

Kth Smallest Product of Two Sorted Arrays

Frame 110: Process

low=-5, high=-3, mid=-4, count=4, current_num1=3, threshold=-1.33

-4

-2

0

3

Pseudocode:

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def kthSmallestProduct(nums1, nums2, k):  
    #  
    low = min(nums1[0]*nums2[0], nums1[0]*nums2[-1], nums1[-1]*nums2[0], nums1[-1]*nums2[-1])  
    high = max(nums1[0]*nums2[0], nums1[0]*nums2[-1], nums1[-1]*nums2[0], nums1[-1]*nums2[-1])  
  
    #    k  
    while low <= high:  
        mid = (low + high) // 2  
        count = countPairs(nums1, nums2, mid)  
  
        if count < k:  
            low = mid + 1  
        else:  
            high = mid - 1  
  
    return low
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def countPairs(nums1, nums2, target):

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#    <= target  
count = 0  
# nums1    nums2  
for num1 in nums1:  
    if num1 > 0:  
        #    nums2    <= target/num1  
        threshold = target / num1  
        #    nums2    > threshold  
        left, right = 0, len(nums2)  
        while left < right:  
            mid = (left + right) // 2  
            if nums2[mid] > threshold:  
                right = mid  
            else:  
                left = mid + 1  
        count += left  
    elif num1 < 0:  
        #    nums2    >= target/num1  
        threshold = target / num1  
        #    nums2    >= threshold  
        left, right = 0, len(nums2)  
        while left < right:  
            mid = (left + right) // 2  
            if nums2[mid] >= threshold:  
                right = mid  
            else:  
                left = mid + 1  
        count += len(nums2) - left  
    else: # num1 == 0  
        if target >= 0:  
            count += len(nums2)  
  
return count
```

Second Array

-3	-1	2	4
0	1	2	3

Variables

low	-5
high	-3
mid	-4
count	4
current_num1	3
threshold	-1.33