

Day - 18

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level - medium

Q1 Kth smallest element in a sorted matrix.

Input: matrix = [[1, 5, 9], [10, 11, 13], [12, 13, 15]], k = 8

Output: 13

Brute force

// traverse the matrix and store it in a vector mat. and print kth small element.

// optimal by max-heap.

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int kthSmallest(vector<vector<int>>& matrix, int k) {  
    priority_queue<int> pq;
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    for (int i = 0; i < matrix.size(); i++)  
    {
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        for (int j = 0; j < matrix[i].size(); j++)
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        {
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            pq.push(matrix[i][j]);
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            if (pq.size() > k)
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                pq.pop();
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        }
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    }
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}
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    return pq.top();
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}
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/by binary search

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int m = matrix.size();  
int low = matrix[0][0];  
int high = matrix[m-1][m-1];  
while (low < high) {  
    int mid = low + high low + (high - low) / 2;  
    int cnt = 0;  
    for (int i = 0; i < m; i++) {  
        cnt += upper_bound(matrix[i].begin(), matrix[i].end(),  
                           mid) - matrix[i].begin();  
    }  
    if (cnt < k)  
    {  
        low = mid + 1;  
    }  
    else {  
        high = mid;  
    }  
}  
return low;  
}
```


Leet Medium

Q Eliminate maximum number of monsters.

Input: $dist = [1, 3, 9]$, $speed = [1, 1, 1]$

Output: 3

// find time = d/s

// check arrival and actual time.

```
int eliminateMaximum(vector<int> &dist, vector<int> &speed)
{
    int n = dist.size();
    vector<long double> time;
    for(int i=0; i<n; i++) {  $\rightarrow (n)$ 
        long double d = dist[i], s = speed[i];
        long double t = d/s;
        time.push_back(t);
    }
    sort(time.begin(), time.end());  $\rightarrow n \log n$ 
    int k=0, ans=0;
    for(int i=0; i<n; i++)  $\rightarrow n$ 
    {
        if (time[i] > k)
            ans++;
        else
            break;
    }
    return ans;
}
```

Do not in TC!
 $O(n \log n + 2n)$