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<b>Experiment</b>	9
<b>Aim</b>	To understand and implement String Matching Algorithm
<b>Objective</b>	1) Write Pseudocode for any 2 string matching algorithm 2) Implementing the above mentioned 2 string matching algorithm 3) Calculating time complexity of the given problems 4) Solve the string matching for both the algorithm on pen and paper
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<b>Algorithm and Explanation of the technique used</b>	<p><b>Naive Method:</b></p> <p><b>pseudo code:</b></p> <pre>procedure search(pat, txt):     M := length of pat     N := length of txt      for i := 0 to (N - M):         j := 0          while j &lt; M and txt[i + j] = pat[j]:             j := j + 1          if j equals M:             print "Pattern found at index",</pre> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Loop through the text from index 0 to (N - M), where N is the length of the text and M is the length of the pattern.</li><li>2. For each index i, initialize a variable j to 0.</li><li>3. Within a nested loop, compare each character of the pattern with the corresponding character in the text starting from index i.</li><li>4. If all characters of the pattern match the corresponding characters in the text starting from</li></ol>
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index i, print the index i where the pattern is found.  
5. Repeat steps 2-4 until all possible starting indices for the pattern in the text have been checked.

**KMP Method**  
**pseudocode:**

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procedure search(pat, txt):  
    M := length of pat  
    N := length of txt  
    sub := an array of length M to store the prefix-suffix  
    overlap lengths for the pattern
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    // Preprocess the pattern to generate the prefix-suffix  
    overlap lengths  
    prefixSuffix(sub, pat, M)
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    i := 0 // Index for the text  
    j := 0 // Index for the pattern
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    while i < N:  
        if pat[j] equals txt[i]:  
            i := i + 1  
            j := j + 1
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        if j equals M:  
            print "Pattern found at index", (i - j)  
            j := sub[j - 1] // Move j to the next possible  
            match position based on prefix-suffix overlap  
        else:  
            if j is not equal to 0:  
                j := sub[j - 1] // Move j to the next possible  
                match position based on prefix-suffix overlap  
            else:  
                i := i + 1
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procedure prefixSuffix(sub, pat, M):  
    len := 0  
    sub[0] := 0 // Initialize the first element of the sub  
    array
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    for i := 1 to (M - 1):  
        if pat[i] equals pat[len]:  
            len := len + 1  
            sub[i] := len  
        else:  
            if len is not equal to 0:
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	<pre> len := sub[len - 1] // Adjust len based on the previous prefix-suffix overlap i := i - 1 // Stay at the current index to recheck with the adjusted len else: sub[i] := 0 </pre> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Preprocess the pattern to generate the prefix-suffix overlap lengths using the prefixSuffix procedure.</li> <li>2. Initialize indices i and j for the text and pattern, respectively.</li> <li>3. Compare each character of the text with the corresponding character of the pattern.</li> <li>4. If a mismatch occurs, update the index j based on the prefix-suffix overlap information stored in the sub array.</li> <li>5. Repeat steps 3-4 until either the pattern is found in the text or the end of the text is reached.</li> </ol>
<b>Program(Code )</b>	<p><b>Naive Method:</b></p> <pre> def pattern(txt ,pat): M = len(txt) N = len(pat)  for i in range (M-N+1): j = 0  while(j&lt;N): if(txt[i+j]!= pat[j]): break j += 1  if(j == N): print("Pattern at index: ",i+1)  if __name__ == '__main__': txt = 'ABCDADDSCABCDADBCABCAAD' pat = 'ABC'  pattern(txt ,pat) </pre> <p><b>Kmp Method:</b></p> <pre> def pattern(txt, pat): M = len(txt) </pre>

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N = len(pat)
sub = [0]*N
j = 0

prefixSuffix(sub, pat, N)
i = 0
while (M - i) >= (N - j):
    if pat[j] == txt[i]:
        i += 1
        j += 1
    if j == N:
        print("Pattern found at index:", i - j + 1)
        j = sub[j - 1]
    elif i < M and pat[j] != txt[i]:
        if j != 0:
            j = sub[j - 1]
        else:
            i += 1

def prefixSuffix(sub, pat, N):
    length = 0
    sub[0] = 0
    i = 1
    while i < N:
        if pat[i] == pat[length]:
            length += 1
            sub[i] = length
            i += 1
        else:
            if length != 0:
                length = sub[length - 1]
            else:
                sub[i] = 0
            i += 1

if __name__ == '__main__':
    txt = "ABCBABCDABCDABCBCBBAABCBABC"
    pat = "ABCBABC"
    pattern(txt, pat)

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**Output**

Naive Method:

	<pre> ● students@students-HP-280-G3-SFF-Business-PC:~/Desktop\$ python3 naive.py Pattern at index: 1 Pattern at index: 10 Pattern at index: 18 </pre> <p><b>Kmp Method:</b></p> <pre> ● students@students-HP-280-G3-SFF-Business-PC:~/Desktop\$ python3 kmp.py Pattern found at index: 1 Pattern found at index: 14 Pattern found at index: 24 </pre>
<b>Justification of the complexity calculated</b>	<p><b>Naive Method:</b></p> <p>Best Case Scenario: For the best case scenario we hope the pattern is found at the first position itself, therefore there are just <math>N</math> (length of the pattern) comparisons made. Therefore for the best Case Scenario the time complexity is <math>O(n)</math></p> <p>Worst Case Scenario: For the worst case, we assume that the pattern doesn't appear anywhere except for the end of the string. Here the algorithm will perform <math>(n-m+1)*m</math> iterations for every single element in the string, where <math>m</math> is the length of the string and <math>n</math> is the length of the pattern. Therefore the time complexity being <math>O((n-m+1)*m)</math>.</p> <p><b>KMP Method:</b></p> <p>Best Case: <math>O(n + m)</math></p> <p>In the best-case scenario, when the pattern is found at the beginning of the text or early on, the KMP algorithm typically performs a constant number of comparisons.</p> <p>Worst Case: <math>O(n + m)</math></p> <p>In the worst-case scenario, where the pattern doesn't appear in the text at all or appears only at the very end, the KMP algorithm still maintains a time complexity of <math>O(n + m)</math>. This is because it optimally utilizes the knowledge of the pattern's prefix-suffix overlap to avoid redundant comparisons, resulting in linear time complexity relative to the size of both the text and the pattern.</p>
<b>Conclusion</b>	<p>Through the above two codes I understood how string matching algorithms work. I used two algorithms, 1. Naive 2. Kmp method. Out of which I realised the KMP is a much better approach than naive as it reduces the common patterns in the comparison string, subsequently reducing the time complexity for it. I can now successfully implement both the algorithms for string comparison.</p>