

Longest Substring without Repeating Characters

① Naive =

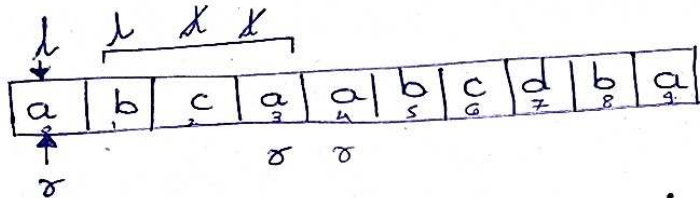
- Generate all substrings (kadane)

- TC = $O(n^3) \rightarrow$

TC = $O(n^2)$

SC = $O(n)$

② Optimized = hashset.



len = $\emptyset \neq 3$
a b c

hashset =

d
c
b
a
a
c
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a

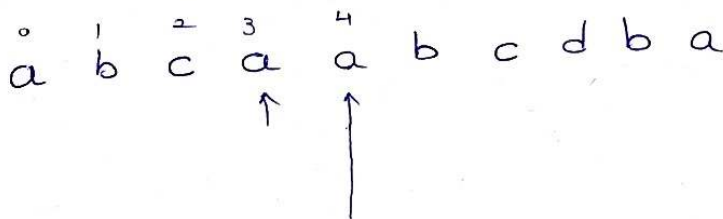
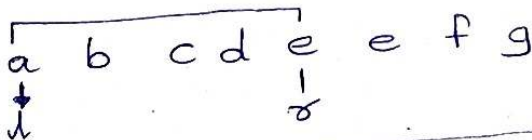
 $l - r = 7 - 4 + 1 = 4$
 $l - r = 3 - 0 = 3$

TC = $O(n) + O(n) = O(2n)$

l pointer r pointer

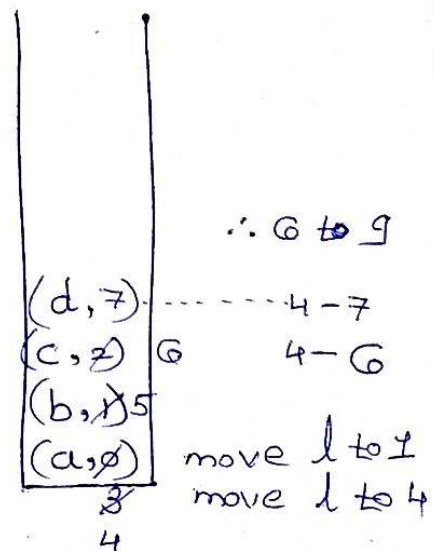
SC = $O(n)$

③ best approach =



TC = $O(n)$

SC = $O(1)$ unordered-map.



Count No. of subarrays with XOR as k.
contiguous

arr[] =

[4, 2, 2, 6, 4]

① $4 \oplus 2 = 6$

② $[6] = 6$

③ $[2, 2, 6] = 6$

④ $[4, 4, 2, 2, 6] = 6$

∴ Ans = 4 subarrays

① Naive =

- Generate all subarrays = for (i = 0 to n-1) {
for (j = i to n-1) {
for (k = i → j) {
XOR = XOR ^ arr[k];
if (XOR == k) cnt++;
}
}
}

② better =

- TC = $O(n^2)$

for (i = 0 to n-1) {
XOR = 0
for (j = i to n-1) {
XOR = XOR ^ arr[j];
if (XOR == k) cnt++;
}
}

③ Optimal =

- start, end of subarray.

$X = \text{XOR} \oplus K$ 0....6

4 2 2 6 4

∴ $4 \oplus 2 \oplus 2 \oplus 6 = 2$

$2 \oplus 6 = 4$ ∴ 4 is present at front.

- Is there a subarray ending at 6 and having XOR of k.

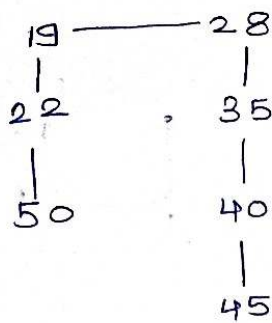
(2,1)
 (6,1)
 (4,1) 2
 (0,1)

hashmap
 (PreXOR, Cnt)

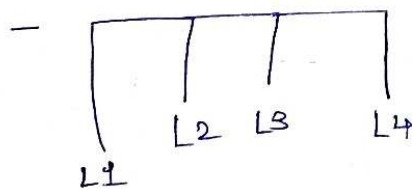
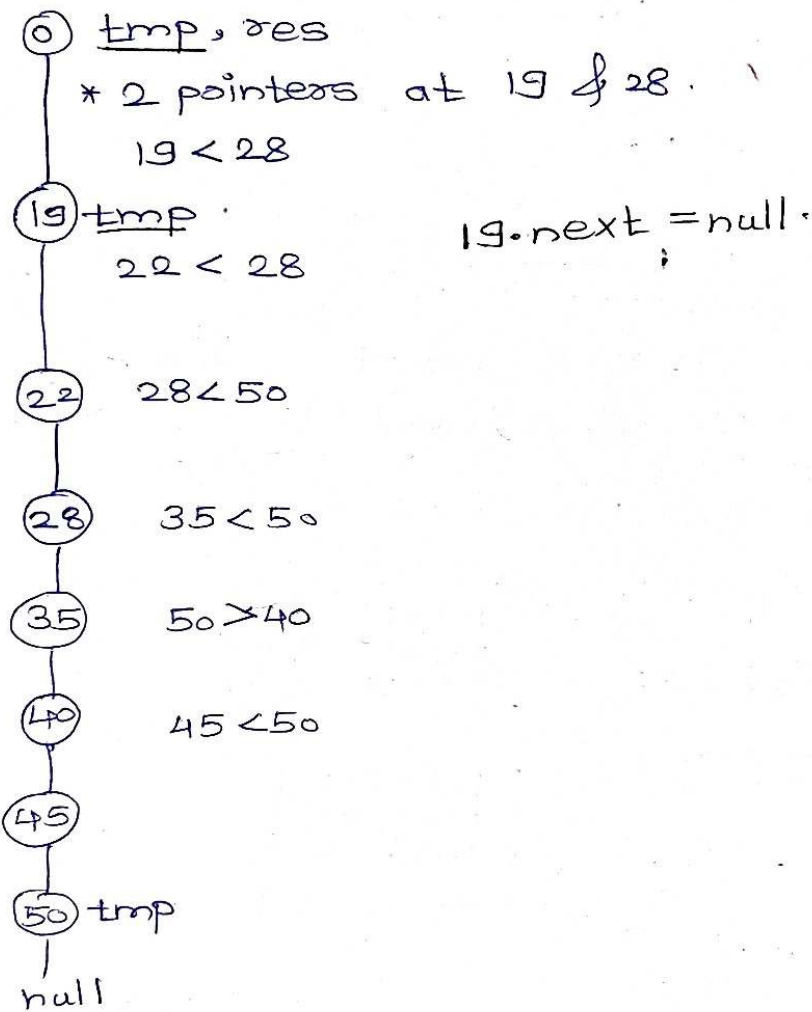
	$\begin{matrix} & 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ [4 & 2 & 2 & 6 & 4] \\ \uparrow & & & & \end{matrix}$	
0	$xR = \emptyset 4$	Pre/front XOR $x = xR \wedge k$ $4 = 4$
1	$xR = 2 \wedge 4 = 6$	FinalCnt = 1 $0 = 6 \wedge 6$
		$\therefore 0$ is present in map. \therefore we found one subarray.
2	$6 \wedge 2 = 4$	$2 = 4 \wedge 6$ \therefore we are looking for 2. increase cnt(4) = 1 + 1 = 2
3	$4 \wedge 6 = 2$ insert in map.	$2 \wedge 6 = 4$ (4, 2, 2) (6, 4, 2, 2) cnt(4) = 2 \therefore FinalCnt = 3
4	$2 \wedge 4 = 6$	$\therefore 6 \wedge 6 = 0$ \therefore FinalCnt = 4

$TC = O(n) \times \underbrace{n \log n}_{\text{for map}}$
 $SC = O(n)$

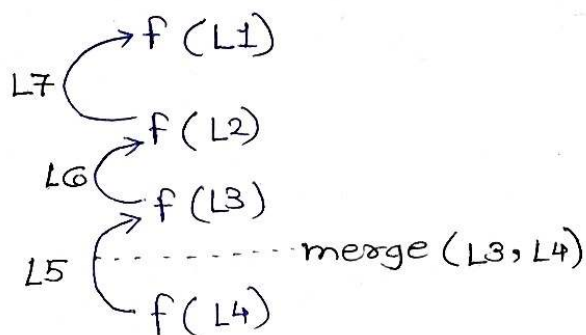
- Flattening of LinkedList =



- merge 2 linkedlists.
into 1 sorted linkedlist.



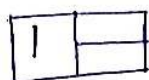
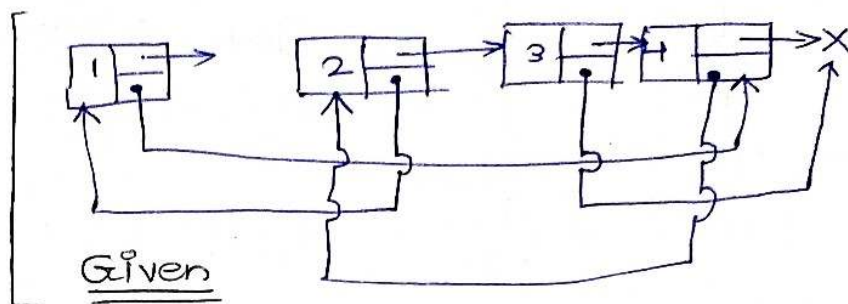
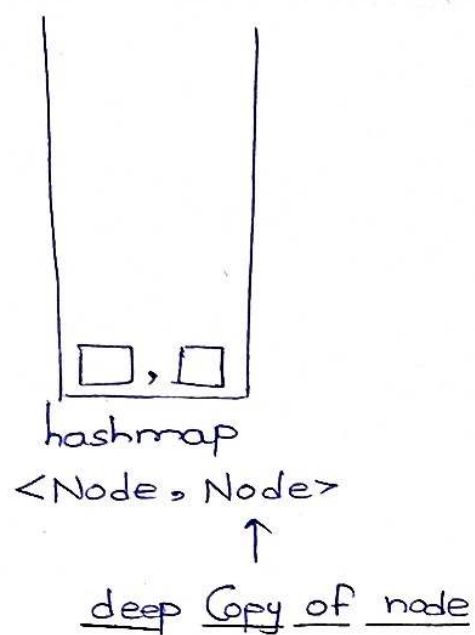
- Flatten(L3, L4)
- Flatten(L2, L3)
- Flatten(L1, L2)



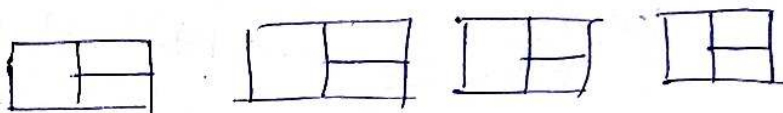
TC = $O(\text{sum all nodes})$
SC = $O(1)$

Clone LinkedList with next and random pointers =

① Naive =



New



- these are the deep copies of given linkedlist.

N^{th} root of an Integer =

① $N=3$ $M=27$ $\sqrt[3]{27} = 3$

$1 \times 1 \times 1 =$	\times
$2 \times 2 \times 2 =$	\times
$3 \times 3 \times 3 =$	\checkmark

② $N=4$ $M=64$ $\sqrt[4]{64} = 2$

$1 \times 1 \times 1 \times 1$
$2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2$
$3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3$
$4 \times 4 \times 4 \times 4$

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for (i=1 → m) {
    if (fun(i, n) == M)
        return i;
    else if (fun(i, n) > M)
        break;
}
return -1;
    
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$TC = O(M \times \log_2 n)$

② better = Using binary search =

$$N=3, M=27$$

$$\text{low} = 1$$
$$\text{high} = 27$$

$$\text{mid} = 28/2 = 14$$
$$\therefore 14 \times 14 \times 14 > 27$$
$$\therefore \text{high} = \text{mid} - 1 = 13$$

$$\text{mid} = 1 + 13 = 14/2 = 7$$
$$(7 \times 7 \times 7) > 27$$
$$\therefore \text{high} = 6$$

$$\text{mid} = 7/2 = 3$$
$$3 \times 3 \times 3 == 27$$
$$\therefore \text{return } 3.$$

$f(n, m)$

$$\text{low} = 1, \text{high} = m$$

while (low <= high) {

$$\text{mid} = (\text{low} + \text{high}) / 2 =$$

if ($f(\text{mid}, n) == m$) return mid;

else if ($f(\text{mid}, n) < n$)

$$\text{low} = \text{mid} + 1;$$

else

$$\text{high} = \text{mid} - 1;$$

}

return -1;

$$N=4, M=69$$

$$\text{low} = 1$$
$$\text{high} = 69$$

$$\text{mid} = 35$$
$$(35 \times 35 \times 35 \times 35) > 69$$
$$\therefore \text{high} = 34$$

$$\text{mid} = 17$$
$$(17 \times 17 \times 17 \times 17) > 69$$
$$\therefore \text{high} = 16$$

$$\text{mid} = 8$$
$$8 \times 8 \times 8 \times 8 > 69$$
$$\therefore \text{high} = 7$$

$$\text{mid} = 4$$
$$4 \times 4 \times 4 \times 4 > 69$$
$$\therefore \text{high} = 3$$

$$\text{mid} = 2$$
$$2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 < 69$$
$$\therefore \text{low} = 3$$

$$\text{mid} = (3 + 3) / 2 = 3$$
$$3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 > 69$$

low, high crossed

$$\therefore \text{return } -1;$$

$$TC = \log_2 m \times \underbrace{\log_2 n}_{\substack{\text{for loop} \\ \text{to calculate pow.}}}$$

* It will fail.

$$n = 10, m = 10^9$$

$$\text{low} = 1$$

$$\text{high} = 10^9$$

$$\text{mid} = \frac{10^9}{2}$$

$$\text{fun}\left(\frac{10^9}{2}, 10\right) \approx 10^{90} \text{ Overflow}$$

$$\therefore \frac{10^9}{2} \times \frac{10^9}{2} \times \frac{10^9}{2} \dots \dots \dots$$

The moment it crosses 10^9 , stop.

return 1 if == n

return 0 if < n

return 2 if > n

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int fun (mid, n, m) {
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    long ans = 1;
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    for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++) {
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        ans = ans * mid;
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        if (ans > m) return 2;
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    }
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    if (ans == m) return 1;
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    return 0;
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}
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int midN = fun (mid, n, m);
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if (midN == 1) set mid;
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else if (midN == 0) low = mid + 1;
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else high = mid - 1;
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Median of rowwise sorted matrix =

① Naive =

- Use extra data structure to add ele.
- sort it
- return

$$TC = \underbrace{(N \times M)}_{\text{put into DS.}} \underbrace{(N \times M) \log_2(N \times M)}_{\text{sort}}$$

$$SC = O(N \times M)$$

② Using binary search =

$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 6 \\ 2 & 6 & 9 \\ 3 & 6 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$	$1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 3 \ 6 \ 6 \ 6 \ 9 \ 9$	$\begin{aligned} \angle = 1 &\rightarrow 1 \\ \angle = 2 &\rightarrow 2 \\ \angle = 3 &\rightarrow 4 \\ \angle = 4 &\rightarrow 4 \\ \angle = 6 &\rightarrow 7 \end{aligned}$
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$$low = 1$$

$$high = 15 \text{ i.e. } 10^9$$

$$mid = 8$$

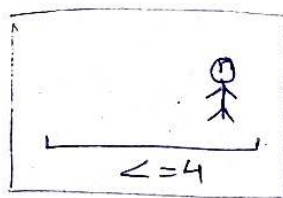
$$\angle = 8 \text{ rowwise} \rightarrow 3 + 2 + 2 = 7 \downarrow \downarrow$$

$$\therefore low = 1$$

$$high = 7$$

$$mid = 4$$

$$\angle = 4 = (2 + 1 + 1) \rightarrow 4$$



\therefore move right

$$low = 5$$

$$high = 7$$

$$mid = 6$$

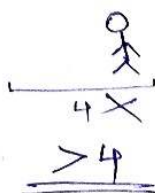
$$\angle = 6 = (3 + 2 + 2) = 7$$

$$low = 5$$

$$high = 5$$

$$mid = 5$$

$$\angle = 5 \rightarrow 2 + 1 + 1 = 4$$



$$\therefore low = \underline{6}$$

$$high = \underline{5}$$

1 2 3 3 6 6 6 9 9

$$[1 \rightarrow 10^9]$$

bs

mid

$\leq \text{mid}$?

$$\leq \frac{n \times m}{2} = \text{low} + 1$$

high - 1

bs
return a[ind] > mid;

$$TC = \underbrace{\log_2(2^{32})}_{\substack{10^9 \\ \text{bin-search}}} \times \underbrace{N \times \log_2 M}_{\text{Cnt no-of-ele.}}$$

$$TC = O(32 \times N \times \log_2 M)$$

$$SC = O(1)$$