

Understanding Problem Statement

Given an array of n-integers, construct product array such that $prod[i]$ is equal to product of all elements except $arr[i]$ without using division operator. Consider array $[10,20,30,40]$. Now $prod[0]$ should be product of $arr[1],arr[2],arr[3]$.we should not include $arr[0]$ And $prod[1]$ should be product of $arr[0],arr[1]$ and $arr[2]$ $prod_arr = [24000,12000,8000,6000]$ #ans

Approach 1

1. First we can find the product of all elements. all_prod
2. while finding product array, we can add $prod[i]$ by dividing all_prod with $arr[i]$.
3. But condition is we should not use division operator. So we cannot use this approach

Approach 2

1. Find left product array i.e product of elements starting from left till that element. $left\ prod[i] = arr[0] \times arr[1] \times \dots \times arr[i-1] \times arr[i]$ $leftprod = [10,200,6000,24000]$
2. Similarly find right product array i.e product of elements starting from right till that elements $right\ prod[i] = arr[n] \times arr[n-1] \times \dots \times arr[i+1] \times arr[i]$
3. Now to find actual $prod[i]$ we can make use of left prod and right prod. $prod[i] = left\ prod[i-1] \times right\ prod[i+1]$
4. To find left prod we have to scan array once. $O(n)$ To find right prod we have to scan array once. $O(n)$ To find actual prod we have to iterate and make use of left prod and right prod. $O(n)$
5. We use three arrays of space n i.e $3n$ i.e $O(n)$

Time Complexity : $O(n)$

Space Complexity : $O(n)$

Implementation

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In [15]: def prod_array(arr,size):
    if size == 1:
        return []
    prod_arr = [0]* size
    left_prod = []
    right_prod = [0]* size
    lprd = 1
    for i in range(size):
        lprd *= arr[i]
        left_prod.append(lprd)
    rprd = 1
    for i in range(size-1,-1,-1):
        rprd *= arr[i]
        right_prod[i]= rprd
    prod_arr[0] = right_prod[1]
    prod_arr[-1] = left_prod[size-2]
    if size == 2:
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    return prod_arr
    for i in range(1,size-1):
        prod_arr[i] = left_prod[i-1]* right_prod[i+1]
    return prod_arr

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In [16]: arr = [10,20,30,40]
        size = len(arr)
        print(prod_array(arr,size))
        # ans
        # [24000, 12000, 8000, 6000]

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[24000, 12000, 8000, 6000]

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In [17]: arr = [10]
        size = len(arr)
        print(prod_array(arr,size))
        # ans
        # []

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In [28]: arr = [10,20]
        size = len(arr)
        print(prod_array(arr,size))
        # ans
        # [20, 10]

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[20, 10]

Optimized logic

Instead of using different left prod, right prod and actual prod, we can use single array to directly compute result.
 Given array [10,20,30,40]. First compute left such that element is not included i.e [1,10,200,6000]
 Then iterate from right and update the same list.

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In [29]: def prod_arr_opt(arr,size):
        prod_arr = [None]*size
        temp = 1
        for i in range(size):
            prod_arr[i] = temp
            temp = temp* arr[i]
        temp = 1
        for i in range(size-1,-1,-1):
            prod_arr[i] = prod_arr[i] * temp
            temp = temp* arr[i]
        return prod_arr

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In [30]: arr = [10,20,30,40]
        size = len(arr)
        print(prod_arr_opt(arr,size))
        # ans
        # [24000, 12000, 8000, 6000]

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[24000, 12000, 8000, 6000]

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In [31]: arr = [10]
        size = len(arr)
        print(prod_arr_opt(arr,size))
        # ans
        # [1]

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[1]

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In [32]: arr = [10,20]
          size = len(arr)
          print(prod_arr_opt(arr,size))
          # ans
          # [20, 10]
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[20, 10]

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In [ ]:
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