

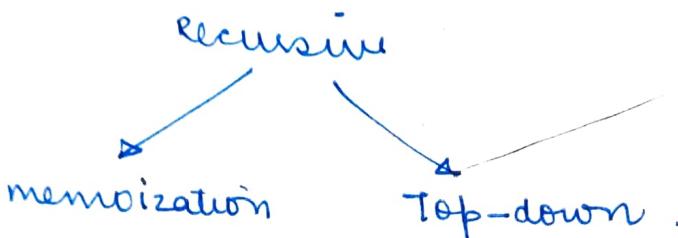
# Dynamic Programming

DP → enhanced Recursion

## Identification

(to check if a problem  
is of DP or not)

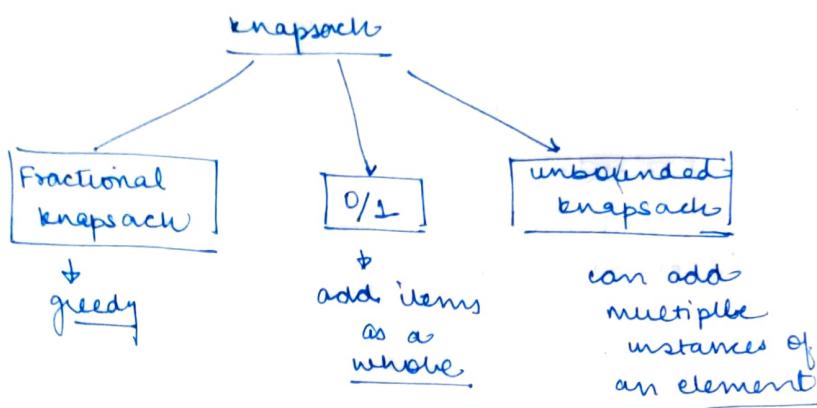
choice of including the  
current element  
optimization is asked



- 1) ~~1) 0-1 knapsack (6)~~
- 2) ~~2) unbounded knapsack (5)~~
- 3) Fibonacci (7)
- 4) ~~4) LCS (15)~~
- 5) LIS (10)
- 6) Kandane's Algorithm (6)
- 7) Matrix chain multiplication (7)  $\star$
- 8) DP on trees (4)
- 9) BP on grids (14)
- 10) Others (5)

## 0-1 knapsack

- subset sum
- equal sum
- count of subset sum
- minimum subset sum
- Target sum
- # of subset with given difference



I/P → weight [] → 

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 value [] → 

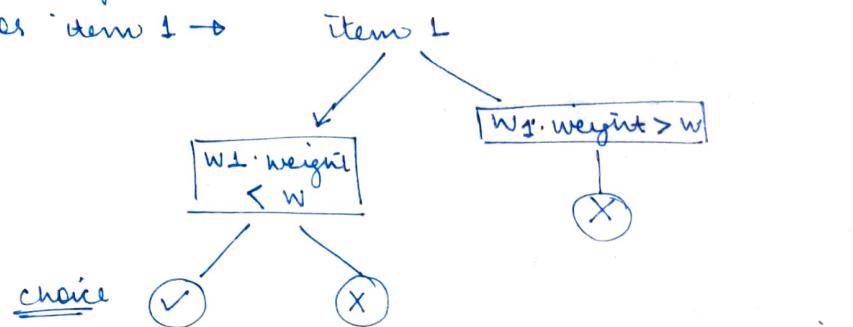
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 w → 7

D/P → max profit

### choice diagram

for item 1 →



max profit

int knapsack (int wt[], int val[], int cap)

// Base diagram  
// think of smallest valid input  
 if (n == 0 || w == 0) return 0;

if (wt[n-1] ≤ w){  
 return max (knapsack (wt, val, cap),  
 val[n-1] + knapsack (wt, val, cap - wt[n-1]));

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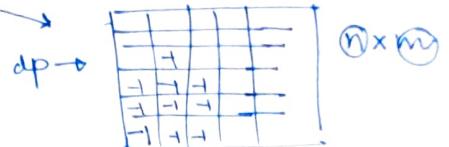
else return knapsack (wt, val, cap, n-1);

3.

### Memoization

⇒ Recursive code + 2 lines

this matrix will be have params which are changing in recursive call



dp[n+1][w+1]

size of array

weight of knapsack

filling the matrix with -1

memset (dp, -1, sizeOf(dp))

int knapsack (int wt[], int val[], int w, int n)

if (n == 0 || w == 0) return 0;  
 if (t[n][w] != -1) return t[n][w];  
 if (wt[n-1] ≤ w){

t[n][w] = max (val[n-1] + knp(wt, val,  
 $w - wt[n-1])$ ,  
 knp (wt, val, w, n-1));

return t[n][w];

else {

t[n][w] = knp (wt, val, w, n-1);  
 return t[n][w];

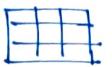
15.

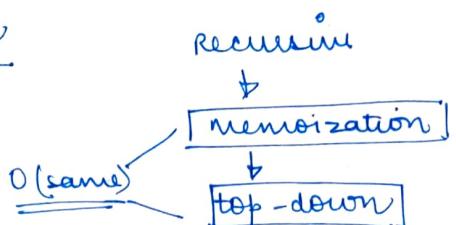
Before calling the recursive function if check if the mat is already filled or not

## Top-down approach

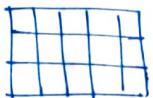
memorization

↓

Recur + 



Top down →



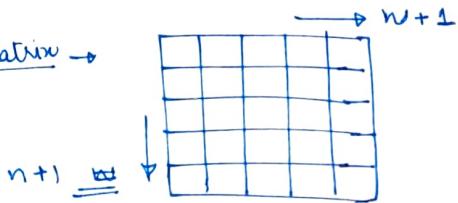
no recursion

ans → O/P

stack overflow avoided

as not recursion calls are there.

matrix →



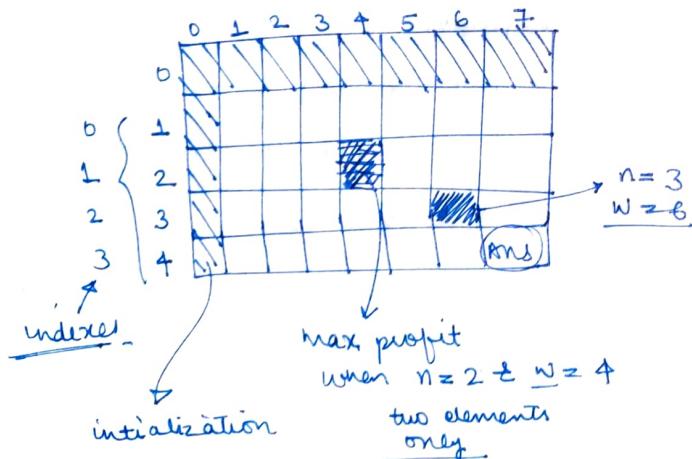
→  $w+1$

step-1 → Initialize

step-2 → Recursive calls → iterative version

$w = 7$

$N = 8 \ 4$



## Recursive → Iterative

Base condition → initialization

(Recu)

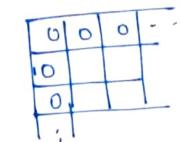
(Top-down)

return 0

$n == 0 \ 1 \ 1$

$w == 0$

↓ 0



Top-down

```
for (int i = 0; i < n+1)
    for (int j = 0; j < w+1)
        if (i == 0 || j == 0)
            dp[i][j] = 0;
```

Recursive

```
if (n == 0 || w == 0)
    return 0;
```

```
if (wt[n] <= w) {
    return max (val[n] +
                kp(wt, val,
                    w - wt[n],
                    n),
                kp(wt, val, w, n))}
```

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else
    t[n][w] = t[n][w].
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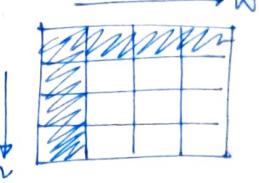
if ( $wt[n] \leq w$ ) {

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t[n][w] = max (val[n] + t[n][w - wt[n]],
                 t[n][w])
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else

$t[n][w] = t[n][w]$

now →  $(n, w) \rightarrow (i, j)$   
and run a loop



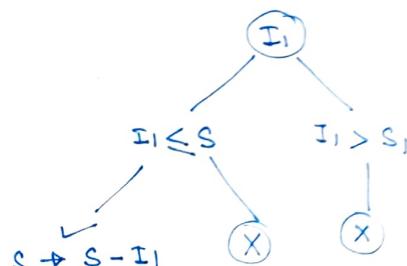
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for (int i=1; i<n+1; i++) {
    for (int j=1; j<n+1; j++) {
        if (wt[i-1] <= j) {
            t[i][j] = max (
                val[i-1] +
                t[i-1][j-wt[i-1]],
                t[i-1][j]
            );
        } else {
            t[i][j] = t[i-1][j];
        }
    }
}
return t[n][w];

```

### 1) Subset Sum Problem

I/P  $\rightarrow$  2 3 7 8 10  $\rightarrow$  T/F  $\Rightarrow$  given an array  
 sum  $\rightarrow$  11



$i, \text{sum}$

$dp[n+1][sum+1]$

bool dfs (int i, sum) {  
 if (i == arr.size())  
 return false;  
 if (sum == 0) return true;  
 if (arr[i] <= sum) {  
 return dfs(i+1, sum - arr[i], arr);  
 } else  
 dfs (i+1, sum, arr);
}

}

|| dfs (i+1, sum, arr)

}

else

dfs (i+1, sum, arr);

}

}

else

dfs (i+1, sum, arr);

}

}

```

bool dp[n+1][sum+1];
memset(dp, 0, sizeof(dp));
bool dfs (int i, arr, sum) {
    if (i == arr.size() || sum < 0) return false;
    if (dp[i][sum] != -1) return dp[i][sum];
    if (arr[i] <= sum) dp[i][sum] = dfs(i+1, arr, sum - arr[i]);
    else dp[i][sum] = dfs(i+1, arr, sum);
    return dp[i][sum];
}

```

### Initialization of matrix

		sum				
		T	F	F	F	- - -
n	T					
	F					
n	T					

sum  $\rightarrow 0$   $\rightarrow T$   
 n  $\rightarrow 0$

sum  $\rightarrow 5$   $\rightarrow F$   
 n  $\rightarrow 0$

sum  $\rightarrow 10$   $\rightarrow T$   
 n  $\rightarrow 1$

for (int i=0  $\rightarrow$  n)  
 for (int j=0  $\rightarrow$  sum) {  
 if (i==0) dp[i][j] = False;  
 if (j==0) dp[i][j] = True;

}

for (int i=1  $\rightarrow$  n)

for (int j=1  $\rightarrow$  sum) {

if (arr[i]  $\leq j$ ) {

t[i][j] = t[i+1][j-arr[i]] ||  
 t[i+1][j];

}

else

t[i][j] = t[i+1][j];

}

}

return t[n][sum];



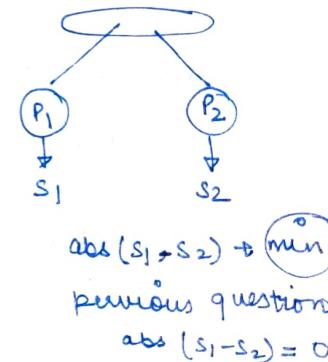
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for (int i=1 → n) {
    for (int j=1 → sum) {
        if (arr[i] ≤ sum) {
            dp[i][j] = dp[i+1][j-arr[i]] + dp[i+1][j];
        } else
            dp[i][j] = dp[i+1][j];
    }
}

```

### Minimum subset sum difference

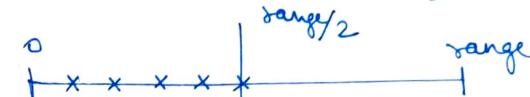
$\text{arr}[] \rightarrow [1 | 6 | 11 | 5]$   
 $O/P \rightarrow 1$   
 $\{1, 6\} \quad \{11, 5\}$   
 $\text{abs}(16 - 16) \rightarrow 0$   
 $\downarrow$   
 $\{1, 6, 5\} \quad \{11\}$   
 $(2) \quad (1)$   
 $O/P \rightarrow \text{abs}(12 - 11) = 1$



$\text{int abs(int arr[], int s1)} \{$   
~~if  $s_2 = \text{sum} - s_1;$~~   
~~if ( $i == \text{arr.size}()$ ) return INT-MAX;~~  
~~return~~  
~~max~~  
~~min~~  
 $(\text{abs}(i+1, arr, s_1 + \text{arr}[i]),$   
 $\text{abs}(i+1, arr, s_1))$

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_2 &\rightarrow S_2 - S_1 \rightarrow (\min) \\
 (\text{Range} - S_1 - S_1) &\rightarrow \min \\
 \text{Range} - 2S_1 &\rightarrow \min
 \end{aligned}$$

As we have to return abs then  $S_2 - S_1$   
 $\downarrow$   
always smaller



we have to calculate  
maximum value  
 $S_1 < \text{range}/2$

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
0									
1									
2									
3									
4									

← we can  
solve this  
by subset  
sum  
problem

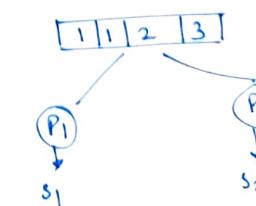
For  $\text{range}/2$   
the maximum val  
of  $s$  for which  
the cell is  $T$  is  
the value of  $S_1$ .

we'll see this  
now as it will give  
the value of  
possible subset  
sums where  
num of el =  $n$ .

Count the # of subsets with given difference.

$\text{arr}[] \rightarrow [1 | 1 | 2 | 3]$   
 $\text{diff} \rightarrow 1$

$\{1, 2\} \quad \{1, 3\}$   
 $\{1, 3\} \quad \{1, 2\}$   
 $\{1, 1, 2\} \quad \{3\}$



$$\begin{aligned}
 S_1 - S_2 &= d \\
 S_1 + S_2 &= \text{arr} \\
 S_1 &= \frac{\text{arr}}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{sum}(s_1) = \frac{a + \text{sum}(\text{arr})}{2}$$

problem reduced to count of subset sum where

$$S = \frac{a + \text{sum}(\text{arr})}{2}$$

Target sum

$$\text{arr: } [1 \ 1 \ 2 \ 3]$$

$$\text{sum: } 1$$

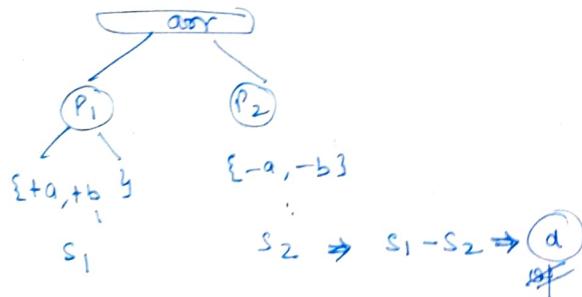
$$O/P \rightarrow 3.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Ex:- } & +1 -1 +2 +1 -1 -2 +3 \\ & = 1 \\ & +1 -1 -2 +3 \\ & = 1 \end{aligned}$$

I<sup>st</sup> approach  $\rightarrow$   $\text{dfs}(i+1, \text{nums}, \text{sum} + \text{arr}[i]);$   
 $\text{dfs}(i+1, \text{nums}, \text{sum} - \text{arr}[i]);$

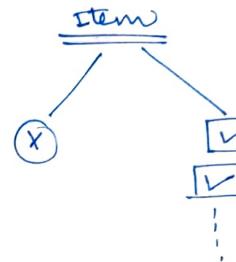
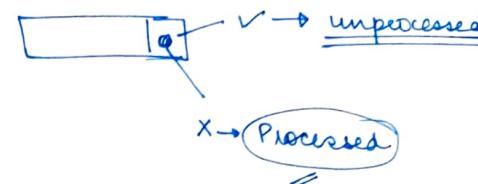
assign signs +/−  
in front of every  
element & then  
check the result

II<sup>nd</sup> approach + same as previous one



## Unbounded Knapsack

multiple occurrences  
of same item is  
allowed.



return  $\max \left( \text{val}[i] + \text{dfs}(i-1, \text{cap} - \text{wt}[i]), \text{dfs}(i-1, \text{cap}) \right)$

↓ unbound.

$\max \left( \text{val}[i] + \text{dfs}(i, \text{cap} - \text{wt}[i]), \text{dfs}(i, \text{cap}) \right) \Rightarrow t[i][j] =$   
 $\max \left( t[i][j - \text{wt}[i]] + \text{val}[i-1], t[i-1][j] \right)$

- variations
- road cutting
  - coin change
  - coin change-2
  - Maximum ~~subset~~  
cut.

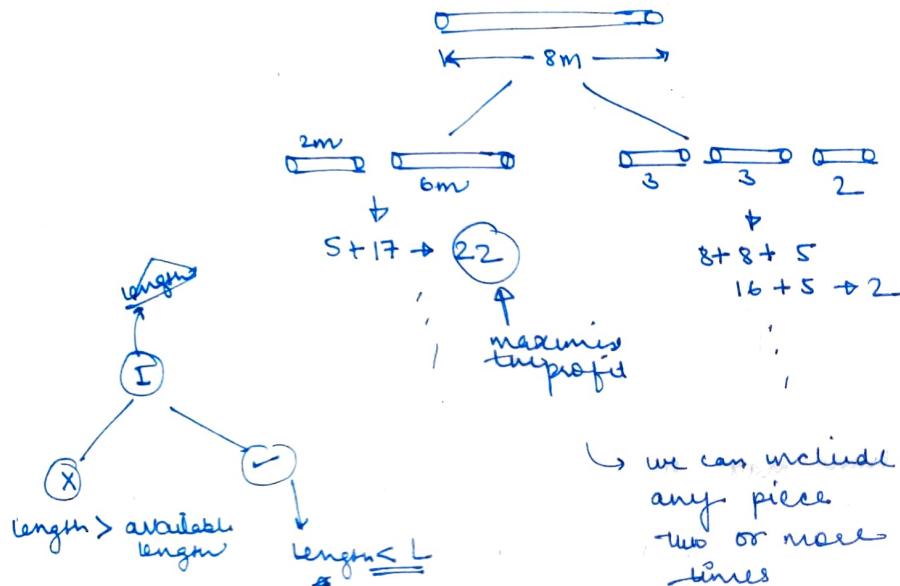
previously

either item  
is taken or  
not it is taken  
as considered  
(processed)

in unbound if  
the item is not  
considered then  
only it is  
(processed)  
otherwise it is  
in unprocessed  
state.

## Rod-cutting Problem

$\text{length}[] \rightarrow [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8]$   
 $\text{price}[] \rightarrow [1, 5, 8, 9, 10, 17, 17, 20]$   
 $L \rightarrow 8$



$\text{length} \rightarrow [1, \dots, n]$   
 $\text{price} \rightarrow [p_1, \dots, p_n]$

~~dfs(i, L) {~~  
~~if (length~~  
~~int dfs(i, L) {~~  
~~if (i ≥ len.size()) return 0;~~  
~~if (len[i] ≤ L) {~~  
~~dfs. return~~  
~~max(~~  
~~dfs(i, L - len[i]) + price[i])~~  
~~, dfs(i-1, L))~~  
~~else~~  
~~\* return dfs(i-1, L)~~

## Coin change - I # of ways

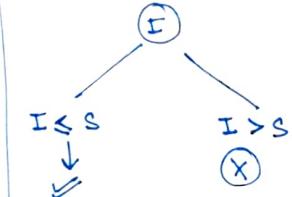
$\text{coin}[] \rightarrow [1, 2, 3]$   
 $\text{sum} \rightarrow 5$

$1+2+2$   
 $2+1+1+1$   
 $3+2$   
 $1+1+1+1+1$   
 $3+1+1$

$\boxed{0/p \rightarrow 5}$  → 5 number  
 of ways to  
 produce 5  
 as output

unbounded

because we can have multiple instance of single coin



~~int dfs (int i, int arr[], s) {~~  
~~if (arr[i] > s) return 0;~~  
~~return max (~~  
~~dfs (i, arr, s - arr[i]) +~~  
~~dfs (i+1, arr, s))~~

~~int dfs (int i, int arr[], s) {~~  
~~if (i ≥ arr.size()) return 0; if (s == 0)~~  
~~return 1;~~  
~~if (arr[i] ≤ s) {~~  
~~return dfs (i, arr, s - arr[i]) +~~  
~~dfs (i+1, arr, s)~~  
~~else~~  
~~return dfs (i+1, arr, s);~~

using DP

1	0	0	0	...	.
1					
1					

→ sum.

$$y(w_{i-1}) \leq j$$

$$t[i][j] = t[i][j - w_{i-1}] + t[i-1][j]$$

else

$$t[i][j] = t[i-1][j];$$

### Coin Change - II

coin[] → [1|2|3|/|/]

sum → 5

$$\begin{cases} 2+3 \\ 1+2+2 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} 1+1+1+2 \\ 1+1+3 \\ 1+1+1+1+1 \end{cases}$$

min # of coins

O/P → min# → 2

$$\underline{\min = 2}$$

$$\begin{cases} \cancel{1} \\ \cancel{2} \\ \cancel{3} \end{cases}$$

0	∞	∞	...	-	-
0					
0					
0					
0					

→ sum

n ↓

### Longest common subsequence

I/P → x: ② ⑥ c ④ e ⑤ h  
y: ③ ⑥ e ④ f ⑤ h ⑦ r

lcs → abdh

→ O/P → ④

subsequence

we can skip element

substring

we have to choose continuous

int dfs (string x, string y, i, j) {

if (i ==

y[i] ≥ x.length() || j ≥ y.length())  
return 0;

{ if (x[i] == y[j]) {

return 1 + dfs (x, y, i+1, j+1);

} else {

return max (dfs (x, y, i+1, j),  
dfs (x, y, i, j+1));

};

memoized

→ built an array/vector of target input + 1

vector<vector<int>> memo (n+1, vector<int> (m+1, +∞))

n → x.length()  
m → y.length()

## Top down DP

X : a b c d e f → abcf  
Y : a c b c e f → abcf

```

if (x[i-1] == y[i-1]) {
    t[i][j] = L + t[i-1][j-1];
}
else {
    t[i][j] = max(t[i-1][j], t[i][j-1]);
}

```

## Longest common substring

$$\begin{array}{rcl} x & \rightarrow & \underline{a} \underline{b} \underline{c} \underline{d} \underline{e} \\ y & \rightarrow & \underline{\underline{a}} \underline{b} \underline{f} \underline{d} \underline{e} \end{array}$$

must be contagious

9 p → 2

```
int abs(string x, string y, int i, int j) {
    if (i > x.length() || j > y.length()) return 0;
    if (x[i] == y[j]) {
        int temp = 1 + abs(x, y, i+1, j+1);
        res = max(res, temp);
    }
}
```

~~get~~ dfs ( $i+1, i+1$ )

```
return count);
```

Print longest common subsequence

~~X: @ C b/c f  
Y: @ b C a-a f~~

$X$ : @ c b c f  
 $Y$ : a b c d a t

O/P → abcf

	a	b	c	d	e	f
0	1	2	3	4	5	6
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	1	1	1	1
2	0	1	2	2	2	2
3	0	1	2	2	2	2
4	0	1	2	3	3	3
5	0	1	2	3	3	4

we'll do the  
reverse.  
engineering

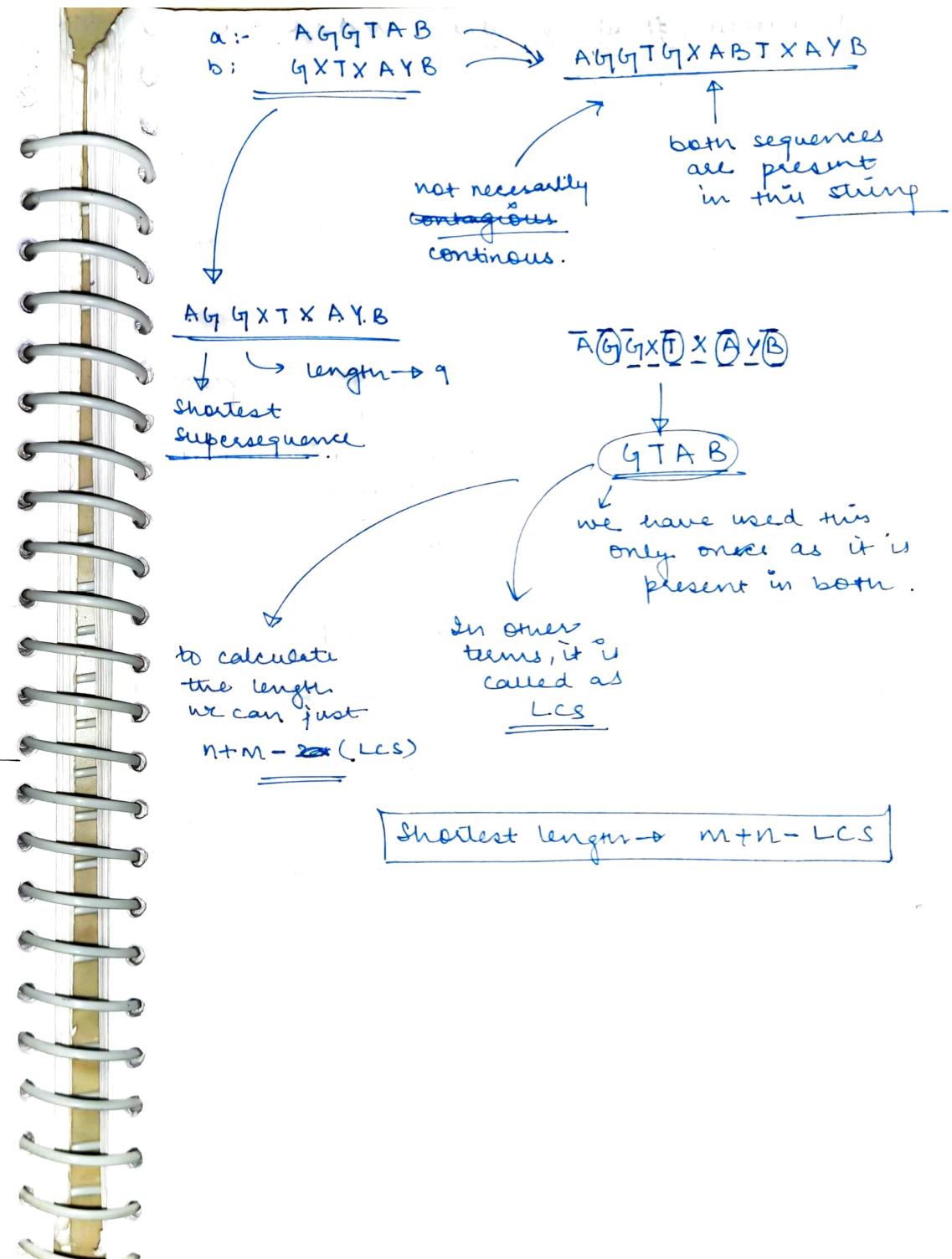
start with  $i = n-2$  &  $j = m-1$   
 if  $x(i-1) = - y(j-1)$  {  
      $\Rightarrow$       $i \leftarrow i-1$   
      $j \leftarrow j-1$   
 } else {  
      $y(j) \rightarrow$

if equal  $i, j \rightarrow i--, j--$   
else  $i, j \rightarrow \max(i-1, j)$

```
int i = m; j = n;
while (i > 0 && j > 0) {
    if (a[i-1] == b[j-1]) {
        s.push_back(a[i-1]);
        i--;
        j--;
    } else {
        if (+[i] <+ > +[i-1] <+ >) {
            j--;
        } else {
            i--;
        }
    }
}
reverse(s.begin(), s.end());
}
```

### Shortest common supersequence

a: "geek"  
b: "eke"  
merge → geek eke → geek eke  
↓  
geeee



## Minimum # of Insertion and Deletion

$$a \rightarrow b$$

perform insert  
and delete on  
string a to  
remove  
convert it to  
'B'

$$a \rightarrow \text{neap}$$

$$b \rightarrow \text{pea}$$

$$\text{p } \cancel{\text{neap}} \rightarrow \text{pea}$$

$$\cancel{\text{pea}}$$

Insert p  
Remove n  
Remove e  
Remove p

$$\begin{cases} \text{Ins: 1} \\ \text{del: 2} \end{cases}$$

$$a \longrightarrow b$$

$$\underline{\text{LCS}} \underline{(a, b)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{neap} \longrightarrow \text{pea}$$

$$\underline{\text{LCS}} \underline{(a, b)}$$

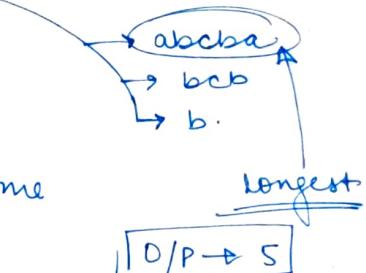
$$\# \text{ of deletions} = a.\text{length}() - \text{LCS.length}$$

$$\# \text{ of insertion} = b.\text{length}() - \text{LCS.length}$$

## Longest Palindromic Subsequence

$$\text{I/P} \rightarrow s: \underline{\text{agbcba}}$$

we can have  
discontinuous/  
continuous  
sequence



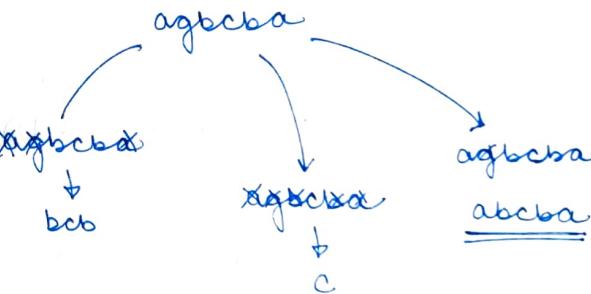
$$\text{O/P} \rightarrow 5$$

- ① If we note the special point
- ② ea remains intact as this is the

$$\boxed{\text{LCS}}$$

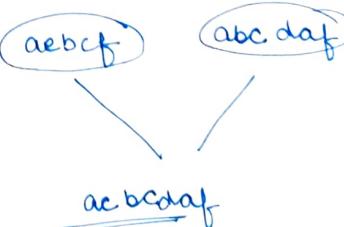
$$\text{LPS}(a) \equiv \text{LCS}(a, \text{reverse}(a))$$

## Minimum # of deletions in a string to make it Palindrome



$$\begin{aligned} \text{minimum # of deletion} &= \\ &= s.\text{length} - \underline{\text{LPS}(s)} \end{aligned}$$

## Print SCS → shortest common supersequence



$$\begin{aligned} \text{worst case} &\rightarrow m+n \\ \text{better} &\rightarrow m+n - \text{LCS} \\ &\downarrow \\ &\text{length} \end{aligned}$$

abcdaf  
 acbcgf  
 LCS → abcgf

	<del>a</del>	b	c	d	<del>a</del>	f
<del>a</del>	0	0	0	0	0	0
<del>b</del>	0	1	1	2	2	2
<del>c</del>	0	1	2	2	2	2
<del>f</del>	0	1	2	3	3	3
			3	3	3	4

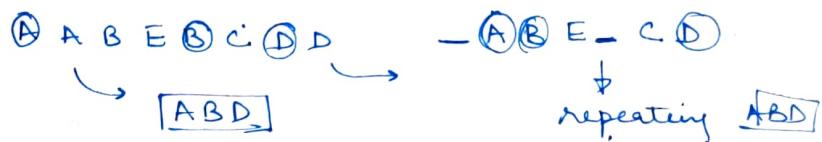
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while (i > 0 && j > 0) {
    if (a[i-1] == b[j-1]) {
        i--;
        j--;
        res.push_back(a[i-1]);
    } else {
        if (a[i-1] > b[j-1]) {
            if (t[i-1][j] > t[i][j-1]) {
                res.push_back(a[i-1]);
                i--;
            } else {
                res.push_back(b[j-1]);
                j--;
            }
        } else {
            if (t[i-1][j] == t[i][j-1] && i == j) {
                res.push_back(a[i-1]);
                i--;
            } else {
                res.push_back(b[j-1]);
                j--;
            }
        }
    }
}
reverse(res);
    
```

## Largest Repeating subsequence.

ctr = "A A B E B C D D"

We have to find a subsequence in this string which is repeating



O/P → ABD → length=3

We will find LCS among ~~A B E~~ and ~~B C D D~~

~~A A B E B C D D~~  
~~A A B E B C D D~~

while including in result

If  $a[i-1] == b[j-1]$  &  $i == j$   
→ we will not include it

$a[i-1] == b[j-1]$  &  $i \neq j \Rightarrow$  included

If  $a[i-1] == b[j-1] \& i \neq j$  {

$t[i][j] = t[i-1][j-1] + 1$

}

else

$$t[i][j] = \max (t[i-1][j], t[i][j-1])$$

## Sequence Pattern Matching

I/P  $\rightarrow$  a: "AXY"  
b: "ADXCPY"

if A is a subsequence  
of B

we can run two loops and check if it is equal or we can just try LCS

$LCS("AXY", "ADXCPY") == "AXY"$   
 ↪ true  
 else false

Minimum Number of insertions to make it palindrome

s: a e b e b d a  
~~a d e b e b d a~~

$S \rightarrow aebcbda$   
 $\downarrow$   
 $a@ebcb@da$

hence we'll add  
 $s.length - (LCS.length)$   
characters

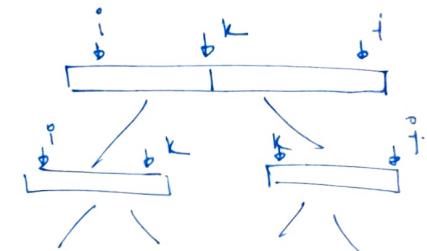
we'll find the LCS  
 and the remaining  
 elements (which are  
 not included in LCS)  
 are those which do  
 not have a pair

- 1) MCM
- 2) Printing MCM
- 3) Evaluate Exp to True / Boolean Parenthesis
- 4) Max/min value.
- 5) Palindrome partitioning
- 6) Scramble string
- 7) Egg dropping.

Identification + formal

breaking the string at any point

fun(i, j)  
 fun(i, k)      fun(k, j)



```
int solve(int arr[], int i, int j){  

    if (i > j) return 0;  

    for (int k = i; k < j; k++){  

        temp = solve(arr, i, k)  

        ans = solve(arr, k+1, j)  

        ans = fun(temp, ans);  

    }
}
```

## Matrix chain multiplication

cost of multiplying  
two matrices

$$\begin{array}{c} A_1 \\ \downarrow \\ a \times b \\ A_2 \\ \downarrow \\ b \times c \\ \downarrow \\ a \times b \times c \end{array}$$

$$arr[i] \rightarrow \boxed{\quad | \quad | \quad |}$$

$$\begin{array}{cccc} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 & a_4 \\ ((a_1 a_2) & (a_3 a_4)) \\ ((a_1 (a_2 a_3) a_4) \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} A \rightarrow 5 * 30 \\ B \rightarrow 30 * 7 \\ C \rightarrow 7 * 10 \\ \downarrow \\ ABC \rightarrow \boxed{5 | 30 | 7 | 10} \\ AB \rightarrow (5 \times 30 \times 7) \\ = 5 \times 1050 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Return minimum cost after multiplications

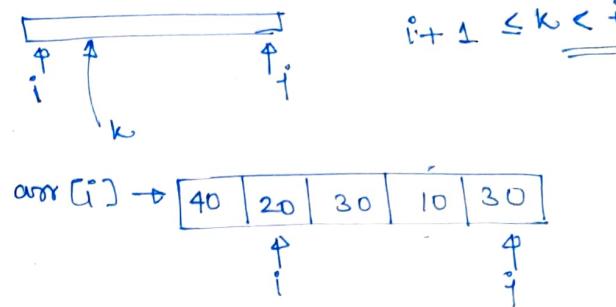
$$arr[] \rightarrow \boxed{40 | 20 | 30 | 10 | 30}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{no of matrices} \\ = a.size() - 1 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} a_1 \rightarrow 40 \times 20 \\ a_2 \rightarrow 20 \times 30 \\ a_3 \rightarrow 30 \times 10 \\ a_4 \rightarrow 10 \times 30 \end{array}$$

$$A_i \rightarrow arr[i-1] * arr[i]$$

$$\begin{array}{c} (A_1)(A_2 A_3 A_4) \\ \downarrow k \\ \min \text{ cost} \end{array}$$



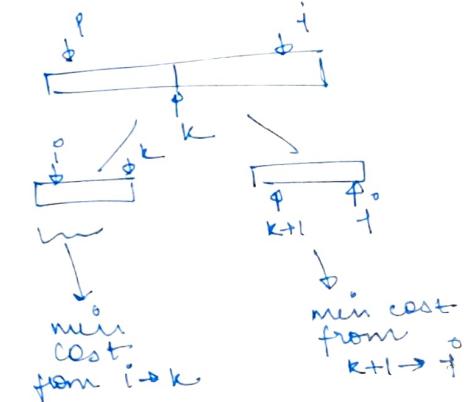
$$arr[i] \rightarrow \boxed{40 | 20 | 30 | 10 | 30}$$

$$A_i \rightarrow arr[i-1] \times arr[i]$$

```
int solve(int i, int j, int arr[]) {
    if(i >= j) return 0;
    // move k i->j
    for (int k = i; k < j; k++) {
        solveT(arr, i, k);
        solveT(arr, k+1, j);
    }
}
```



we have ensured  
that a group  
contains atleast  
1 matrix ...



$(ABCD)$

min cost of multip AB

and then multiply both remaining matrices

40	20	30	10	45	60
i	k		m	n	j

min cost  
of multiplication  
of  $i \rightarrow k$

$$(40 \times 20)$$

$$\underline{(20 \times 30)}$$

min cost of  
multiplication of

$$\begin{array}{l} 30 \times 10 \\ 10 \times 45 \\ 45 \times 60 \end{array}$$

temp ans 1 = solve (i, k)

temp ans 2 = solve (k+1, j)

(sum)  $\rightarrow$  temp ans 1 + temp ans 2 +

dimensions  
of matrix

$$40 \times 30$$

arr[i] x arr[k]

dimensions  
of res mat

$$\text{arr}[k] \times \text{arr}[j]$$

$\rightarrow$  arr[i-1] x arr[k] x arr[j]

~~temp-res = temp 1 + temp 2 + arr[i-1] x arr[k] x arr[j].~~

int solve (int arr[], int i, int j) {

if ( $i \geq j$ ) return 0; int mn = INT\_MAX;

for (int k = i; k <= j - 1; k++) {

int tempans = solve (arr, i, k) +  
solve (arr, k+1, j) +  
arr[i-1] \* arr[k] \* arr[j];

if (temp < mn) mn = temp;

}

return mn;

### memoization

matrix  $\rightarrow$  int memo[i+1][j+1]

size of  
array

size of  
array

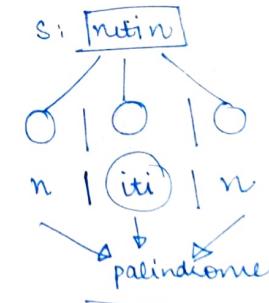
$\Rightarrow$  int memo[n+1][m+1];

$\rightarrow$  if (dp[i][j] != -1) return dp[i][j]

$\rightarrow$  dp[i][j] = temp\_res

$\rightarrow$  return dp[i][j];

### Palindrome Partitioning



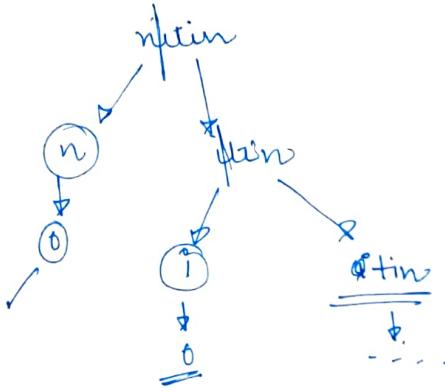
### worst case

partition after every  
character as  
every letter is a  
palindrome

nitin  $\rightarrow$   $\oplus$

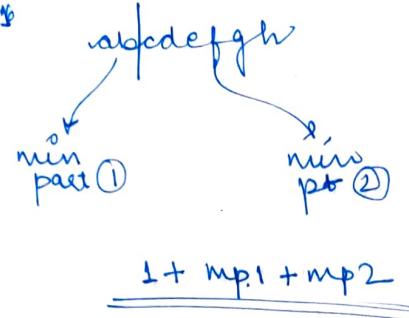
no of partitions  $\rightarrow$  2

min



whenever we find  
a palindromic  
string we  
need 0 partitions

```
int solve (int arr[], int i, int j){  
    if (i > j) return 0; int res = INT-MAX;  
    if (isPalindrome (arr, i, j)) return 0;  
    for (int k = i; k <= j; k++) {  
        int temp1 = solve (i, k);  
        int temp2 = solve (k+1, j);  
        int temp_res = 1 + temp1 + temp2;  
        res = min (res, temp_res);  
    }  
    return res;  
}
```



optimization → after memoization

There is a probability that the recursive problems i.e same  $(i, k)$  or same  $(k+1, j)$  might get solved previously.

int temp = 1 + solve (s, i, k) + solve (s, k+1, j);

if (solve (s, i, k)) = -1 left = so-

if (dp[i][k] != -1) left = dp[i][k];

if (dp[k+1][j] != -1) right = dp[k+1][j];

Storing  
values if  
already  
present

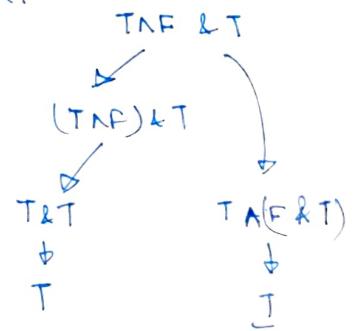
Evaluate Expressions to True | Booleans Parenthesis

string → T/F & F

symbols can  
be of  
T, F, !, &, ^

put pos brackets in  
a way so that the  
evaluated string  
becomes true

Ex:-



$T \mid F \& T \wedge F$

↓

$(T \mid F) \wedge (T \wedge F)$

$T \& T$

↓

$T$

$T \mid (F \& (T \wedge F))$

$T \mid (F \& T)$

↓

$T$

\* we'll put the position of  $k$  in such a way that  $k \rightarrow i$  &  $k+1 \rightarrow j$  we have brackets

$T \mid (F \& T \wedge F)$

↓  
K

$T \text{ or } F \text{ and } T \text{ xor } F$

$\text{exp}^x \text{ XOR } \text{exp}^y$

$(i \rightarrow k-1) \quad (k+1 \rightarrow j)$

we'll always put a bracket on operators to jump on operators always  $[k = k+2]$

1) Find  $i \pm j$

$i = 1, j = n-2$

$n \rightarrow s.length()$

2) Find base condition

if ( $i \rightarrow$  if ( $i > j$ ) return False

if ( $i == j$ ) {

    if ( $s[i] == \text{true}$ )

        return  $s[i] == 'T'$ ;

else

        return  $s[i] == 'F'$ ;

$\boxed{T}$

if we wanted  
true only  
return T else F

we have to find both

- 1) when the expression is evaluated true
- 2) when the expression is evaluated false

$\text{exp}_1 \wedge \text{exp}_2$

$T \wedge F \rightarrow T$

$F \wedge T \rightarrow T$

$\text{exp}_1 \quad \text{exp}_2$

$T \rightarrow 2 \quad T \rightarrow 3$

$F \rightarrow 4 \quad F \rightarrow 5$

$2 \times 5 + 4 \times 3$

$$10 + 12 = 22$$

so far doing function call, we'll pass parameter  
 $(T/F)$

$\text{solve}(i, j, T)$

$\text{solve}(i, j, F)$

for ( $\text{int } k = i+1 ; k \leq j-1 ; k = k+2$ ) {

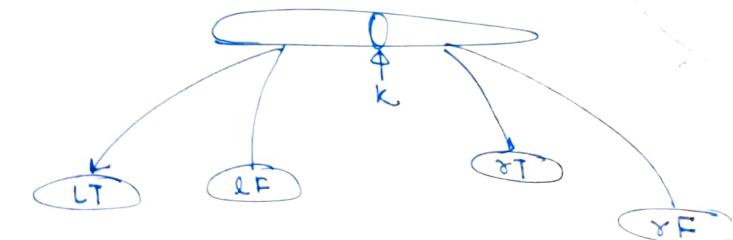
$\text{int } \text{LT} = \text{solve}(i, k-1, T);$

$\text{int } \text{ST} = \text{solve}(k+1, j, T);$

$\text{int } \text{LF} = \text{solve}(i, k-1, F);$

$\text{int } \text{SF} = \text{solve}(k+1, j, F);$

// answer logic



†

```

    if (s[k] == 'f') {
        if (isTrue == true) {
            ans = ans + (LT * NT);
        } else {
            ans += (LF * RT + LT * RF + LF * RF);
        }
    }

    else if (s[k] == 't') {
        if (isTrue) {
            ans += (LT * RT + LT * RF + LF * RT);
        } else {
            ans += LF * RF;
        }
    }

    else if (s[k] == 'n') {
        if (isTrue) {
            ans += (LF * RT + LT * RF);
        } else {
            ans += (LT * RT + LT * RF);
        }
    }

    return ans;
}

```

memoization

1D | 2D | 3D

→ dimension depends on number of variables changing in function call

Here ~~not~~ variables (changing) →  $i, j, isTrue$

$n \downarrow \quad n \downarrow \quad \underline{2}$

dimensions →  $[n+1][n+1][2]$

Better way

we can use map

map
$i+j+isTrue$

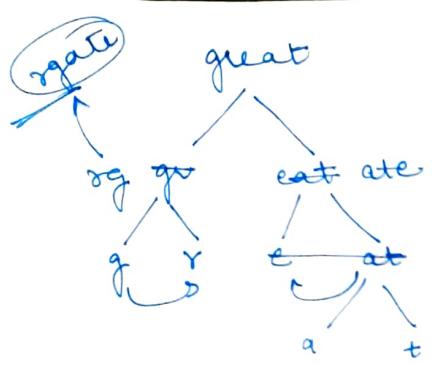
key = to\_string(i) + to\_string(j) + to\_string(isTrue)  
= "5+9+F"  
→ key of the map

Scrambled string

I/P → a: "great"      O/P → true  
b: "rgeat"

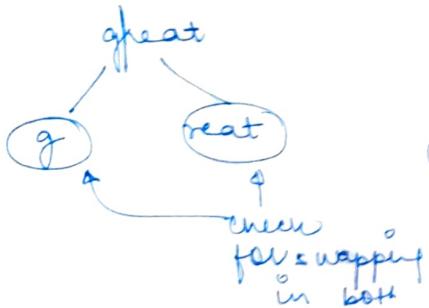
We represent the string as a binary tree by partitioning it into two non-empty strings recursively.

Scrambled string → to generate a scrambled string we can choose any two non-leaf node and swap them



Non-leaf  
node can be  
swapped by  
children

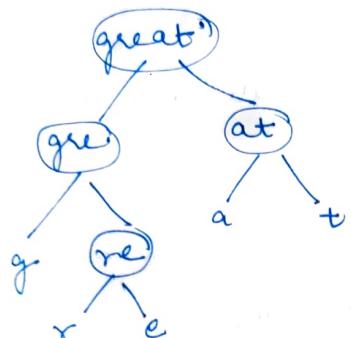
great > scrambled strings  $\Rightarrow$  T



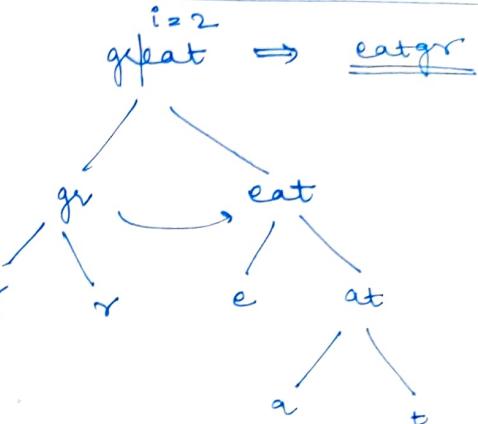
$$k = i+1 \rightarrow n-1$$

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- 1) Binary tree only
- 2) NO empty string
- child



swapping  $\rightarrow$  zero or more



we can have  
2 case at  
any  $i^{\circ}$   
either swap  
not swap

great  $\rightarrow$  great swap X  
great  $\rightarrow$  eatgr swap ✓

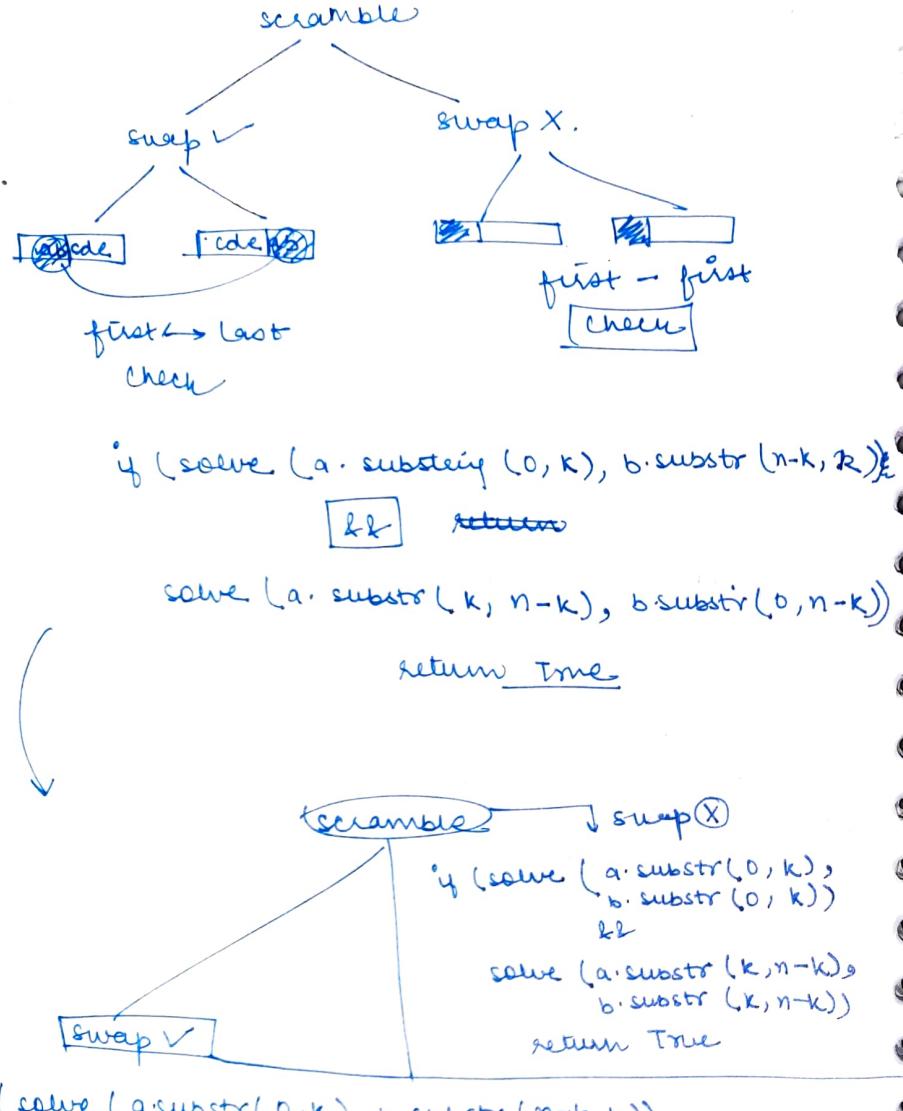
$\Rightarrow$  return True  
in both cases.



we'll check the  
first  $k$  letters of  
string with last  $k$   
if it's scrambled.



check in order only



if (solve (a.substr(0, k), b.substr(n-k, k))  
 &&  
 solve (a.substr(k, n-k), b.substr(0, n-k)))  
 &&  
 solve (a.substr(0, k), b.substr(n-k, k))  
 &&  
 solve (a.substr(k, n-k), b.substr(k, n-k)))  
 return true;

```

bool solve (string a, string b) {
    if (a.compare(b) == 0)
        return true;
    if (a.length() ≤ 1)
        return false;
    int n = a.length();
    bool flag = false;
    for (int i = 1; i < n; i++) {
        if (cond1 || cond2) {
            flag = true
            break;
        }
    }
    return flag;
}
  
```

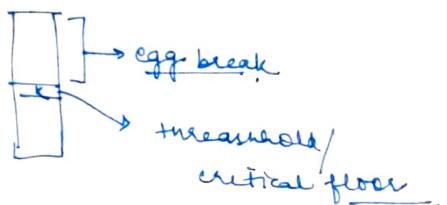


memoization → use map → key can be  
 $a + b^{11} + b$   
 $a + \$ + b$   
 $a + \# + b$

### Egg Dropping Problem

$$e = 3 \\ f = 5$$

minimum number  
of attempts to  
find critical  
floor.



- we drop egg from every floor and check if it breaks.

we have to use ' $e$ ' number of eggs wisely so that in minimum <sup>attempts</sup> eggs we can find the critical floor.

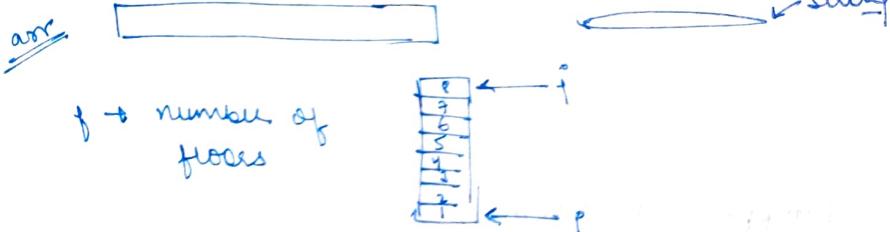
OR

suppose no of floors  $>>>$  number of eggs.

in this case, if we don't use the eggs wisely we won't be able to find the critical floor after using all the eggs also

Also suppose we'll start from bottom we can find the critical floor in 1 egg only but the attempts  $\rightarrow$  huge //.

• use egg wisely & minimize # of attempts.



Basically we don't know from which floor I should make my first attempt.



Break ✓ (k)

it means that the threshold floor must be somewhere between  $(e - k + 1)$

solve(e-1, k-1)

Break X

solve(e, f-k)

egg will only drop after k

int solve (int e, int f) {

if ( $f == 0$  ||  $f == 1$ ) return f;

if ( $e == 1$ ) return f;

int mn = INT\_MAX;

for (int k=1; k <= f; k++) {

int temp = 1 + max (solve(e+1, k-1),  
solve(e, f-k))

mn = min (mn, temp);

}

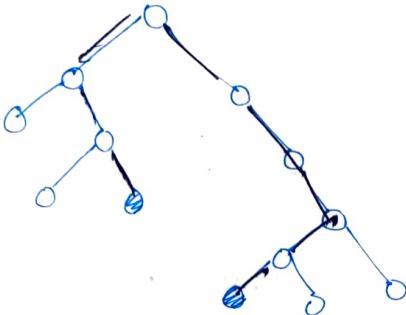
return mn;

}

## DP ON TREES

diameter of tree

maximum path  
between two  
leaf nodes



identification

we're traversing  
a tree and on  
each node we  
again need to  
call recursive  
functions.

General syntax

```
int solve ( Node *root, int *res ) {
    if (root == NULL) return 0;
    [ int l = solve (root -> left, res);
      int r = solve (root -> right, res);
```

int temp = calculate ans

res = max ( res, temp )

question  
dependent.

(1)

Diameter of Binary Tree

int res = INT\_MAXMIN;

int solve ( Node \*root ) {

if (root == NULL)  
return 0;

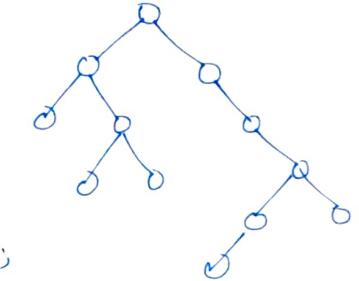
int l = solve (root -> left);

int r = solve (root -> right);

int temp\_ans = l + r;

res = max (res, temp\_ans);

return l + max (l, r);



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Maximum Path sum

maximum path sum from any node to any node

↓  
question becomes  
different when  
value of node  
becomes negative

if the value of 'l' or 'r' comes out to be negative  
then we won't include that

max ( max (l, r) + root -> val, )  
root -> val .

int solve ( Node \*root, int &res ) {

if (root == NULL) return 0;

// getting l & r

int temp = max (root -> val + max (l, r), )  
root -> val

int ans =  
TF

res = max (temp, res)  
return temp;

## Maximum Path sum from leaf to leaf

```
int solve ( Node *root) {  
    if (root == NULL) return 0;  
    int l = solve (root->left);  
    int r = solve (root->right);  
    int tempAns = max (l,r) + root->val;  
    res = max (res, root->val + l+r);  
    int ans = max (tempAns, l+r+root->val);  
    res = max (ans+res);  
    return temp;  
}
```

