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— Henry Ford —

### Today's Content

- Max consecutive 1's by
  - a) atmost 1 replace
  - b) atmost 1 swap
- Count triplets → { Goldman Sachs hiring challenge }
- Josephus Problem

Q) Given a binary <sup>0,1</sup> ~~arr~~ array, we can atmost replace a single 0 with 1. Find the maximum consecutive 1's we can get in given arr[].

Eg1 { 1 1 ~~0~~<sup>1</sup> 1 1 0 1 } {ans = 5}

0 1 2 3 4 5 6

Eg2 { 0 1 1 1 ~~0~~<sup>1</sup> 1 1 0 1 1 0 } {ans = 6}

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Eg3 { 1 1 1 1 1 1 } {ans = 6}

0 1 2 3 4 5

Eg4 { 1 1 1 0 1 1 ~~0~~<sup>1</sup> 1 1 1 1 0 0 1 1 0 1 1 } {ans = 7}

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17

$\xleftarrow{3}$   
 $3+2+1$

$\xleftrightarrow{2}$   
 $2+4+1$

$\downarrow$   
 $4+0+1$

$\downarrow$   
 $0+2+1$

$\downarrow$   
 $2+2+1$

idea: For every '0'

→ count no. of consecutive 1's on l.h.s = (l)

→ count no. of consecutive 1's on r.h.s = (r)

→ if  $(l+r+1 > ans)$  update  $ans = l+r+1$

Edge case: What if all 1's are present? → return N.

pseudo-code :

```
int maxConsecutiveOnes ( arr, N ) {  
    count = 0 , ans = 0  
    for ( i = 0 ; i < N ; i++ ) {  
        if ( arr[i] == 1 ) { count ++ }  
    }  
    if ( count == N ) { return N }  
    if ( count == 0 ) { return 1 }  
    for ( int i = 0 ; i < N ; i++ ) {  
        if ( arr[i] == 0 ) {  
            // no. of consecutive 1's on l.h.s.  
            l = 0  
            for ( j = i-1 ; j >= 0 ; j-- ) {  
                if ( arr[j] == 1 ) { l ++ }  
                else { break }  
            }  
            // no. of consecutive 1's on r.h.s.  
            r = 0  
            for ( j = i+1 ; j < N ; j++ ) {  
                if ( arr[j] == 1 ) { r ++ }  
                else { break }  
            }  
            if ( l+r+1 > ans ) { ans = l+r+1 }  
        }  
    }  
    return ans.  
}
```

T.C $\rightarrow O(N)$ S.C $\rightarrow O(1)$
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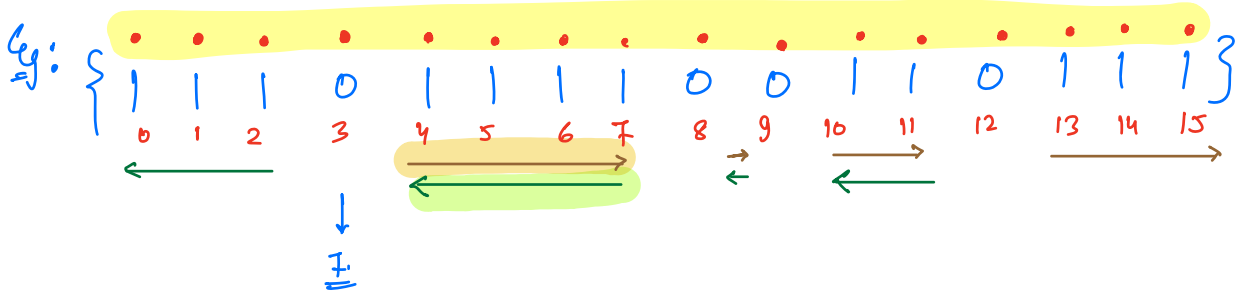
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for ( i = 1 ; i <= 3 ; i++ ) {  
    for ( j = 1 ; j <= N ; j++ ) {  
        // ---  
    }  
}
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i=1 → N  
i=2 → N  
i=3 → N  

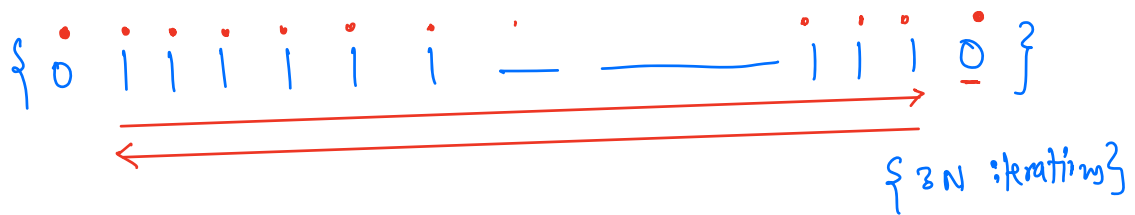
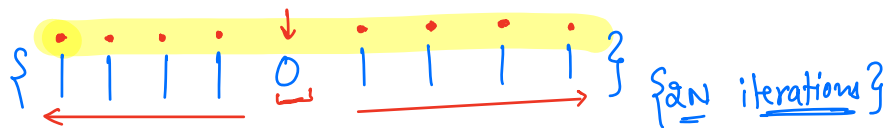
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[T.C → O(N)]



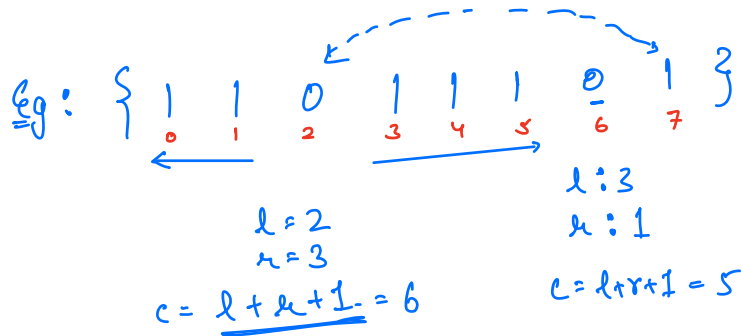
[At max, we are touching all elements → 3 times.]



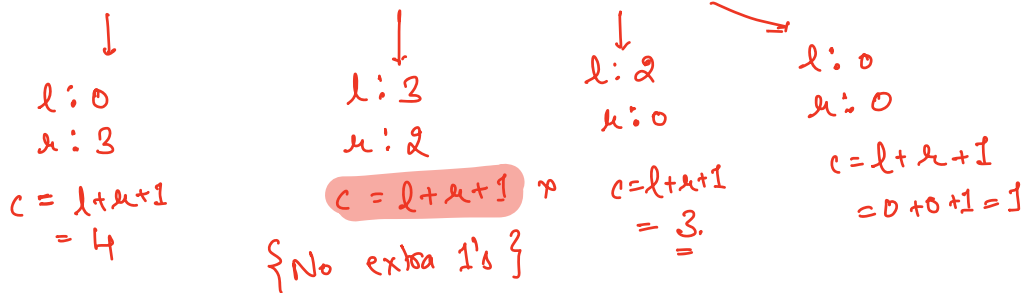
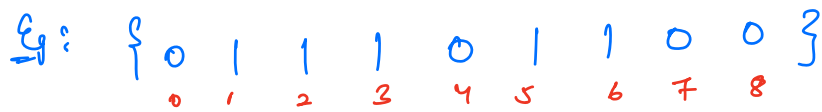
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Note → If break is present in your loops, be careful while calculating the time complexity

Q) Given a binary arr[], find max no. of consecutive 1's we can get by atmost 1 swap. [We can swap with values present in the array]



[ans = 6]



$c = l + r$   
 $= 2 + 3 = 5$

pseudo-code :

```
int maxConsecutiveOnes ( arr, N ) {  
    count = 0 , ans = 0  
    for ( i = 0 ; i < N ; i++ ) {  
        if ( arr[i] == 1 ) { count ++ }  
    }  
    if ( count == N ) { return N }  
    if ( count == 0 ) { return 0 }  
    for ( int i = 0 ; i < N ; i++ ) {  
        if ( arr[i] == 0 ) {  
            // no. of consecutive 1's on l.h.s.  
            l = 0  
            for ( j = i-1 ; j >= 0 ; j-- ) {  
                if ( arr[j] == 1 ) { l ++ }  
                else { break }  
            }  
            // no. of consecutive 1's on r.h.s.  
            r = 0  
            for ( j = i+1 ; j < N ; j++ ) {  
                if ( arr[j] == 1 ) { r ++ }  
                else { break }  
            }  
            k = l + r  
            if ( l + r < count ) { k = k + 1 }  
            if ( k > ans ) { ans = k }  
        }  
    }  
    return ans  
}
```

T.C  $\rightarrow O(N)$   
S.C  $\rightarrow O(1)$

[ Break 6 minutes ]

# Q) No. of Triplets

Given  $arr[N]$  elements, calculate no. of triplets  $i, j, k$  such that  $i < j < k$  and  $arr[i] < arr[j] < arr[k]$

Eg:  $arr[5] : \{ 2 \quad 6 \quad 9 \quad 4 \quad 10 \}$

ans=5

$i$	$j$	$k$	$arr[i]$	$arr[j]$	$arr[k]$
0	1	2	2	6	9
0	1	4	2	6	10
0	2	4	2	9	10
0	3	4	2	4	10
1	2	4	6	9	10

Eg2:  $arr[6] : \{ 4 \quad 1 \quad 2 \quad 6 \quad 9 \quad 7 \}$

ans=9

$i$	$j$	$k$	$arr[i]$	$arr[j]$	$arr[k]$
0	3	4	4	6	9
0	3	5	4	6	7
1	2	3	1	2	6
1	2	4	1	2	9
1	2	5	1	2	7
1	3	4	1	6	9
1	3	5	1	6	7
2	3	4	2	6	9
2	3	5	2	6	7

idea 1: Consider all the triplets & check if they are satisfying the condition.

count = 0

```

for ( i = 0 ; i < N ; i++ ) {
    for ( j = i+1 ; j < N ; j++ ) {
        for ( k = j+1 ; k < N ; k++ ) {
            if ( arr[i] < arr[j] && arr[j] < arr[k] ) {
                count++
            }
        }
    }
}
return count.

```

T.C  $\rightarrow O(N^3)$   
S.C  $\rightarrow O(1)$

Hint for optimisation :

arr[6] = { 4, 1, 2, 6, 9, 7 }

In how many triplets, 6 will be the middle element.  
(idx = 3)

left [3]  
{ 0, 1, 2 }

middle  
3

right [2]  
{ 4, 5 }

[ triplets = 1 \* 2 ]  
= 2



Idea & pseudo-code.

arr [6] : { 4 1 2 6 9 7 }

l : 0 0 1 3 4 4

r : 3 4 3 2 0 0

count  $\rightarrow 0 + 0 + 3 + 6 + 0 + 0 = \underline{9}$

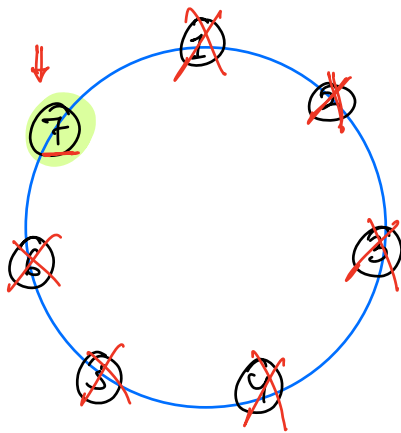
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int countTriplets ( arr, N ) {  
    ans = 0  
    for ( j = 1 ; j < N-1 ; j++ ) {  
        //count of smaller elements on l.h.s  
        l = 0, r = 0  
        for ( i = 0 ; i < j ; i++ ) {  
            if ( arr[i] < arr[j] ) { l++ }  
        }  
        //count of greater elements on r.h.s  
        for ( k = j+1 ; k < N ; k++ ) {  
            if ( arr[k] > arr[j] ) { r++ }  
        }  
        ans += (l * r)  
    }  
    return ans;  
}
```

T.C $\rightarrow O(N^2)$
S.C $\rightarrow O(1)$

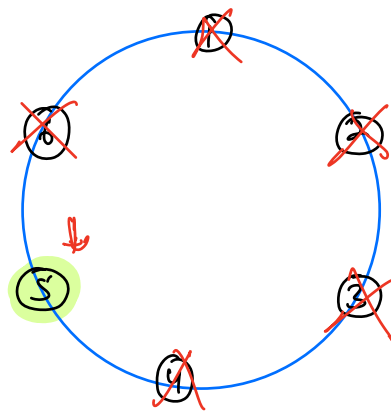
## Josephus Problem

$N$  people are standing in a circle. Person 1 has knife, he kills next person in clockwise direction and passes on the knife to next person alive in clockwise. Repeat the process until a single person is alive. Find the last person standing.

$N=7$

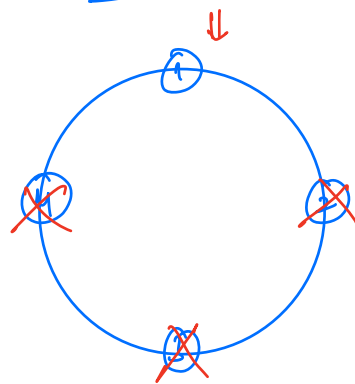


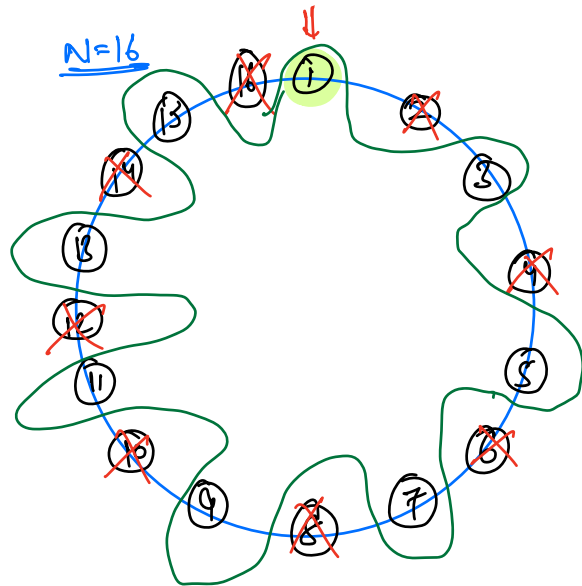
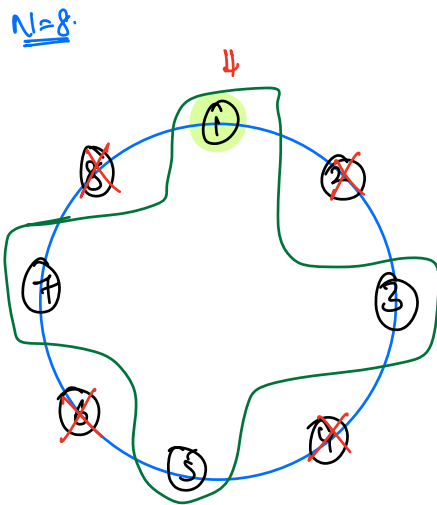
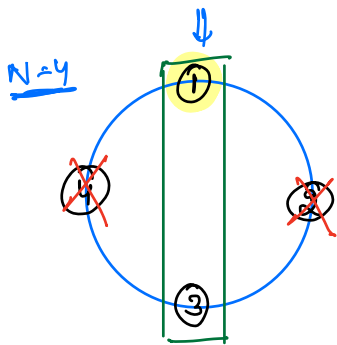
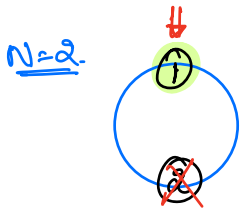
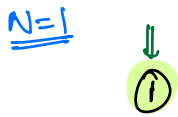
$N=6$



- ① if  $n$  is odd  $\rightarrow N$   
if  $n$  is even  $\rightarrow N-1$  ]  $\times$
- ② largest prime  $\leq N$  ]  $\times$ .

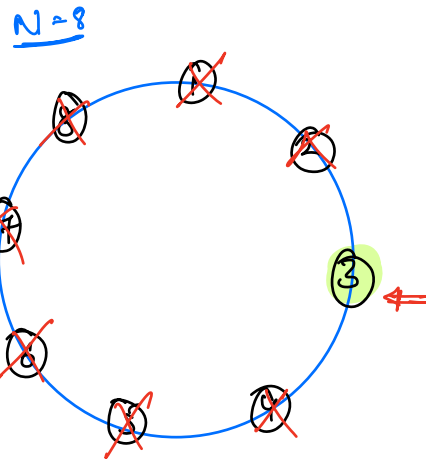
$N=4$





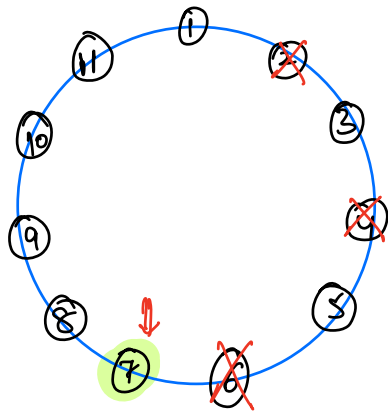
N=32, 1 is having the Knife  $\Rightarrow \underline{1}$

[observation  $\rightarrow$  if  $N$  is a power of 2,  
1 is starting the game,  $ans=1$ ]

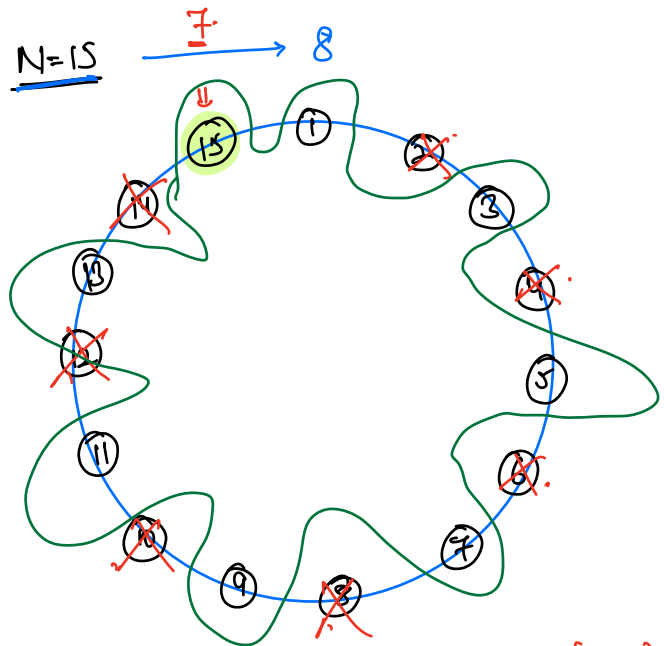
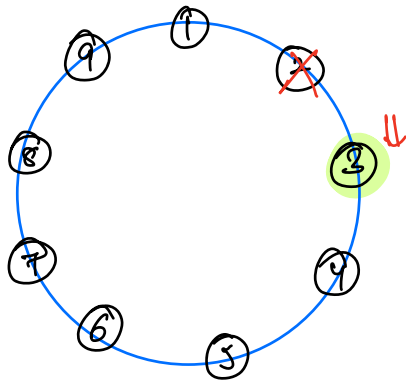


[obs 2.  $\rightarrow$  if  $N$  is a power of 2,  
whoever is starting the game,  
wins the game.]

$$\underline{N=11}$$

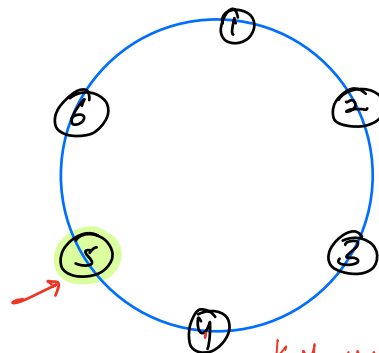


$$\underline{N=9} \xrightarrow{1} 8 \quad 1 + (1 \star 2) = \underline{3.}$$



$$\text{person holding the knife} = 1 + (7 \star 2) = \underline{15.}$$

$$\underline{N=6.} \xrightarrow{2} 4$$



$$\text{Knife-Holder} = 1 + (2 \star 2) = \underline{5.}$$

$$\underline{N=100}$$

Closest power of 2 which is less than or equal to 100.  $\rightarrow 64$

No. of kills, so that persons reduced to 64.

$$\text{Kills} = 100 - 64 = 36$$

$$1 + (36 \star 2) = \underline{73.}$$

pseudo-code. { # to do }.

Step-1. Find closest power (4) of 2,  $\leq N$ .

Step-2. Calculate no. of kills that we need to make in order to achieve this.  $\text{kills} = N - cp$

Step-3.  $\text{ans} = 1 + (2 * \text{kills})$

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$$N = 17$$

powers  $\rightarrow 1, 2, 4, 8, 16$

$\uparrow$   
 $2^0$