

Arrays, Strings & Linked Lists Lecture 11

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<https://leetcode.com/problems/maximize-sum-of-array-after-k-negations/>

Greedy step:- k times

Min Heap \leftarrow {

- Find the min element in the array
- change its sign
- Push it back to the array

- Build Heap(n) $\rightarrow O(n)$

- k times, $top()$, $pop()$, $push()$ $\rightarrow \log(n)$

- Pop all elements & return their sum $\rightarrow n \log(n)$

$$T = O(n \log n)$$

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import heapq
class Solution:
    # T: O(n+klog(n))
    # S: O(1)
    def largestSumAfterKNegations(self, nums: List[int], k: int) -> int:
        heapq.heapify(nums) # Creates a min heap by default O(n)
        for _ in range(k): # O(klog(n))
            heapq.heappush(nums, -heapq.heappop(nums))
        return sum(nums) # O(n)

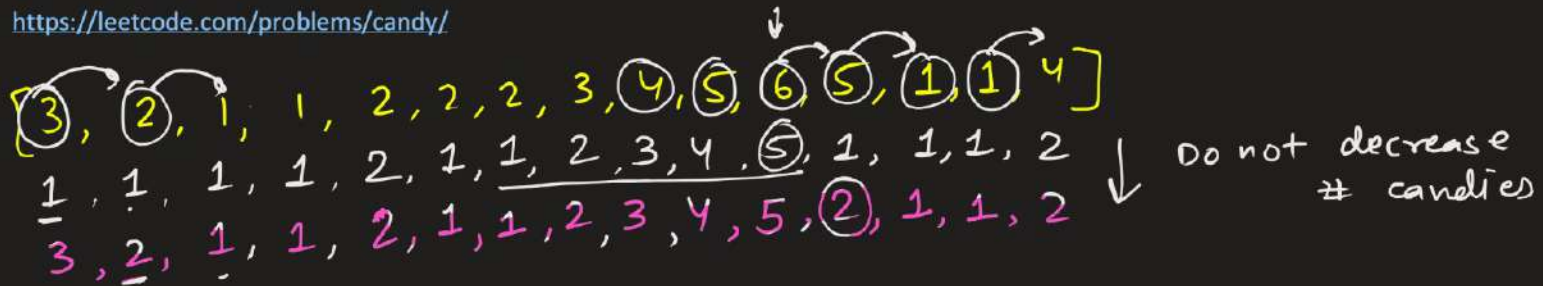
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class Solution {
public:
    int largestSumAfterKNegations(vector<int>& nums, int k) {
        priority_queue<int, vector<int>, greater<int>> pq(nums.begin(), nums.end()); // Build heap
        for(int i=0; i<k; i++) {
            int a = pq.top();
            pq.pop();
            pq.push(-a);
        }
        int ans = 0;
        while(!pq.empty()) {
            ans += pq.top();
            pq.pop();
        }
        return ans;
    }
};

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<https://leetcode.com/problems/candy/>



Left → Right

if $r[i+1] > r[i]$
 $c[i+1] = c[i] + 1$

Right → left

if $r[i-1] > r[i]$ and $c[i-1] < c[i]$
 $c[i-1] = c[i] + 1$

return sum(c)

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class Solution:
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# T = O(n), S = O(n)
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def candy(self, r: List[int]) -> int:
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n = len(r)
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c = [1]*n
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# Left to right pass O(n)
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for i in range(1, n):
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    if r[i] > r[i-1]:
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        c[i] = c[i-1]+1
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# Right to left pass O(n)
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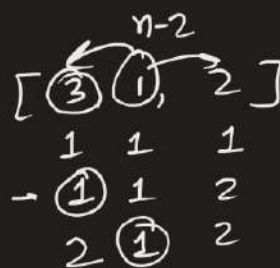
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for i in range(n-2, -1, -1):
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    if r[i] > r[i+1] and c[i] <= c[i+1]:
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        c[i] = c[i+1]+1
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return sum(c) #O(n)
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vector<int> c (n, 1);



for(int i = n-2; i > -1; i--)

leetcode.com/problems/largest-number/

[3, 30, 34, 5, 9]

[^a9, ^b5, 34, 3, 30]

95 > 59

534 > 345

343 > 334

330 > 303

a, b

ab > ba

ab > ba

⇒ abc > acb

⇒ ac > ca

b, c

bc > cb

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from functools import cmp_to_key
def comp(a, b):
    if a+b > b+a:
        return -1
    return 1
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class Solution:
    def largestNumber(self, nums: List[int]) -> str:
        nums = list(map(str, nums))
        nums = sorted(nums, key = cmp_to_key(comp))
        ans = ''.join(nums).lstrip("0")
        if not ans:
            ans = "0"
        return ans
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$O(n \log n * \text{len(str)})$

$O(9 \cdot n \log n)$