### Problem: Two Sum Problem

### **Problem Statement**

Write a function twoSum(nums, target) that takes an array of integers (nums) and an integer (target) as input.

The goal is to find **two numbers in the array** that add up exactly to the target.

- Your function should return the **indices** of the two numbers.
- You may not use the same element twice.
- If no two numbers sum up to the target, the function should return an empty array ([]).
- You must also write a main method that performs the following steps:
  - 1. **Takes input** for the array and the target value from the user.
  - 2. **Validates the input array format**, ensuring it contains only numbers separated by commas (with optional spaces).
  - 3. **Calls the twoSum() function** with the validated array and target value.
  - 4. **Displays the result** appropriately.

### **Example 1: Solution Found**

#### Input:

```
nums = [2, 7, 11, 15]
target = 9
```

#### **Output:**

```
[0,1]
```

**Explanation:** Because nums[0] (which is 2) + nums[1] (which is 7) equals 9, we return the indices [0, 1].

### **Example 2: No Solution Found**

#### Input:

```
nums = [3, 5, 8]
target = 20
```

#### **Output:**

**Explanation:** No two numbers in the array sum to 20, so we return an empty array.

### Constraints

You must find the solution with a time complexity between  $O(n^2)$  and O(n).

```
import java.util.Scanner;
import java.util.Arrays;
import java.util.HashMap;
class Solution2{
   // Solution in O(n)
    public static int[] twoSum(int[] nums, int target) {
        HashMap<Integer, Integer> mpp = new HashMap<>();
        int sub = 0;
        for(int i = 0; i < nums.length; ++i) {</pre>
            sub = target - nums[i];
            if(mpp.containsKey(sub))
                return new int[]{mpp.get(sub), i};
            mpp.put(nums[i], i);
        }
        return new int[]{};
    }
    public static void main (String args[]){
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
        String inputRegex = "^\s*(-?\d{1,9})(\s*,\s*-?\d{1,9})*\s*$";
        /* valid inputs
            "123, 456,789",
            "1,2,3",
            " 12,34,56 "
        */
        System.out.println();
        System.out.println("Enter the integer array \n For eg.
1,2,6,3,56,45....");
        String inputArr = sc.nextLine();
        System.out.println();
        if(inputArr.matches(inputRegex)){
            System.out.println("The input array is corect.");
        }
        else{
            System.out.println("The input array is in-corect. Existing the
```

```
program...");
            return;
        }
        String[] inputs = inputArr.split(",");
        int[] arr = Arrays.stream(inputs)
                    .map(String::trim) //space removal
                    .mapToInt(Integer::parseInt) // cast to int
                    .toArray();
        System.out.println();
        System.out.println("Given int arr "+ Arrays.toString(arr));
        System.out.println();
        System.out.println("Enter the target (the specific sum you want to
find)");
        int target = sc.nextInt();
        int[] result = twoSum(arr,target);
        String message;
        if(result.length>0){
            message = String.format("[%d,%d]",result[0],result[1]);
        }
        else{
            message= "[]";
        System.out.println(message);
    }
}
```

```
$ java Solution2
Enter the integer array
For eg. 1,2,6,3,56,45....
2, 7, 11, 15
The input array is corect.
Given int arr [2, 7, 11, 15]
Enter the target (the specific sum you want to find)
9
[0,1]
```

# Problem: Maximum Subarray Sum (Kadane's Algorithm)

### **Problem Statement**

Given an integer array arr[], find the **subarray** (containing at least one element) which has the **maximum possible sum**, and return that sum.

Note: A subarray is a continuous part of an array.

### Examples

#### **Example 1:**

```
Input: arr[] = [2, 3, -8, 7, -1, 2, 3]
Output: 11
Explanation: The subarray [7, -1, 2, 3] has the largest sum = 11.
```

#### **Example 2:**

```
Input: arr[] = [-2, -4]
Output: -2
Explanation: The subarray [-2] has the largest sum -2.
```

#### Example 3:

```
Input: arr[] = [5, 4, 1, 7, 8]
Output: 25
Explanation: The subarray [5, 4, 1, 7, 8] has the largest sum 25.
```

```
import java.util.Scanner;
import java.util.Arrays;

class Solution2{

  public static int maximumSubArraySum(int[] arr){
    int res = arr[0];
    int maxEnding = arr[0];

    // Kadane's appraoch O(n)
    for(int i=1;i<arr.length;i++){</pre>
```

```
maxEnding = Math.max(arr[i] ,maxEnding + arr[i]);
            res = Math.max(res,maxEnding);
        }
        return res;
   }
    public static void main(String args[]){
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
        String inputRegex = "^\s*(-?\d{1,9})(\s*,\s*-?\d{1,9})*\s*$";
        /* valid inputs
            "123, 456,789",
            "1,2,3",
            " 12 , 34 , 56 "
        */
        System.out.println();
        System.out.println("Enter the integer array \n For eg.
1,2,6,3,56,45....");
        String inputArr = sc.nextLine();
        System.out.println();
        if(inputArr.matches(inputRegex)){
            System.out.println("The input array is corect.");
        }
        else{
            System.out.println("The input array is in-corect. Exiting the
program...");
            return;
        int[] arr = Arrays.stream(inputArr.split(","))
                    .map(String::trim)
                    .mapToInt(Integer::parseInt)
                    .toArray();
        int result = maximumSubArraySum(arr);
        System.out.println("The maximum sub-array sum is : "+result);
   }
}
```

```
$ java Solution2
Enter the integer array
```

```
For eg. 1,2,6,3,56,45....

5, 4, 1, 7, 8

The input array is corect.

The maximum sub-array sum is : 25
```

# Problem: Merge Sort

### **Problem Statement**

Implement the **Merge Sort** algorithm to sort an array of integers in ascending order.

Merge Sort is a **divide and conquer** algorithm that works as follows:

- 1. Divide the array into two halves.
- 2. Recursively sort each half.
- 3. Merge the two sorted halves into a single sorted array.

Your task is to write a function that takes an array of integers and returns a sorted array.

#### **Example 1:**

```
Input: arr[] = [5, 3, 8, 4, 2]
Output: [2, 3, 4, 5, 8]
```

```
import java.util.Scanner;
import java.util.Arrays;
class Solution{
    public static void merge(int[] arr, int low, int mid, int high){
        int n = mid - low + 1;
        int m = high - mid;
        int left[] = new int[n];
        int right[] = new int[m];
        //copy to temp arr
        for(int i = 0; i < n; i++){
            left[i] = arr[low + i];
        for(int i = 0; i < m; i++){
            right[i] = arr[mid + 1 + i];
        }
        int i = 0, j=0, k = low;
        while(i< n \&\& j < m){
            if(left[i] <= right[j]){</pre>
                 arr[k] = left[i];
                 i++;
            }
            else{
                 arr[k] = right[j];
```

```
j++;
            }
            k++;
        }
        // residual elements
        while(i<n){</pre>
            arr[k] = left[i];
            i++;
            k++;
        }
        while(j<m){</pre>
            arr[k] = right[j];
            j++;
            k++;
        }
    }
    public static void mergeSort(int[] arr, int low, int high){
        if(low<high){</pre>
            int mid = low + (high-low)/2;
            mergeSort(arr,low,mid);
            mergeSort(arr,mid+1,high);
            merge(arr, low, mid, high);
        }
    }
    public static void main(String args[]){
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
        String inputRegex = "^{s*(-?)(d{1,9})(\s*,\s*-?\d{1,9})*\s*$";
        System.out.println("Enter the integer array \n For eg.
1,2,6,3,56,45....");
        String inputArr = sc.nextLine();
        if(inputArr.matches(inputRegex)){
            System.out.println("The input array is corect.");
        }
        else{
            System.out.println("The input array is in-corect. Exiting the
program...");
            return;
        }
        int[] arr = Arrays.stream(inputArr.split(","))
                     .map(String::trim)
                     .mapToInt(Integer::parseInt)
                     .toArray();
        System.out.println("Input array before merge sort"+Arrays.toString(arr));
        mergeSort(arr, 0, arr.length-1);
```

```
System.out.println("Input array after merge sort"+Arrays.toString(arr));
}
}
```

```
$ java Solution
Enter the integer array
For eg. 1,2,6,3,56,45....
5, 3, 8, 4, 2
The input array is corect.
Input array before merge sort[5, 3, 8, 4, 2]
Input array after merge sort[2, 3, 4, 5, 8]
```

# **Problem: Largest Number**

### **Problem Statement**

Given a list of non-negative integers nums, arrange them such that they form the largest number and return it.

Since the result may be very large, so you need to return a string instead of an integer.

Write a function, largestNumber(int[] arr), that finds the largest number among an array of integers.

- You must also write a **main** function that:
  - Takes user input for an array of non-negative integers (comma- separated).
    - **Example input: 2,59,9,4,10,89**
  - Validates the input using a regular expression.
  - o Calls the largestNumber() method and prints the result.

### Example 1:

```
Input: nums = [10,2]
Output: "210"
```

### Example 2:

```
Input: nums = [3,30,34,5,9]
Output: "9534330"
```

```
import java.util.*;

class Solution{

public static String largestNumber(int[] nums){
    String[] strNums = new String[nums.length];
    for (int i = 0; i < nums.length; i++) {
        strNums[i] = String.valueOf(nums[i]);
    }

Arrays.sort(strNums, (a, b) -> (b + a).compareTo(a + b));

if (strNums[0].equals("0")) return "0";

StringBuilder sb = new StringBuilder();
    for (String s : strNums)
```

```
sb.append(s);
        return sb.toString();
    }
    public static void main(String args[]){
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
        String inputRegex = "^{s*(\d{1,9})(\s*,\s*\d{1,9})*\s*$";}
        System.out.println("Enter the positive integer array \n For eg.
1,2,6,3,56,45....");
        String inputArr = sc.nextLine();
        if(inputArr.matches(inputRegex)){
            System.out.println("The input array is corect.");
        else{
            System.out.println("The input array is in-corect. Exiting the
program...");
            return;
        }
        int[] arr = Arrays.stream(inputArr.split(","))
                    .map(String::trim)
                    .mapToInt(Integer::parseInt)
                    .toArray();
        System.out.println("Input array: "+Arrays.toString(arr));
        String result = largestNumber(arr);
        System.out.println("Result : "+result);
    }
}
```

```
$ java Solution
Enter the positive integer array
For eg. 1,2,6,3,56,45....
3,30,34,5,9
The input array is corect.
Input array: [3, 30, 34, 5, 9]
Result : 9534330
```

# Problem: Product of Array Except Self

### **Problem Statement**

Given an integer array nums, return an array answer such that answer[i] is equal to the product of all the elements of nums except nums[i].

Do not use division, and solve in O(n) time.

If any array element is 0, then the division may cause divide by 0 exceoption.

Write a function productExceptSelf(nums) that takes an array of integers (nums) as input.

The goal is to return an array answer such that answer[i] is equal to the product of all elements in nums except nums[i].

- Do not use division.
- Solve the problem in **O(n) time**.
- If the array contains 0, handle it properly to avoid division errors.

You must also **write a main method** that performs the following steps:

- 1. **Takes input** for the array from the user.
- 2. **Validates the input array format**, ensuring it contains only numbers separated by commas (with optional spaces).
- 3. **Calls the productExceptSelf() function** with the validated array.
- 4. Displays the result appropriately.

### Example 1

```
Input: arr[] = [10, 3, 5, 6, 2]
Output: [180, 600, 360, 300, 900]
Explanation:

For i=0, res[i] = 3 * 5 * 6 * 2 is 180.
For i = 1, res[i] = 10 * 5 * 6 * 2 is 600.
For i = 2, res[i] = 10 * 3 * 6 * 2 is 360.
For i = 3, res[i] = 10 * 3 * 5 * 2 is 300.
For i = 4, res[i] = 10 * 3 * 5 * 6 is 900.
```

### Example 2

```
Input: arr[] = [12, 0]
Output: [0, 12]
Explanation:

For i = 0, res[i] = 0.
For i = 1, res[i] = 12.
```

```
import java.util.Scanner;
import java.util.Arrays;
class Solution{
    public static int[] productExceptSelf(int arr[]){
        int n = arr.length;
        int[] prefixProduct = new int[n];
        int[] suffixProduct = new int[n];
        int[] result = new int[n];
        prefixProduct[0] = 1;
        for(int i=1; i<n; i++){
            prefixProduct[i] = arr[i-1] * prefixProduct[i-1];
        suffixProduct[n-1]=1;
        for(int j=n-2; j>=0; j--){
            suffixProduct[j] = arr[j+1] * suffixProduct[j+1];
        }
        for(int i=0; i< n; i++){
            result[i] = prefixProduct[i] * suffixProduct[i];
        }
        return result;
    }
    public static void main(String args[]){
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
        String inputRegex = "^\s*(-?\d{1,9})(\s*,\s*-?\d{1,9})*\s*$";
        System.out.println("Enter the integer array \n For eg.
1,2,6,3,56,45....");
        String inputArr = sc.nextLine();
        if(inputArr.matches(inputRegex)){
            System.out.println("The input array is corect.");
        else{
            System.out.println("The input array is in-corect. Exiting the
program...");
            return;
        System.out.println();
        int[] arr = Arrays.stream(inputArr.split(","))
                    .map(String::trim)
                    .mapToInt(Integer::parseInt)
```

```
.toArray();

System.out.println("Input array "+Arrays.toString(arr));

int result[] = productExceptSelf(arr);

System.out.println("Result "+Arrays.toString(result));
}
```

```
$ java Solution
Enter the integer array
For eg. 1,2,6,3,56,45....
10, 3, 5, 6, 2
The input array is corect.

Input array [10, 3, 5, 6, 2]
Result [180, 600, 360, 300, 900]
```

# Problem: Find All Duplicates in an Array

### **Problem Statement**

Given an array of integers where  $1 \le a[i] \le n$  (n = size of array), some elements appear twice and others once.

Find all the elements that appear twice.

### Example 1:

```
Input: [4,3,2,7,8,2,3,1]
Output: [2,3]
```

### Example 2:

```
Input: [1,1,2]
Output: [1]
```

```
import java.util.*;
class Solution{
   public static ArrayList<Integer> findDuplicateElements(int arr[]){
        ArrayList<Integer> result = new ArrayList<>();
       HashMap<Integer,Integer> map = new HashMap<>();
       for(int num : arr){
            map.put(num , map.getOrDefault(num,0)+1);
        for(var pair : map.entrySet()){
            if(pair.getValue()!=1){
                result.add(pair.getKey());
            }
        }
        return result;
   }
   public static void main(String args[]){
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
        String inputRegex = "^\s*(-?\d{1,9})(\s*,\s*-?\d{1,9})*\s*$";
        System.out.println("Enter the integer array \n For eg.
```

```
1,2,6,3,56,45....");
        String inputArr = sc.nextLine();
        if(inputArr.matches(inputRegex)){
            System.out.println("The input array is corect.");
        }
        else{
            System.out.println("The input array is in-corect. Exiting the
program...");
            return;
        System.out.println();
        int[] arr = Arrays.stream(inputArr.split(","))
                    .map(String::trim)
                    .mapToInt(Integer::parseInt)
                    .toArray();
        System.out.println("Input array "+Arrays.toString(arr));
        ArrayList<Integer> result = findDuplicateElements(arr);
        System.out.println("Result "+result);
   }
}
```

```
$ java Solution
Enter the integer array
For eg. 1,2,6,3,56,45....
4,3,2,7,8,2,3,1
The input array is corect.

Input array [4, 3, 2, 7, 8, 2, 3, 1]
Result [2, 3]
```

# **Problem 1: Longest Common Prefix**

### **Problem Statement**

Write a function, longestCommonPrefix(String[] strs), that finds the longest common prefix string among an array of strings.

If there is **no common prefix**, return an empty string "".

- You must also write a **main** function that:
  - Takes user input for an array of strings (comma- separated).
    - Example input: apple, application, appstore
  - Validates the input using a regular expression.
  - Splits and trims the strings into an array.
  - Calls the longestCommonPrefix() method and prints the result.

### **Example 1: Common Prefix Found**

```
Input: strs = ["flower", "flow", "flight"]
Output: "fl"
Explanation: The longest common prefix among the three strings is "fl".
```

#### **Example 2: No Common Prefix Found**

```
Input: strs = ["dog", "racecar", "car"]
Output: ""
Explanation: There is no common prefix among the input strings.
```

```
import java.util.Scanner;
import java.util.Arrays;
class Solution {
   public static String longestCommonPrefix(String[] strs) {
      String longest = strs[0];

      for(int i=1;i<strs.length;i++){
          if(longest.length()==0){
               return longest;
          }
}</pre>
```

```
for(int j=0; j<Math.min(longest.length(),strs[i].length()); j++){</pre>
                if(longest.charAt(j)!=strs[i].charAt(j)){
                    longest = longest.substring(0,j);
                    break:
                }
            }
            longest =
longest.substring(0,Math.min(longest.length(),strs[i].length()));
        return longest;
   }
   public static void main(String args[]){
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
        String inputRegex = "^{s*}/w+(\s*,\s*/w+)*\s*$";
        /* valid inputs
           "apple, banana, cherry"
           "apple, banana, cherry "
            " apple , banana "
        */
        System.out.println();
        System.out.println("Enter the string array (comma-separated, optional
spaces). \nFor example: apple, banana, cherry");
        String inputArr = sc.nextLine();
        System.out.println();
       if(inputArr.matches(inputRegex)){
            System.out.println("The input array is corect.");
        }
        else{
            System.out.println("The input array is in-corect. Exiting the
program...");
            return;
        }
        String[] arr = Arrays.stream(inputArr.split(","))
                        .map(String::trim)
                        .toArray(String[]::new);
        String result = longestCommonPrefix(arr);
        System.out.println();
        System.out.println();
        System.out.println("The most common longest prefix is : '"+result+"'");
   }
}
```

```
$ java Solution
Enter the string array (comma-separated, optional spaces).
For example: apple, banana, cherry
flower,flow,flight
The input array is corect.
The most common longest prefix is : 'fl'
```

# Problem: Anagram

### **Problem Statement**

Given two non-empty strings s1 and s2, consisting only of lowercase English letters, determine whether they are anagrams of each other or not.

Two strings are considered anagrams if they contain the same characters with exactly the same frequencies, regardless of their order.

Write a function checkAnagram(String s1, String s2) that returns:

- true if both strings are anagrams.
- false otherwise.
- You must also write a **main** function that:
  - Takes user input for two strings.
  - o Sanitizes the input and ensures the string contains only lowercase English letters.
  - Calls the checkAnagram() function and prints the result.

#### Example 1:

```
Input: s1 = "geeks" s2 = "kseeg"

Output: true
```

**Explanation:** Both the string have same characters with same frequency. So, they are anagrams.

#### Example 2:

```
Input: s1 = "allergy", s2 = "allergyy"

Output: false
```

**Explanation:** Although the characters are mostly the same, s2 contains an extra 'y' character. Since the frequency of characters differs, the strings are not anagrams.

### Example 3:

```
Input: s1 = "listen", s2 = "lists"
Output: false
Explanation: The characters in the two strings are not the same — some are missing or extra. So, they are not anagrams.
```

```
import java.util.Scanner;
import java.util.HashMap;
```

```
class Solution{
   public static boolean checkAnagram(String str1, String str2){
        if(str1.length() != str2.length()) return false;
       HashMap<Character,Integer> freqMap = new HashMap<>();
       for(char ch : str1.toCharArray()){
            freqMap.put(ch, freqMap.getOrDefault(ch,0)+1);
        }
        for(char ch : str2.toCharArray()){
            freqMap.put(ch, freqMap.getOrDefault(ch,0)-1);
        }
       for(var data : freqMap.entrySet()){
            if(data.getValue()!=0){
                return false;
            }
        }
       return true;
   }
   public static void main(String args[]){
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
        String str1, str2;
        System.out.println("Enter the string-1");
        str1 = sc.nextLine().trim().toLowerCase();
       System.out.println("Enter the string-2");
        str2 = sc.nextLine().trim().toLowerCase();
        // System.out.println("Input String "+str1+" "+str2);
        boolean result = checkAnagram(str1,str2);
        System.out.println(result);
        System.out.printf("Given two strings '%s', '%s' %s%s", str1, str2, result
? "are" : "are not", " Anagram");
        return;
   }
}
```

```
$ java Solution
Enter the string-1
tea
Enter the string-2
```

ate true

# Problem: Roman to Integer

### **Problem Statement**

Roman numerals are represented by seven different symbols: I, V, X, L, C, D and M.

```
Symbol Value
I = 1
V = 5
X = 10
L = 50
C = 100
D = 500
M = 1000
```

For example, 2 is written as II in Roman numeral, just two ones added together. 12 is written as XII, which is simply X + II. The number 27 is written as XXVII, which is XX + V + II.

Roman numerals are usually written largest to smallest from left to right. However, the numeral for four is not IIII. Instead, the number four is written as IV. Because the one is before the five we subtract it making four. The same principle applies to the number nine, which is written as IX. There are six instances where subtraction is used:

I can be placed before V (5) and X (10) to make 4 and 9. X can be placed before L (50) and C (100) to make 40 and 90. C can be placed before D (500) and M (1000) to make 400 and 900. Given a roman numeral, convert it to an integer.

Write a function romanToInt(String s) that converts a **Roman numeral** into an **integer**.

If the given string is **not a valid Roman numeral**, your program should print an appropriate message and exit.

You must also write a main function that:

- Takes user input for a Roman numeral string.
- Validates whether it is a valid Roman numeral.
- Calls the romanToInt() function and prints the integer value.

#### Example 1:

```
Input: s = "|||"

Output: 3

Explanation: ||| = 3.
```

### Example 2:

```
Input: s = "LVIII"

Output: 58

Explanation: L = 50, V= 5, III = 3.
```

### Example 3:

```
Input: s = "MCMXCIV"

Output: 1994

Explanation: M = 1000, CM = 900, XC = 90 and IV = 4.
```

```
import java.util.Scanner;
class Solution {
    public static boolean isValidRoman(String s) {
    if (s == null || s.isEmpty()) return false;
    // Roman numerals can only use these characters
   if (!s.matches("^[IVXLCDM]+$")) return false;
   // Strict Roman numeral validation using regex
    // Covers subtractive rules like IV, IX, XL, XC, CD, CM
    String romanRegex =
        ^{M}{0,3} +
                                    // Thousands - 0 to 3000
        "(CM|CD|D?C{0,3})" +
                                   // Hundreds - 900 (CM), 400 (CD), 0-300 (C,
CC, CCC)
        "(XC|XL|L?X{0,3})" +
                                   // Tens - 90 (XC), 40 (XL), 0-30 (X, XX, XXX)
                                  // Ones - 9 (IX), 4 (IV), 0-3 (I, II, III)
        "(IX|IV|V?I{0,3})$";
    return s.matches(romanRegex);
}
    public static int value(char c){
        switch(c){
            case 'I': return 1;
            case 'V': return 5;
            case 'X': return 10;
            case 'L': return 50;
            case 'C': return 100;
            case 'D': return 500;
            case 'M': return 1000;
            default: return 0;
        }
    public static int romanToInt(String s) {
```

```
s = s.toUpperCase();
        int sum = 0;
        int length = s.length();
        for(int i=0;i<length;i++){</pre>
            int currValue = value(s.charAt(i));
            if(i+1 < length && currValue < value(s.charAt(i+1))){</pre>
                sum-=currValue;
            }
            else{
                sum+=currValue;
            }
        return sum;
    }
    public static void main(String args[]){
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
        System.out.println("Enter you roman string / roman number.");
        String s = sc.nextLine().trim().toUpperCase();
        if(!isValidRoman(s)){
            System.out.println("Invalid Roman Literal. Quiting the program ...");
            return;
        int result = romanToInt(s);
        System.out.println("The computed value of your roman number is :
"+result);
   }
}
```

```
$ java Solution
Enter you roman string / roman number.
MCMXCIV
The computed value of your roman number is : 1994
```

# Problem: Longest Substring Without Repeating Characters

### **Problem Statement**

Given a string s, find the length of the longest substring that contains no repeating characters. A substring is a contiguous sequence of characters within the string.

Write a function Longest\_Substring\_Without\_Repeating\_Characters(String s) that finds Longest Substring Without Repeating Characters from the given string.

You must also write a main function that:

- Takes user input for a string.
- Calls the Longest\_Substring\_Without\_Repeating\_Characters() function and prints the result value.

#### Example 1:

```
Input: s = "abcabcbb"

Output: substring = abc , size = 3

Explanation: The answer is "abc", with a length of 3.
```

### Example 2:

```
Input: s = "pwwkew"

Output: substring = wke , size = 3

Explanation: The longest substring without repeating characters is "wke".
```

```
if(charMap.containsKey(c) && charMap.get(c)>=left){
                left = charMap.get(c)+1;
            }
            charMap.put(c,i);
            int currLen = i - left + 1;
            if(currLen>maxLen){
                maxLen = currLen;
                subStr = str.substring(left,i+1);
            }
       }
       return subStr;
   }
   public static void main(String args[]){
       Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
        System.out.println("Enter a String.");
        String s = sc.nextLine().trim();
        String result = Longest_Substring_Without_Repeating_Characters(s);
       System.out.printf("substring = '%s', size = %d",result, result.length());
   }
}
```

```
$ java Solution
Enter a String.
pwwkew
substring = 'wke', size = 3
```

# **Problem: Group Anagrams**

### **Problem Statement**

Given an array of strings strs, group all the anagrams together.

Two strings are anagrams if they contain the same characters in different order.

Write a function groupAnagram(String[] strArr) that finds Grouped Anagram from the given string array.

You must also write a main function that:

- Takes user input for a string.
- Calls the groupAnagram() function and prints the result value.

#### Example 1:

```
Input: strs = ["eat","tea","tan","ate","nat","bat"]

Output: [["eat","tea","ate"],["tan","nat"],["bat"]]

Explanation:
```

### Example 1:

```
Input: strs = [""]

Output: [[""]]

Explanation:
```

```
import java.util.*;

class Solution{
  public static String generateHashKey(String s) {
    int arr_size = 26; // length of english characters;

    StringBuilder hashString = new StringBuilder();
    int[] frequency = new int[arr_size];

    for(char c : s.toCharArray()) {
        frequency[c - 'a'] += 1; //frequency of each char in str
    }

    for(int i=0; i<arr_size; i++) {
        hashString.append(frequency[i]);
        hashString.append("$");
    }

    return hashString.toString();</pre>
```

```
public static ArrayList<ArrayList<String>> groupAnagram(String[] strArr){
        ArrayList<ArrayList<String>> result = new ArrayList<>();
        HashMap<String, Integer> map = new HashMap<>();
        for(int i = 0; i<strArr.length; i++){</pre>
            String key = generateHashKey(strArr[i]);
            if(!map.containsKey(key)){
                map.put(key,result.size());  // map keep ths index of the keys
                result.add(new ArrayList<>()); // at every index we keep the
arraylist of same key,
            result.get(map.get(key)).add(strArr[i]); // store the string in its
respective arraylist index
        return result;
    }
    public static void main(String args[]){
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
        System.out.println("Enter string seperated by ',' comma. Eg. abc, cdb,
xyz ....");
        String[] str = Arrays.stream(sc.nextLine().trim().split(","))
                        .map(String::trim)
                        .toArray(String[]::new);
        ArrayList<ArrayList<String>> result = groupAnagram(str);
        System.out.println(result);
   }
}
```

```
$ java Solution
Enter string seperated by ',' comma. Eg. abc, cdb, xyz ....
eat,tea,tan,ate,nat,bat
[[eat, tea, ate], [tan, nat], [bat]]
```

### Problem: Search a 2D Matrix

### **Problem Statement**

You are given an  $m \times n$  integer matrix matrix with the following properties:

- 1. Each row is sorted in **non-decreasing order**.
- 2. The first integer of each row is greater than the last integer of the previous row.
- 3. You must also **write a main method** that performs the following steps:
  - 1. **Takes input** for the matrix and the target value from the user.
  - 2. **Validates the input matrix format**, ensuring it contains only numbers separated by commas (with optional spaces).
  - 3. **Calls the searchMatrix() function** with the validated array and target value.
  - 4. **Displays the result** appropriately.

Given an integer target, return true if target is present in the matrix, or false otherwise.

### **Example 1: Target Exists**

#### Input:

```
matrix = [
  [1, 3, 5, 7],
  [10, 11, 16, 20],
  [23, 30, 34, 60]
]
target = 3
```

#### **Output:**

```
Result: Target found!
```

### Example 2: Target Doesn't Exists

#### Input:

```
matrix = [
   [1, 3, 5, 7],
   [10, 11, 16, 20],
   [23, 30, 34, 60]
]
target = 13
```

#### **Output:**

```
Result: Target Not found!
```

#### Constraints:

You must write a solution in O(log(m \* n)) time complexity.

```
import java.util.*;
class Solution {
    public static boolean searchMatrix(int[][] matrix, int target) {
        ArrayList<Integer> fEle = new ArrayList<Integer>();
        for(int[] row : matrix){
            fEle.add(row[0]);
        }
        //binary search
        int low=0;
        int high=fEle.size()-1;
        int rowIndex = -1;
        while(low<=high){
            int mid = low + (high-low)/2;
            //break point
            if((mid==fEle.size()-1)||(target >= fEle.get(mid) && target <</pre>
fEle.get(mid+1))){
                rowIndex = mid;
                break;
            }
            if(target > fEle.get(mid)){
                low = mid+1;
            }
            else{
                high = mid-1;
            }
        }
        if(rowIndex==-1) return false;
        // actual row searching
        low=0;
        int[] searchRow = matrix[rowIndex];
        high=searchRow.length-1;
        while(low<=high){</pre>
```

```
int mid = low + (high-low)/2;
            if(target == searchRow[mid]){
                return true;
            if(target > searchRow[mid]){
                low = mid+1;
            }
            else{
               high = mid-1;
            }
        }
        return false;
    }
    public static void main(String args[]){
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
        System.out.println("Enter number of rows:");
        int rows = sc.nextInt();
        System.out.println("Enter number of columns:");
        int cols = sc.nextInt();
        sc.nextLine(); // consume newline
        int[][] matrix = new int[rows][cols];
        System.out.println("Enter the matrix row by row (comma-separated
values):");
        for (int i = 0; i < rows; i++) {
            String line = sc.nextLine().trim();
            if (!line.matches("^[0-9,\\s-]+$")) {
                System.out.println("Invalid input format. Only numbers and commas
are allowed.");
                return;
            }
            String[] values = line.split(",");
            if (values.length != cols) {
                System.out.println("Invalid number of columns in row " + (i + 1));
                return;
            }
            for (int j = 0; j < cols; j++) {
                matrix[i][j] = Integer.parseInt(values[j].trim());
            }
        }
        System.out.println("Enter target value:");
        int target = sc.nextInt();
        Solution sol = new Solution();
        boolean found = searchMatrix(matrix, target);
```

```
System.out.println("Result: " + (found ? "Target found!" : "Target not
found."));
}
```

```
$ java Solution
Enter number of rows:
3
Enter number of columns:
3
Enter the matrix row by row (comma-separated values):
1,5,6
6,8,7
11,25,10
Enter target value:
11
Result: Target found!
```

# Problem: Right-Angled Triangle of Stars

### **Problem Statement**

Write a program that prints a right-angled triangle made of stars (\*) with **n rows**.

Each row i should contain exactly i stars.

### Input

• An integer n representing the number of rows.

### Output

• A right-angled triangle of stars with n rows.

### Example

Input: 5

### **Output:**

```
*
    **
    **
    ***
    ****
```

```
import java.util.Scanner;

class Solution{
   public static void main(String[] args) {
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
        System.out.println("Enter the number of rows for the pattern.");

        int n = sc.nextInt();

        System.out.println();
        System.out.println("Pattern :");
        System.out.println();

        for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++) {
            for (int j = 1; j <= i; j++) {
                 System.out.print("*");
            }
            System.out.println();
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```
}
}
}
```

```
$ java Solution
Enter the number of rows for the pattern.
5

Pattern :

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**
***
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****
```

# Problem: # Inverted Right-Angled Triangle

### **Problem Statement**

Write a program that prints an inverted right-angled triangle made of stars (\*) with **n rows**.

The first row should contain n stars, the second row n-1, and so on, until the last row contains 1 star.

### Input

• An integer n representing the number of rows.

### Output

• An inverted right-angled triangle of stars with n rows.

### Example

Input: 5

#### **Output:**

```
}
}
}
```

# Problem: Pyramid of Stars

#### **Problem Statement**

Write a program that prints a **symmetric pyramid** made of stars (\*) with **n rows**.

- The first row should have 1 star centered.
- Each subsequent row should increase by 2 stars, forming a symmetric pyramid.

## Input

• An integer n representing the number of rows.

# Output

• A symmetric pyramid of stars with n rows.

## Example

#### Input: 5

#### **Output:**

```
}
}
}
```

```
$ java Solution
Enter the number of rows for the pattern.
5

Pattern:

*
***
****
******
```

# Problem: Number Pyramid

### **Problem Statement**

Write a program that prints a **pyramid of numbers** with **n** rows.

- Each row i should contain numbers from 1 up to i.
- The numbers should form a symmetric pyramid.

## Input

• An integer n representing the number of rows.

# Output

• A number pyramid with n rows.

# Example

#### Input:

5

#### **Output:**

```
1
12
123
1234
12345
```

```
import java.util.Scanner;

class Solution{
   public static void main(String[] args) {
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
        System.out.println("Enter the number of rows for the pattern.");

        int n = sc.nextInt();

        System.out.println();
        System.out.println("Pattern :");
        System.out.println();

        for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++) {</pre>
```

```
for (int j = 1; j <= n - i; j++) System.out.print(" ");
    for (int j = 1; j <= i; j++) System.out.print(j + " ");
        System.out.println();
    }
}</pre>
```

```
$ java Solution
Enter the number of rows for the pattern.
5

Pattern:

1
    1    2
    1   2   3
    1   2   3   4
    1   2   3   4   5
```

# Problem: Floyd's Triangle

### **Problem Statement**

Write a program that prints **Floyd's Triangle** — a right-angled triangle of **consecutive numbers** starting from 1, arranged row by row.

• Row 1 contains 1 number, row 2 contains 2 numbers, row 3 contains 3 numbers, and so on.

## Input

• An integer n representing the number of rows.

## Output

• Floyd's Triangle with n rows.

## Example

#### Input:

5

#### **Output:**

```
1
2 3
4 5 6
7 8 9 10
11 12 13 14 15
```

```
import java.util.Scanner;

class Solution{
   public static void main(String[] args) {
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
        System.out.println("Enter the number of rows for the pattern.");

        int n = sc.nextInt();

        System.out.println();
        System.out.println("Pattern :");
        System.out.println();

        int a=1;
        for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++) {</pre>
```

```
$ java Solution
Enter the number of rows for the pattern.
5

Pattern :

1
2 3
4 5 6
7 8 9 10
11 12 13 14 15
```

# Problem: Diamond Pattern

## **Problem Statement**

Write a program that prints a diamond pattern of stars (\*).

- The diamond has **n rows in the top half**.
- The bottom half mirrors the top half, forming a symmetric diamond.

## Input

• An integer n representing the number of rows in the top half.

## Output

• A symmetric diamond of stars.

# Example

#### Input:

5

### **Output:**

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```
import java.util.Scanner;

class Solution{
  public static void main(String[] args) {
     Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
     System.out.println("Enter the number of rows for the pattern.");

  int n = sc.nextInt();

  System.out.println();
```

```
System.out.println("Pattern :");
System.out.println();

// Top half
for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++) {
    for (int j = 1; j <= n - i; j++) System.out.print(" ");
    for (int j = 1; j <= 2 * i - 1; j++) System.out.print("*");
    System.out.println();
}

// Bottom half
for (int i = n - 1; i >= 1; i--) {
    for (int j = 1; j <= n - i; j++) System.out.print(" ");
    for (int j = 1; j <= 2 * i - 1; j++) System.out.print("*");
    System.out.println();
}
}
}</pre>
```

# **Problem: Hollow Pyramid**

### **Problem Statement**

Write a program that prints a **hollow pyramid** made of stars (\*) with **n rows**.

• Only the **edges** and the **base** of the pyramid should have stars; the inside should be empty (spaces).

## Input

• An integer n representing the number of rows.

## Output

• A hollow pyramid of stars with n rows.

# Example

### Input:

5

#### **Output:**

```
else System.out.print(" ");
}
System.out.println();
}
}
}
```

```
$ java Solution
Enter the number of rows for the pattern.
5

Pattern:

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# Problem: Pascal's Triangle

### **Problem Statement**

Write a program that prints the **first n rows of Pascal's Triangle**.

- Each number in the triangle is the sum of the two numbers directly above it.
- The triangle starts with 1 at the top.

## Input

• An integer n representing the number of rows.

## Output

• The first n rows of Pascal's Triangle.

# Example

#### Input:

5

#### **Output:**

```
1
11
121
1331
14641
```

```
import java.util.Scanner;

class Solution{
   public static void main(String[] args) {
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
        System.out.println("Enter the number of rows for the pattern.");

        int n = sc.nextInt();

        System.out.println();
        System.out.println("Pattern :");
        System.out.println();

        for (int line = 0; line < n; line++) {
            int C = 1; // c = curr line</pre>
```

```
for (int i = 0; i < n - line - 1; i++) System.out.print(" ");
    for (int i = 0; i <= line; i++) {
        System.out.print(C + " ");
        C = C * (line - i) / (i + 1);
    }
    System.out.println();
}
</pre>
```

```
$ java Solution
Enter the number of rows for the pattern.
5

Pattern:

1
11
121
1331
14641
```

# Problem: Zig-Zag Pattern

### **Problem Statement**

Write a program that prints a **zig-zag pattern of stars (\*)** across 3 rows for n columns.

• The stars should follow a diagonal pattern, creating a zig-zag across the three rows.

## Input

• An integer n representing the number of columns.

## Output

• A 3-row zig-zag pattern of stars.

# Example

### Input:

9

#### **Output:**

```
* * * *
* * * *
```

```
System.out.println();
}
}
}
```

```
$ java Solution
Enter the number of rows for the pattern.
25

Pattern:
    * * * * * * *
    * * * * * * * *
    * * * * * * * *
    * * * * * * * *
```

# Problem: Count Words, Lines, and Characters

### **Problem Statement**

Write a program that reads a text file and prints the total number of lines, words, and characters in it.

Your program should handle any plain text file and produce accurate counts even if the file contains multiple spaces, blank lines, or special characters.

## Input

A text file containing any number of lines, words, and characters.

# Output

Print three counts:

- Total number of lines
- Total number of words
- Total number of characters

### Example

#### Input File Content (input.txt):

```
Hello world
This is a test file.
It contains multiple lines.
```

#### **Output**

```
Lines: 3
Words: 9
Characters: 53
```

```
import java.util.*;

class Solution{

  public static ArrayList<Integer> findDuplicateElements(int arr[]){
     ArrayList<Integer> result = new ArrayList<>();
     HashMap<Integer,Integer> map = new HashMap<>();
```

```
for(int num : arr){
            map.put(num , map.getOrDefault(num,0)+1);
        }
        for(var pair : map.entrySet()){
            if(pair.getValue()!=1){
                result.add(pair.getKey());
            }
        }
        return result;
    }
    public static void main(String args[]){
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
        String inputRegex = "^{s*(-?)(d{1,9})(\s^*,\s^*-?\d{1,9})^*\s^*";
        System.out.println("Enter the integer array \n For eg.
1,2,6,3,56,45....");
        String inputArr = sc.nextLine();
        if(inputArr.matches(inputRegex)){
            System.out.println("The input array is corect.");
        }
        else{
            System.out.println("The input array is in-corect. Exiting the
program...");
            return;
        }
        int[] arr = Arrays.stream(inputArr.split(","))
                    .map(String::trim)
                    .mapToInt(Integer::parseInt)
                    .toArray();
        System.out.println("Input array "+Arrays.toString(arr));
        ArrayList<Integer> result = findDuplicateElements(arr);
        System.out.println("Result "+result);
    }
}
```

```
$ java Solution
Enter the file path. Please select only text files for output.
C:\Users\SDE\Desktop\JavaPractice\FileSystem\question_01\input.txt
Lines: 3
Words: 11
```

Characters: 58 End of Program.

# Problem: Count Frequency of Each Word

### **Problem Statement**

Write a program that reads a text file and prints how many times each word appears in it.

The program should:

- **Ignore case** (treat "Hello" and "hello" as the same word).
- Ignore punctuation (so "word," and "word" are treated the same).

## Input

• A text file (e.g., input.txt) containing any text.

## Output

• A list of words with their frequency counts.

## Example

#### Input File (input.txt):

```
Hello world!
This is a test. Hello again, world.
```

#### **Expected Output:**

```
hello: 2
world: 2
this: 1
is: 1
a: 1
test: 1
again: 1
```

```
import java.io.*;
import java.util.*;

public class Solution {
   public static void main(String[] args) throws IOException {

        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
        System.out.println("Enter the file path. Please select only text files for
```

```
output.");
        String inputPath = sc.nextLine().trim();
        try{
            BufferedReader br = new BufferedReader(new FileReader(inputPath));
            Map<String, Integer> freq = new HashMap<>();
            String line;
            while ((line = br.readLine()) != null) {
                line = line.replaceAll("[^a-zA-Z ]", "").toLowerCase();
                for (String word : line.split("\\s+")) {
                    if (!word.isEmpty()) freq.put(word, freq.getOrDefault(word, ♥)
+ 1);
                }
            }
            br.close();
            freq.forEach((k, v) -> System.out.println(k + " - " + v));
        catch(Exception err){
            System.out.println("Found errors with the provided file-path.");
            System.out.println(err);
        finally{
            System.out.println("Ending the Program.");
    }
}
```

# Terminal output

```
$ java Solution
Enter the file path. Please select only text files for output.
C:\Users\SDE\Desktop\JavaPractice\FileSystem\question_02\input.txt
a - 1
contains - 1
world - 1
file - 1
test - 1
this - 1
multiple - 1
is - 1
hello - 1
it - 1
lines - 1
Ending the Program.
```

#### Inside input.txt

Hello world
This is a test file.
It contains multiple lines.

# Problem: Append Data to File

#### **Problem Statement**

Write a program that takes **user input** (such as names, scores, or any text) and **appends** it to an existing file, **without overwriting** the previous content.

If the file does not exist, the program should create it automatically before writing the data.

## Input

- A text value entered by the user (e.g., a name, a score, or a sentence).
- A file (e.g., data.txt) where the input should be appended.

## Output

• The input data is added to the end of the file while preserving all existing content.

## Example

```
Initial File (data.txt):
```

```
Alice - 85
Bob - 90
```

User Input: Charlie - 88

#### **Updated File (data.txt):**

```
Alice - 85
Bob - 90
Charlie - 88
```

```
import java.io.*;
import java.util.Scanner;

public class Solution {
    public static void main(String[] args) throws IOException {
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);

        System.out.println("Enter the string you want to append to a file.");
        String inputStr = sc.nextLine().trim();
```

```
System.out.println("Enter the file path where you want to append. Please
select only text files for output.");
        String inputPath = sc.nextLine().trim();
        try{
            FileWriter fw = new FileWriter(inputPath, true); // true → append mode
            fw.write(inputStr + "\n");
            fw.close();
            System.out.println("Data appended successfully.");
        catch(Exception err){
            System.out.println("Found errors with the provided file-path.");
            System.out.println(err);
       finally{
            System.out.println("Ending the Program.");
        }
   }
}
```

# **Terminal Output**

```
$ java Solution
Enter the string you want to append to a file.
New data line
Enter the file path where you want to append. Please select only text files for output.
C:\Users\SDE\Desktop\JavaPractice\FileSystem\question_03\sample.txt
Data appended successfully.
Ending the Program.
```

## Inside sample.txt

#### Before

```
Hello this is a line.
```

#### After

```
Hello this is a line.
New data line
```

# Problem: Find and Replace in a File

### **Problem Statement**

Write a program that reads the contents of a text file, replaces all occurrences of a **target word or phrase** with a **replacement word or phrase**, and writes the modified content to a new file.

Given:

- A file name (e.g., input.txt)
- Two strings:
  - Find → the text to search for
  - **Replace** → the text to replace it with

The program should create a new file (e.g., output.txt) containing the updated text.

# Example

```
Input File (input.txt):
```

```
There was an error in the system.
The error caused a system crash.
```

Find: error

Replace: warning

#### Output File (output.txt):

```
There was a warning in the system.
The warning caused a system crash.
```

```
import java.io.*;
import java.nio.file.*;
import java.util.Scanner;

public class Solution {
    public static void main(String[] args) throws IOException {
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
        System.out.println("Enter the word that you want to find & replace");
        String findStr = sc.nextLine().trim();
        System.out.println("Enter the word that you want to replace with");
```

```
String replaceStr = sc.nextLine().trim();
        System.out.println("Enter the file path. Please select only text files for
output.");
        String inputPath = sc.nextLine().trim();
        try{
            String content = new String(Files.readAllBytes(Paths.get(inputPath)));
            content = content.replaceAll(findStr, replaceStr);
            Files.write(Paths.get("output.txt"), content.getBytes());
            System.out.println("Replacements done.");
        catch(Exception err){
            System.out.println("Found errors with the provided file-path.");
            System.out.println(err);
       finally{
            System.out.println("Ending the Program.");
   }
}
```

# **Terminal Output**

```
$ java Solution
Enter the word that you want to find & replace
system
Enter the word that you want to replace with
environment
Enter the file path. Please select only text files for output.
C:\Users\SDE\Desktop\JavaPractice\FileSystem\question_04\sample.txt
Replacements done.
Ending the Program.
```

## Inside sample.txt

```
There was an error in the system.
The error caused a system crash.
```

## Inside output.txt

```
There was an error in the environment.
The error caused a environment crash.
```

# Problem: Copy Contents from One File to Another

#### **Problem Statement**

Write a program that reads the contents of input.txt and writes the **same contents** to a new file named output.txt.

If either file does not exist, your program should **create it automatically**.

Ensure that the copied file has the exact same text as the original, including spaces, newlines, and special characters.

## Input

• A text file named input.txt containing any text.

## Output

A new text file named output.txt containing the same contents as input.txt.

## Example

#### Input File (input.txt):

```
Hello World
This is a sample file.
File copy test.
```

#### Output File (output.txt):

```
Hello World
This is a sample file.
File copy test.
```

```
import java.io.*;
import java.util.Scanner;

public class Solution {
   public static void main(String[] args) throws IOException {

        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
        System.out.println("Enter the file path. Select the source file.");
        String inputPath = sc.nextLine().trim();

        System.out.println("Enter the file path. Select the destination file.");
```

```
String outputPath = sc.nextLine().trim();
        try{
            FileInputStream in = new FileInputStream(inputPath);
            FileOutputStream out = new FileOutputStream(outputPath);
            int c;
            while ((c = in.read()) != -1) {
                out.write(c);
            in.close();
            out.close();
            System.out.println("File copied successfully.");
        catch(Exception err){
            System.out.println("Found errors with the provided file-path.");
            System.out.println(err);
        finally{
            System.out.println("Ending the Program.");
   }
}
```

# **Terminal Output**

```
$ java Solution
Enter the file path. Select the source file.
C:\Users\SDE\Desktop\JavaPractice\FileSystem\question_05\input.txt
Enter the file path. Select the destination file.
C:\Users\SDE\Desktop\JavaPractice\FileSystem\question_05\output.txt
File copied successfully.
Ending the Program.
```

# Inside input.txt

```
Hello world
This is a test file.
It contains multiple lines.
```

## Inside output.txt

```
Hello world
This is a test file.
It contains multiple lines.
```