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# Find Maximum Index Product





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You are given a list of N numbers  $a_1,a_2,\ldots,a_n$ . For each element at position i ( $1\leq i\leq N$ ), we define Left(i) and Right(i) as:

Left(i) = closest index j such that j < i and  $a_j > a_i$ . If no such j exists then Left(i) = 0.

Right(i) = closest index k such that k > i and  $a_k > a_i$ . If no such k exists then Right(i) = 0.

We define IndexProduct(i) = Left(i) \* Right(i). You need to find out the maximum IndexProduct(i) among all i.

## **Input Format**

The first line contains an integer N, the number of integers. The next line contains the N integers describing the list a[1..N].

#### **Constraints**

$$1 \le N \le 10^5$$

$$1 \le a_i \le 10^9$$

### **Output Format**

Output the maximum IndexProduct among all indices from  ${f 1}$  to  ${m N}$ .

### **Sample Input**

## **Sample Output**

8

### **Explanation**

We can compute the following:

IndexProduct(1) = 0

 $IndexProduct(2) = 1 \times 5 = 5$ 

 $IndexProduct(3) = 2 \times 4 = 8$ 

 $IndexProduct(4) = 1 \times 5 = 5$ 

IndexProduct(5) = 0

The largest of these is 8, so it is the answer.

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