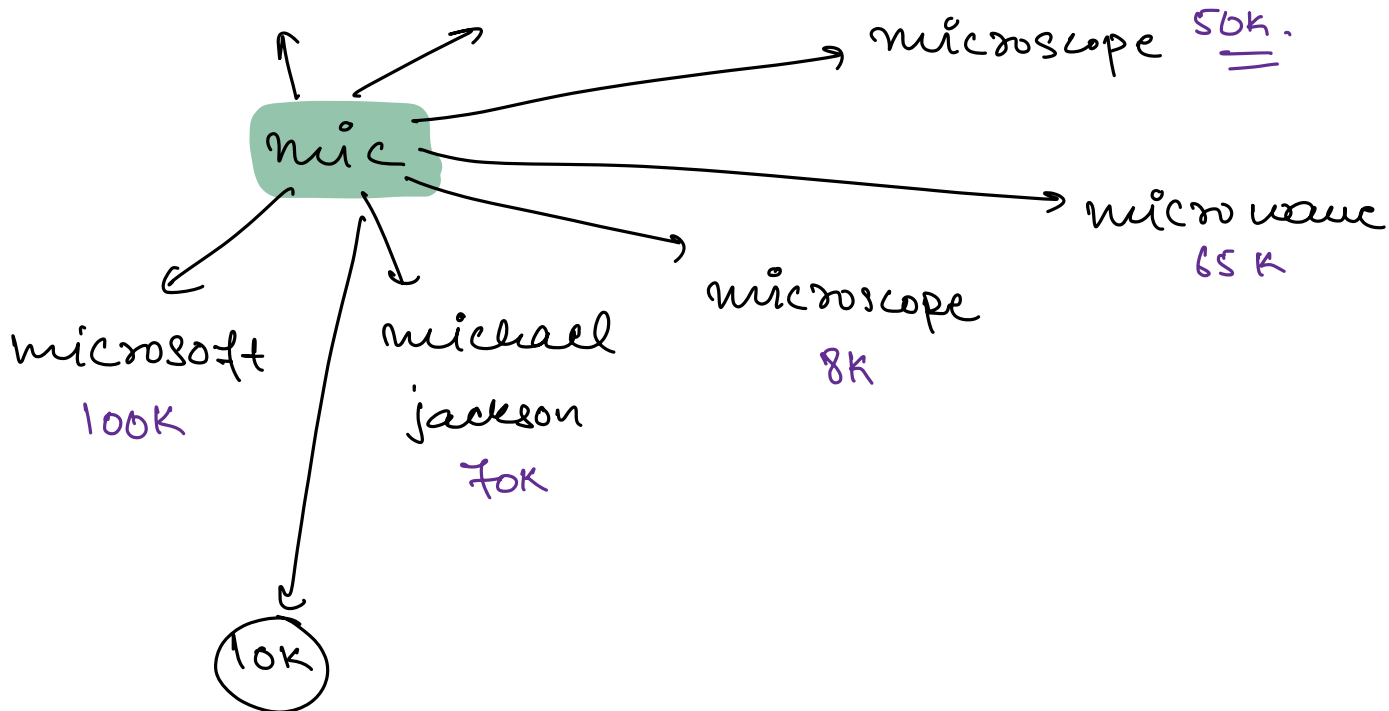
- 1) `getSuggestions (prefix, limit)`
- 2) `updateFrequency (query)`

## # Design Dive.

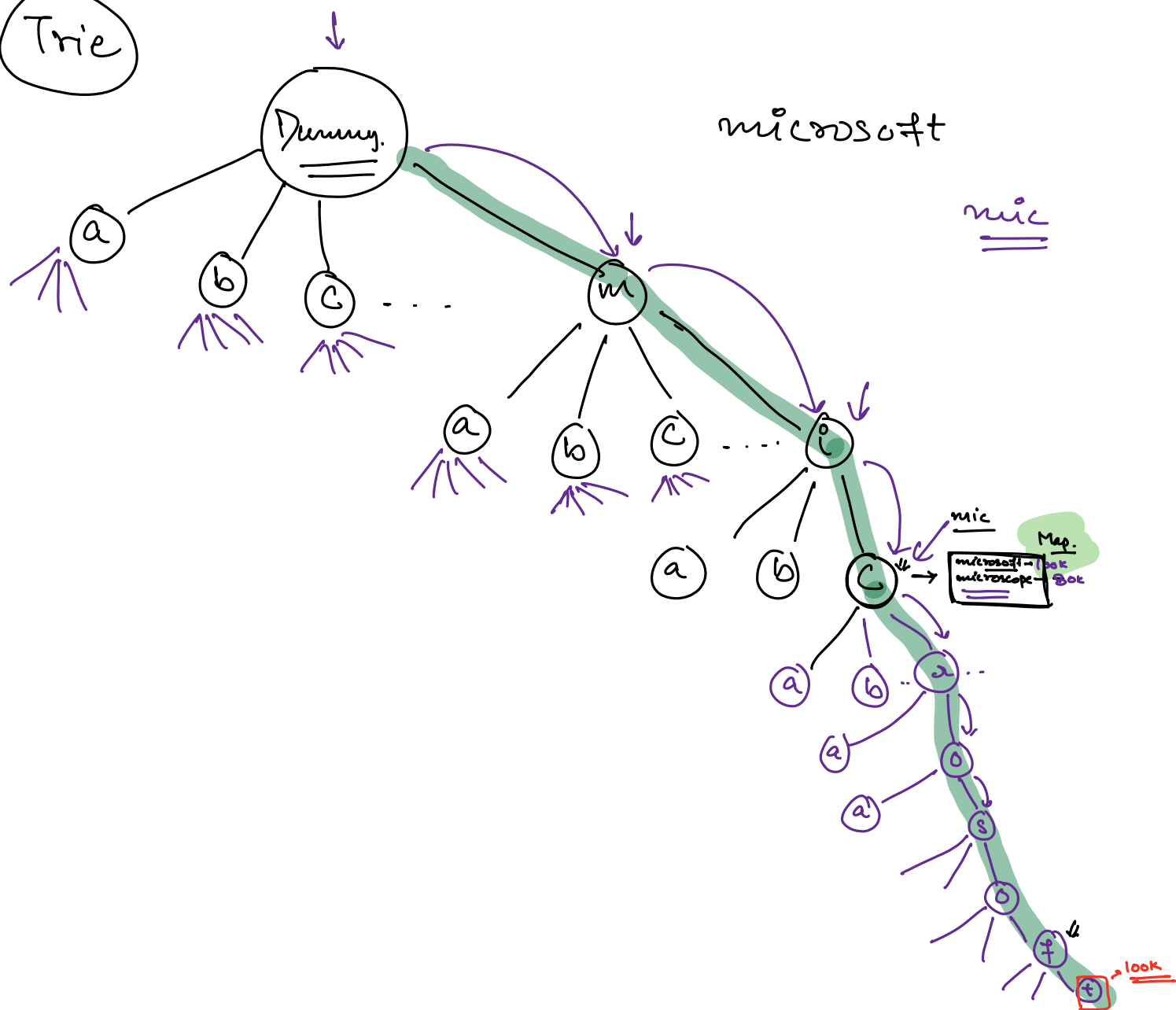
`getSuggestions ("mic", 5)`



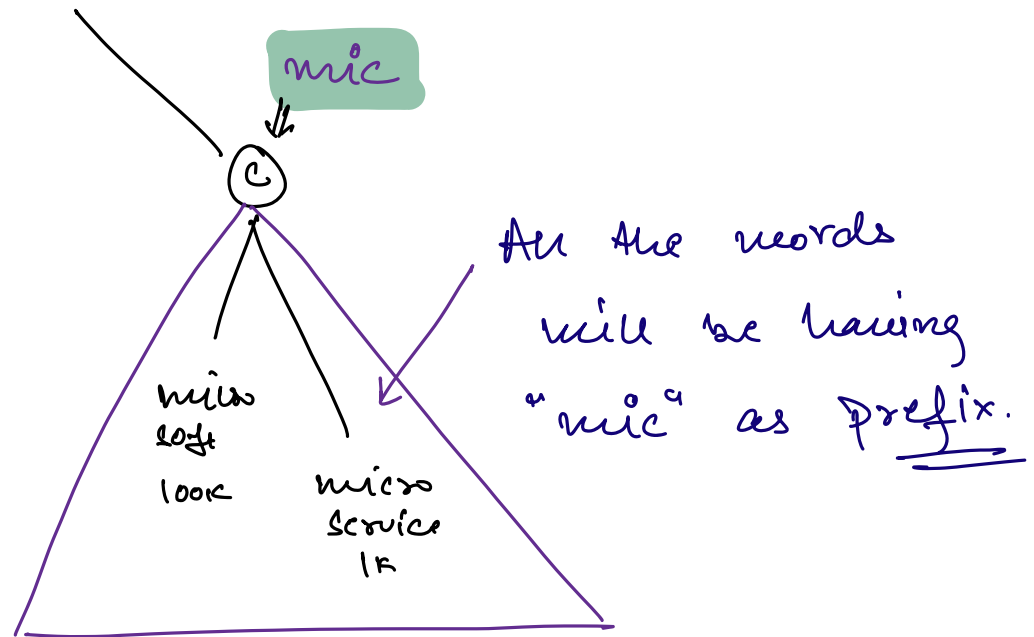




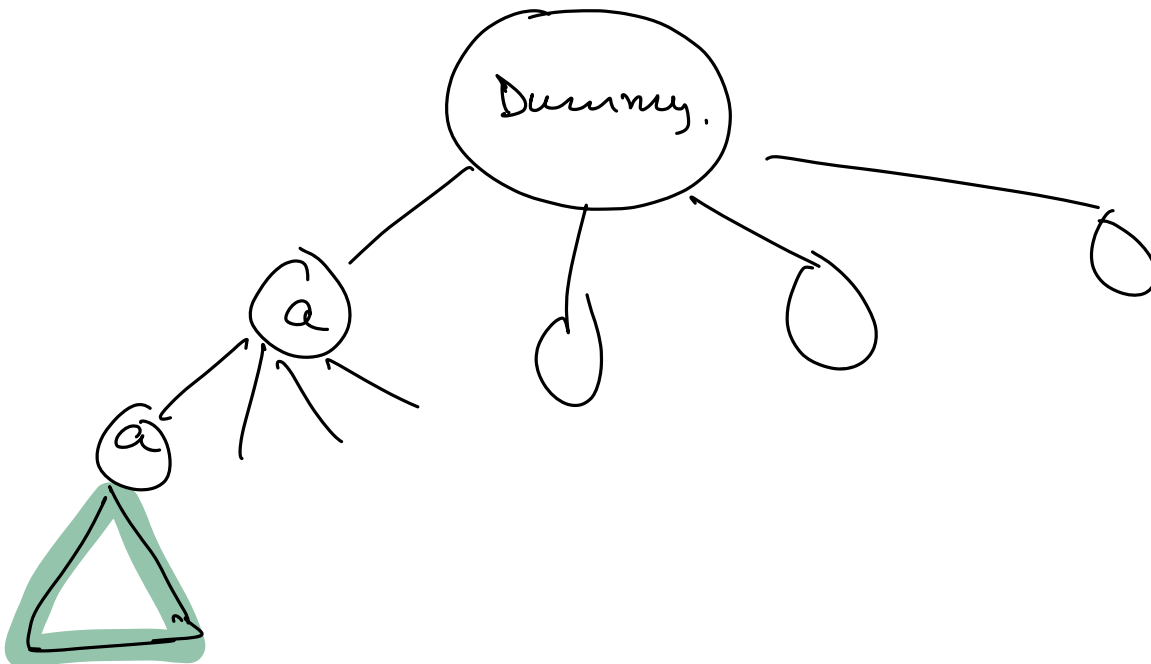
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prefix : "mic"

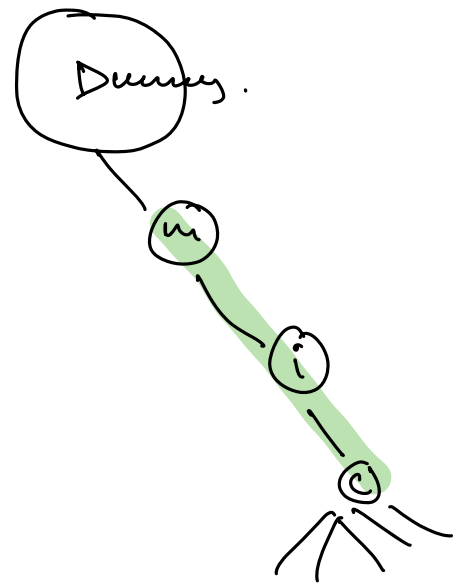


⇒ Backtracking Sol<sup>n</sup>



⇒ for every Node : We can maintain a map with the most frequently accessed word starting with the prefix.

microsoft : —  
microservice : —  
microscope : —  
microwave  
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⇒ We'll continue Tries ahead in the next class