

Sieve

<https://discuss.codechef.com/t/please-proofread-the-article-for-tutorial-section-on-sieve-methods/7955>

<https://brilliant.org/wiki/modular-arithmetic/>

All in one

- product of divisors of a number can be written as $N^{D/2}$, where N is number and D is number of divisors of N .
- A number cannot have more than $\log N$ prime factors. So even if there is a large prime number its prime factors can not exceed 7.
- Only Perfect number has an odd no of divisors.
- Let $F(n)$, $F(n)$ denote the number of factors of N . Then $F(N) \leq 1344$ for $N \leq 10^9$
 $F(N) = O(N^{1/3})$ in the worst case.
- $\text{power}(A, \text{power}(B, C), M) = \text{power}(A, \text{power}(B, C, M-1), M)$
- The number of ways to put n identical objects into k labeled boxes is $\binom{n+k-1}{n}$.
- Derangement formula : $Dp[i] = (i-1) * (dp[i-1] + dp[i-2])$
<https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/count-derangements-permutation-such-that-no-element-appears-in-its-original-position/>

1. Sieve to count no of prime factors of each no from 1 to n

```
for(int i=2;i<MAX;i++){
    if(isPrime[i]){
        primefact[i] = 1;
        for(int j=2*i;j<MAX;j+=i){
            isPrime[j] = false;
            primefact[j]++;
        }
    }
}
```

2. Represent Each no in $p_1^{a_1} * p_2^{a_2} * p_3^{a_3}$ form

```

int prime_factor[N];
vector<pair<int, int> > prime_factors[N];

for(int i = 2; i < N; i++) {
    if(prime_factor[i] != 0) continue;
    prime_factor[i] = i; //IMPORTANT
    for(int j = 2*i; j < N; j += i) {
        prime_factor[j] = i;
    }
}

for(int i = 2; i < N; i++) {
    int x = i;
    map<int, int> M; //HW - use vector instead of map here
    while(x != 1) {
        M[prime_factor[x]]++;
        x /= prime_factor[x];
    }
    for(auto v : M) {
        prime_factors[i].push_back(v);
    }
}

```

3. <https://cp-algorithms.com/algebra/binary-exp.html>***

a.

```

long long binpow(long long a, long
long b) {
    if (b == 0)
        return 1;
    long long res = binpow(a, b / 2);
    if (b % 2)
        return res * res * a;
    else
        return res * res;
}

```

```

long long binpow(long long a, long
long b) {
    long long res = 1;
    while (b > 0) {
        if (b & 1)
            res = res * a;
        a = a * a;
        b >>= 1;
    }
    return res;
}

```

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| | |
|--|--|
- b. Matrix multiplication using binpow
i. <https://www.spoj.com/problems/MPOW/>

4. Multiplicative Inverse

- $N^{-1} \% \text{mod} = N^{\text{mod} - 2} \% \text{mod}$
[https://cp-algorithms.com/algebra/module-inverse.html#:~:text=Practice%20Problems-,Definition,x%E2%89%A11modm.&text=It%20can%20be%20proven%20that,a%2Cm\)%3D1](https://cp-algorithms.com/algebra/module-inverse.html#:~:text=Practice%20Problems-,Definition,x%E2%89%A11modm.&text=It%20can%20be%20proven%20that,a%2Cm)%3D1)

- If $\text{gcd}(n, m) == 1$ then only multiplicative inverse exists.

```
int mulinverse(ll m, int n){
    int t1 = 0, t2 = 1, t, q, r = 1, q1 = m, q2 = n;

    while(true){
        q = q1 / q2;
        r = q1 - (q*q2);
        t = t1 - (q*t2);
        if(r == 0) break;
        q1 = q2;
        q2 = r;
        t1 = t2;
        t2 = t;
    }
    if(t2 < 0)
        t2 += m;
    return t2;
}
```

- i. Find ncr using mult inverse
 - ii. <https://cses.fi/problemset/task/1079/> (n C r)
 1. Using $ncr = n! * (r!)^{-1} * (n-r)!^{-1}$
 2. $n!/(n-r)!*r! == n! * \text{power}((n-r)!, \text{mod}-2) * \text{power}(r!, \text{mod}-2)$
- Reference :

5. Matrix Exponent

- a. Fibonacci : <https://cses.fi/problemset/task/1722>
- b. <https://cses.fi/problemset/task/1096/>

Backtracking

1. N queen Problem

- a. <https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/n-queen-problem-backtracking-3/>
- b. interviewbit.com/problems/nqueens/

2. General Approach for solving backtracking

```
Pick a starting point.
while (Problem is not solved)
    For each path from the starting point.
        check if selected path is safe, if yes select it
        and make recursive call to rest of the problem
        before which undo the current move.
    End For
If none of the move works out, return false, NO SOLUTION.
```

<https://leetcode.com/problems/coin-change>

[https://leetcode.com/problems/subsets/discuss/27281/A-general-approach-to-backtracking-questions-in-Java-\(Subsets-Permutations-Combination-Sum-Palindrome-Partitioning\)](https://leetcode.com/problems/subsets/discuss/27281/A-general-approach-to-backtracking-questions-in-Java-(Subsets-Permutations-Combination-Sum-Palindrome-Partitioning))

Combination sum variations blog

<https://leetcode.com/problems/combination-sum-iv/discuss/85120/C%2B%2B-template-for-ALL-Combination-Problem-Set>

1. <https://leetcode.com/problems/coin-change>

```
dp[0] = 0;
for(int i=0;i<n;i++)
{
    for(int j=coins[i];j<amount+1;j++)
        dp[j] = min(dp[j], dp[j - coins[i]] + 1);
}

return dp[amount] == 999999 ? -1 : dp[amount];
```

2. <https://leetcode.com/problems/coin-change-2/>

```

dp[0] = 1;
for(int i=0; i<n; i++)
    for(int j=coins[i]; j<=amount; j++)
        dp[j] = dp[j-coins[i]] + dp[j];
return dp[amount];

```

3. <https://www.hackerearth.com/practice/algorithms/dynamic-programming/introduction-to-dynamic-programming-1/practice-problems/algorithm/knapsack-with-large-weights-33a2433a/submissions/>

When weight range is very high we can use index and value for dp

$Dp[i][j] \rightarrow$ min weight required to get value j upto index j

Both approach in code

For $O(n)$ space when we override in same array try to reverse inner loop so will not override value that is used in future

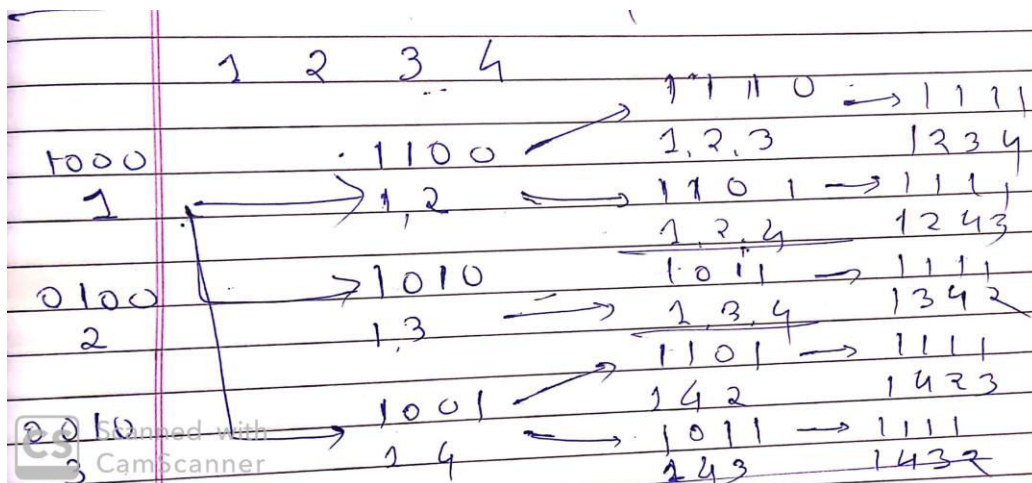
4. <https://leetcode.com/problems/combination-sum-iii/>
5. <https://leetcode.com/problems/combination-sum-iv/>
6. <https://leetcode.com/problems/number-of-dice-rolls-with-target-sum/>
7. <https://leetcode.com/problems/last-stone-weight-ii/>
8. <https://leetcode.com/problems/combinations/>

Subsets

1 2 3 4

1 - 1 2 - 1 2 3 - 1 2 3 4	2 - 2 3 - 2 3 4
1 2 4	- 2 4
- 1 3 - 1 3 4	3 - 3 4
- 1 4	

Permutation



3. Solve Sudoku

<https://leetcode.com/problems/sudoku-solver/>

Start from 0,0 move till 8,8

If i,j is . try all 0 to 9 and if invalid backtrack

Knapsack

	All combination	Unique Combination
Infinite	<pre>vector<int> dp(amount+1, 0); dp[0] = 1; for(int i=0;i<=amount;i++) for(int j=0;j<n;j++) if(i - a[j] >= 0) dp[i] = dp[i] + dp[i-a[j]];</pre>	<pre>vector<int> dp(amount+1, 0); dp[0] = 1; for (int j=0;j<n;j++) for(int i=coins[j];i<=amount;i++) dp[i] = dp[i] + dp[i-coins[j]];</pre>
finite		<pre>vector<int> dp(amount+1, 0); dp[0] = 1; for(int i=0;i<n;i++){ for(int j=amount;j>=a[i];j--) dp[j] = dp[j] + dp[j-a[i]];</pre>

Bit Manipulation

1. Count no of 1s in number

Let's use $n = 00101100$ as an example. This binary representation has three 1s.

If $n = 00101100$, then $n - 1 = 00101011$, so $n \& (n - 1) = 00101100 \& 00101011 = 00101000$. Count = 1.

If $n = 00101000$, then $n - 1 = 00100111$, so $n \& (n - 1) = 00101000 \& 00100111 = 00100000$. Count = 2.

If $n = 00100000$, then $n - 1 = 00011111$, so $n \& (n - 1) = 00100000 \& 00011111 = 00000000$. Count = 3.

```
int count = 0;
while (n) {
    n &= (n - 1);
    count++;
}
return count;
```

2. Given array where all occurs twice except one element which occur once find it

Having noticed that if X has 1 in that position, we will have $3x+1$ number of 1s in that position. If X has 0 in that position, we will have $3x+1$ number of 0 in that position.

3. Min xor pair from given array

Sort an array and take min xor of consecutive elements

4. Hamming distance sum of all pair in given array

Take each bit one by one

Count zeros and ones

Ans += $2 * \text{ones} * \text{zeros}$

Two Pointers and Sliding windows

1. Two Pointers and sliding window

- a. <https://leetcode.com/problems/subarray-sum-equals-k/discuss/301242/General-summary-of-what-kind-of-problem-can-not-be-solved-by-Two-Pointers>

If a wider scope of the sliding window is valid, the narrower scope of the window is also valid.

If a narrower scope of the sliding window is invalid, the wider scope of that narrower scope is invalid must hold.

- b. Remove duplicates in place in

Two duplicates allowed

```
int i = 0, j = 0;
while(j < a.size()){
    while(j < a.size() && a[j] ==
a[j+1]) j++;
    a[i++] = a[j];
    j++;
}
```

```
int i = 0, j = 0, n = a.size();
while(j < n){
    int count = 1;
    while(j < n && a[j] == a[j+1]){
        j++; count++;
    }
    a[i++] = a[j];
    if(count > 1) a[i++] = a[j];
    j++;
}
```

```
return i;
```

- c. Maximum consecutive 1s in sequence on 0/1 where k flips allows
 - i. <https://www.interviewbit.com/problems/max-continuous-series-of-1s/>
 - ii. Take negate of input now find maximum window with sum = k
- d. Container with Most water
 - i. <https://www.interviewbit.com/problems/container-with-most-water/>
[4 (left) , 9, 12, 7 , 8, 14 (right)] -----> this array is indexed from 1 to 6 and we look at left and right and compare the value
So eliminate all pairs of index [1,2], [1,3],[1,4],[1,5] <- here the index[] means possible windows of solutions (4,9), (4,9,12), (4,9,12,7)..
Why? area of window [1,6] = (6 - 1) * MIN(4, 14) = 20
all the windows that have [1,2...5] even if all the numbers on the right are changed to infinity must be less than 20.
EX:
(5-1) * min(4, infinity) < 20 for all right indices less than 6.
So this means it's ok to exclude all windows starting with index 1
- e. Find duplicate in array of size n + 1 where range is 1 to n
 - i. <https://leetcode.com/problems/find-the-duplicate-number/solution/>
 - ii. Using fast and slow pointer the num which is duplicate create cycle
- f. Longest substring without repeating char
<https://www.interviewbit.com/problems/longest-substring-without-repeat/>
- g. K window maximum
 - i. <https://leetcode.com/submissions/detail/408974744/>
- h. **Longest Repeating Character Replacement**
 - i. <https://leetcode.com/problems/longest-repeating-character-replacement/>
 - ii. Current window size = j - i + 1
maxCount = max freq in curr window
Diff char = cur window size - maxCount
If Diff char < k expand window
Else shift window
-- sometimes window may contain invalid maxCount but it's okay bcz we want longest one so when window expands it should be valid
- i. **Longest subarray with absolute difference less than or equal to limit**

- i. <https://leetcode.com/problems/longest-continuous-subarray-with-absolute-diff-less-than-or-equal-to-limit/>
 - ii. Approach 1 $O(n \log n)$
Use multiset to maintain max and min in current window
Expand window if $\max - \min < \text{limit}$
Shrink until condition not satisfied
 - iii. Approach 2 $O(N)$ using queue
Use monotonically increasing min queue and max queue to get maximum and minimum in given sliding window in $O(1)$ time
Expand window if $\max - \min < \text{limit}$
Shrink until condition not satisfied
- j. No of subarray having exactly k distinct integers
- i. <https://leetcode.com/problems/subarrays-with-k-different-integers/>
 - ii. $\text{Ans} = \text{atmost}(k) - \text{atmost}(k-1)$
- k. Min no of flips
- i. <https://leetcode.com/problems/minimum-number-of-k-consecutive-bit-flips/>
 - ii. Use queue to insert if $a[i] = \text{target}$ insert $i + k - 1$ into queue and $\text{result}++$
 - iii. $\text{Target} = 0$ if $q.size()$ is even
1 else
- l. Sliding window median
- i. <https://leetcode.com/problems/sliding-window-median/submissions/>
 - ii. Use multiset slice window and push median into ans
- m. K concatenation Maximum
- i. <https://leetcode.com/problems/k-concatenation-maximum-sum/>

- ii. <https://leetcode.com/problems/k-concatenation-maximum-sum/discuss/383302/C%2B%2B-clean-code-beat-97-with-detailed-explanation>
- n. Count subarray each having each having value strictly greater than K
 - i. <https://practice.geeksforgeeks.org/problems/count-of-subarrays/0>
- o. Shortest subarray having sum at least k
 - i. [https://leetcode.com/problems/shortest-subarray-with-sum-at-least-k/discuss/143726/C%2B%2BJavaPython-O\(N\)-Using-Deque](https://leetcode.com/problems/shortest-subarray-with-sum-at-least-k/discuss/143726/C%2B%2BJavaPython-O(N)-Using-Deque)

Binary Search

1. Find the smallest number x such that $f(x) \leq \text{Target}$, where $F(x)$ is inc or dec
 Look at constraint if $A[i] < 10^9$ and some target value is given and $f(x)$ is inc/dec
 - a. <https://leetcode.com/problems/find-the-smallest-divisor-given-a-threshold/>

```

int low = 1, high = 1e6, ans = -1;
while(low <= high){
    int mid = low + (high-low)/2;
    if(check_mid_satisfy_cond(nums, mid, threshold)){ //cond  $f(x) \leq \text{Target}$ 
        ans = mid;
        high = mid - 1;
    }
    else{
        low = mid + 1;
      
```

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    }
}
return ans;

```

b. Template :

```

int n = nums.size();
int low = 0, high = n;
while(low < high){
    int mid = low + (high - low)/2;
    if(check(mid, nums))
        high = mid;
    else
        low = mid + 1;
}
return low;

```

<https://leetcode.com/problems/minimum-number-of-days-to-make-m-bouquets/discuss/769703/Python-Clear-explanation-Powerful-Ultimate-Binary-Search-Template.-Solved-many-problems.>

- i. <https://leetcode.com/problems/split-array-largest-sum/>
- ii. <https://www.interviewbit.com/problems/painters-partition-problem/>
- iii. <https://leetcode.com/problems/kth-smallest-number-in-multiplication-table/submissions/>
- iv. <https://leetcode.com/problems/find-k-th-smallest-pair-distance/>
- v. <https://leetcode.com/problems/ugly-number-iii/>

2. Lower Bound

```

l = 0, r = N - 1
while(l <= r) {
    int mid = (l+r)/2;
    if (nums[mid] == target) {
        answer = mid; // keep the current answer as you might not be
        // able to comeback if this was the answer.
        r = mid - 1; // lower bound - first index of element
        l = mid + 1; // last index of element
    }
    else if (nums[mid] > target) {

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```

        r = mid - 1;
    } else {
        l = mid + 1;
    }
}
return ans

```

3. Upper bound

```

l = 0, r = N - 1
while(l <= r) {
    int mid = (l+r)/2;
    if (nums[mid] == target) {
        r = mid - 1; // lower bound - first index of element
        l = mid + 1; // last index of element
    }
    else if (nums[mid] > target) {
        ans = mid
        r = mid - 1;
    } else {
        l = mid + 1;
    }
}
return ans;

```

4. Lower bound and Upper bound gfg **

```

int lower_bound(vector<int> arr, int
target)
{
    int n = arr.size();
    int low = 0, high = n - 1;
    while(low < high){
        int mid = low + (high - low)/2;
        if(arr[mid] < target)
            low = mid + 1;
        else
            high = mid;
    }
    return low;
}

```

```

int upper_bound(vector<int> arr,int
target)
{
    int n = arr.size();
    int low = 0, high = n - 1;
    while (low < high) {
        int mid = low + (high - low)/2;
        if (arr[mid] <= target)
            low = mid + 1;
        else
            high = mid;
    }
    return low;
}

```

1. <https://leetcode.com/problems/search-insert-position/>
2. <https://leetcode.com/problems/find-peak-element/>
3. <https://leetcode.com/problems/find-the-duplicate-number/>
4. <https://leetcode.com/problems/find-minimum-in-rotated-sorted-array/>
5. <https://leetcode.com/problems/find-minimum-in-rotated-sorted-array-ii/>

Trie

1. <https://www.interviewbit.com/problems/shortest-unique-prefix/>
 - a. Make the trie and store freq with each node
 - b. Now for each string shortest prefix to identify it uniquely is till node with freq = 1
2. <https://www.interviewbit.com/problems/xor-between-two-arrays/>
 - a. Store first array in trie
 - b. Now for each element of B search for nearest complement of number say x
Update $\text{ans} = \max(\text{B}[i] \text{ xor } x, \text{ans})$
3. <https://www.hackerearth.com/problem/algorithm/subarrays-xor/description/>
4. Go to Everyday beautiful pdf

DIGIT DP

<https://www.spoj.com/problems/CPCRC1C/>

```
#include <bits/stdc++.h>
using namespace std;

int digitsumRecursion(int pos, int size, int cursum){
    if(pos > size) return cursum;
    int res = 0;
    for(int i=0;i<=9;i++)
        res += digitsumRecursion(pos+1, size, cursum + i);
    return res;
}

// sum of 1 to size digit numbers
// n = 1 --> 0 to 9
// n = 1 --> 0 to 00
int digitDp(int pos, int size, int cursum, vector<vector<int>> &dp){
    if(pos > size) return cursum;
    if(dp[pos][cursum] != -1) return dp[pos][cursum];
    int res = 0;
    for(int i=0;i<=9;i++)
        res += digitDp(pos+1, size, cursum + i, dp);
    return dp[pos][cursum] = res;
}

int digitDpUptoN(int pos, string num, int cursum, bool islimit, vector<vector<vector<int>>> &dp){
    // cout << pos << " " << cursum << endl;
    if(pos > num.size()) return cursum;
    if(dp[pos][cursum][islimit] != -1) return dp[pos][cursum][islimit];
    int res = 0, limit = 9;
    if(islimit) limit = (num[pos-1] - '0');
    for(int i=0;i<=limit;i++)
        if(i == limit && islimit)
            res += digitDpUptoN(pos+1, num, cursum + i, true, dp);
        else
            res += digitDpUptoN(pos+1, num, cursum + i, false, dp);
    return dp[pos][cursum][islimit] = res;
}
```

```
}
```

```
int main(void) {  
    // your  
    int n = 999;  
    // vector<vector<int>> dp(20, vector<int> (180, -1));  
    // cout << digitsumRecursion(1, 2, 0) << endl;  
    // cout << digitDp(1, 3, 0, dp) << endl;  
    string s = to_string(n);  
    vector<vector<vector<int>>> dp1(20, vector<vector<int>> (180, vector<int> (2, -1)));  
  
    cout << digitDpUptoN(1, s, 0, true, dp1);  
}
```

```
string binnum = bitset<32>(n).to_string(); // convert a number to 32 bit binary representation
```