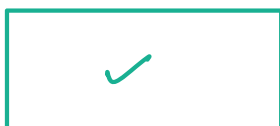


Good  
Evening

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Recursion : Solving Problems using subproblem

Backtracking : An algorithmic technique by  
(Brute force) which we can try out all  
possibilities using Recursion.



Box 1



Box 2



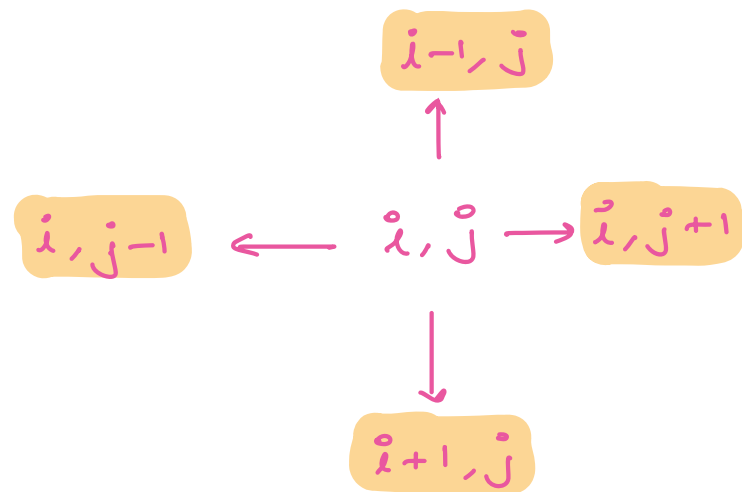
Box 3

## Rat in a Maze

Check if it is possible to go from top-left to bottom-right cell in a maze with blocked cell.

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0
2	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
3	0	0	1	0	1	0	1
4	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
5	0	0	0	1	0	1	0

$arr[i][j] = 0$  empty  
 $arr[i][j] = 1$  blocked



# code

boolean check (arr[][], i, j)

if (i == n-1 & j == m-1) return true;

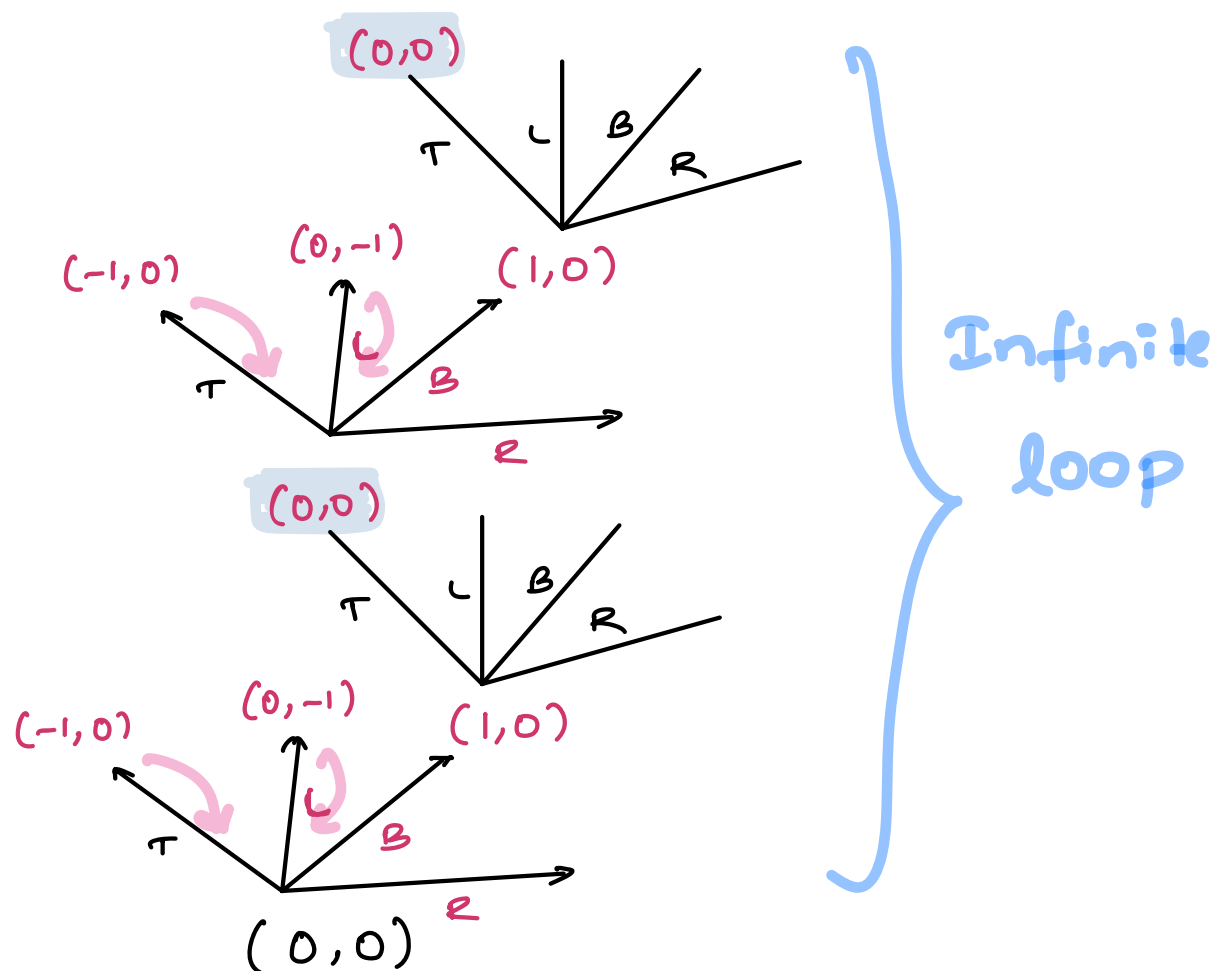
if (i < 0 || j < 0 || i ≥ N || j ≥ M ||

arr[i][j] == 1 || arr[i][j] == 2) return false;

arr[i][j] = 2; // arr[i][j] is visited

return ( check (arr, i-1, j) || check (arr, i, j-1) ||  
check (arr, i+1, j) || check (arr, i, j+1) )

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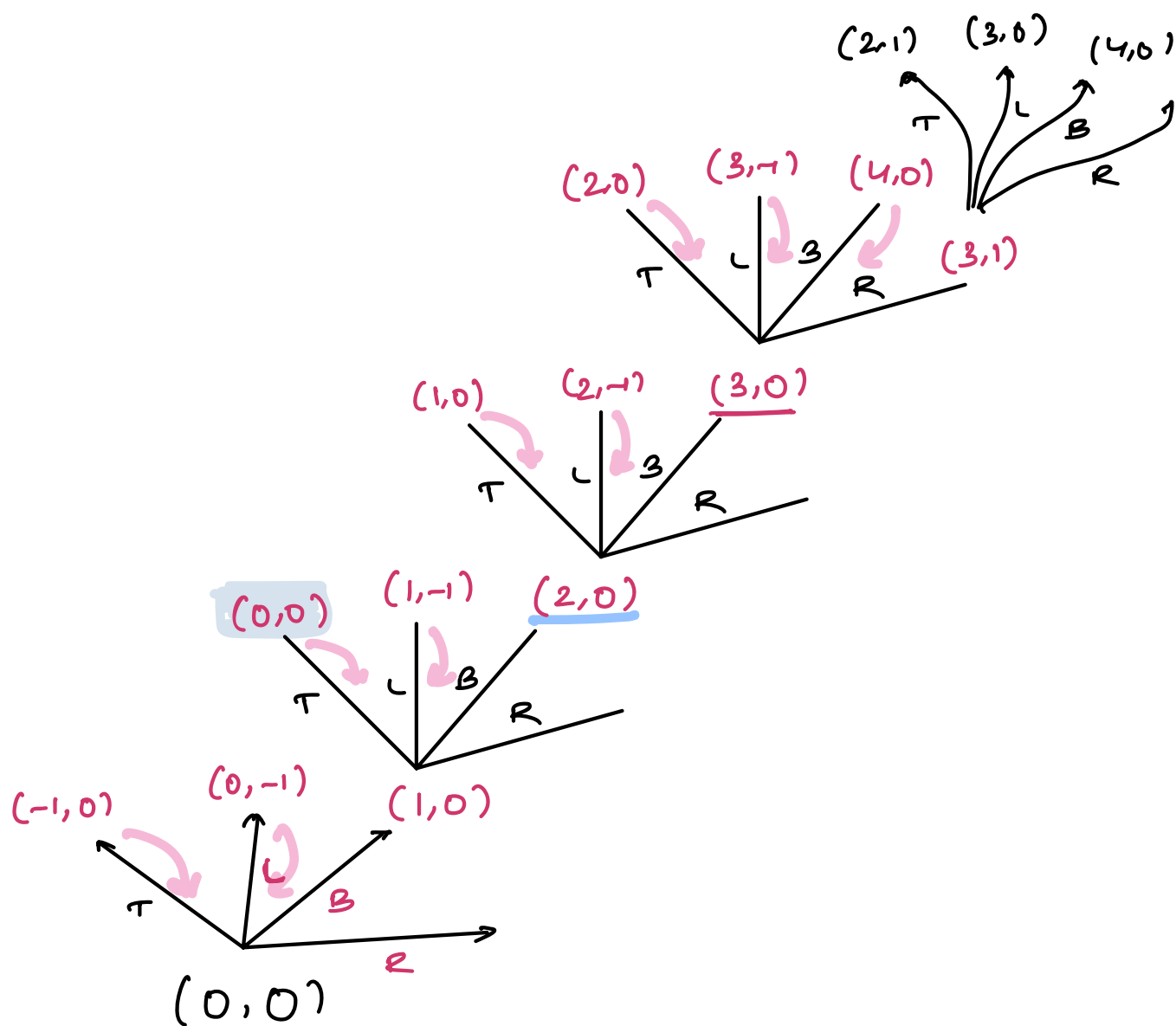


	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0
2	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
3	0	0	1	0	1	0	1
4	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
5	0	0	0	1	0	1	0

boolean vis[N][M]   
 ↗ true (cell is visited)   
 ↘ false (cell is unvisited)

arr[N][M]   
 ↗ 0 empty cell   
 ↘ 1 blocked cell   
 ↘ 2 visited cell

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0
1	2	1	0	1	0	1	0
2	2	1	0	0	1	0	0
3	2	2	1	0	1	0	1
4	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
5	0	0	0	1	0	1	0



## \* Pseudocode

boolean check ( int [ ] [ ] ar, int i, int j )

if ( i == n-1 && j == m-1 ) return true;

ar[i][j] = 2;

dx = [-1, 0, 1, 0]

dy = [0, -1, 0, 1]

for ( k=0; k<4; k++)

ni = i + dx[k]

nj = j + dy[k]

if ( ni ≥ 0 && nj ≥ 0 && ni < n && nj < m

&& ar[ni][nj] == 0 )

boolean ans = check ( ar, ni, nj )

if ( ans == true ) return true;

return false;

TC :  $O(n \times m)$

SC :  $O(n \times m)$

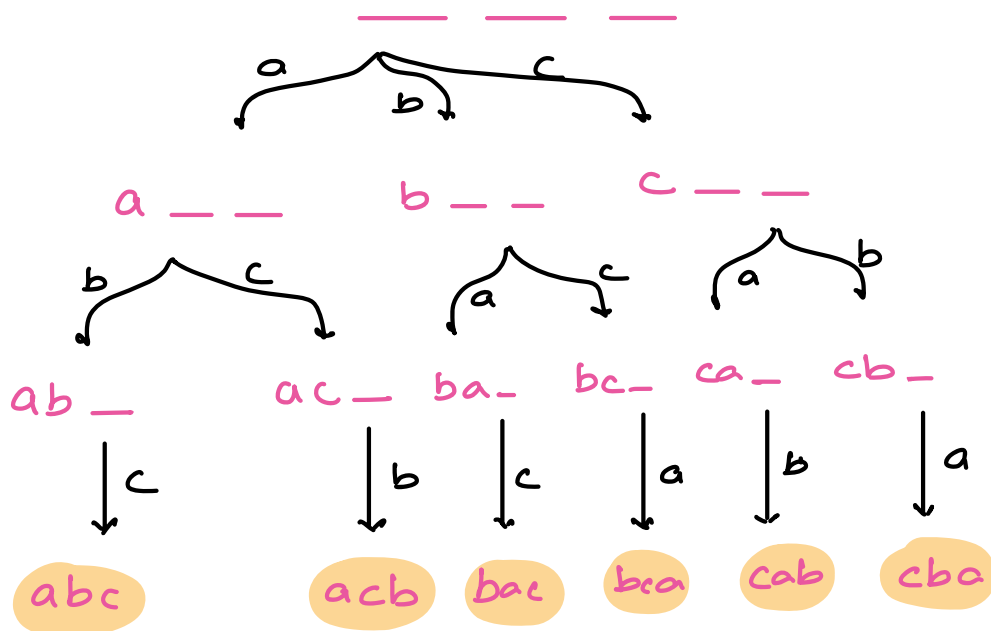
## \* Permutations - 1

Given a character array with distinct elements, Print all permutations of it without modifying it.

$A = \{a, b, c\}$       O/P  $\rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{ccc} abc & bac & cab \\ acb & bca & cba \end{array} \right\}$

$$\underline{3} * \underline{2} * \underline{1} = 3! = 6$$

$$N * (N-1) * (N-2) \dots 1 = N!$$



keep a track  
of visited/  
used char

```
void permutations (arr, idx, ans[N], visited[N])
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```
if (idx == arr.length) { print ans(), return; }
```

```
for (i=0; i<n; i++)
```

```
if (vis[i] == false)
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vis[i] = true;
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ans[idx] = arr[i] ✓
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permutation(arr, idx+1, ans, vis);
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```
vis[i] = false;
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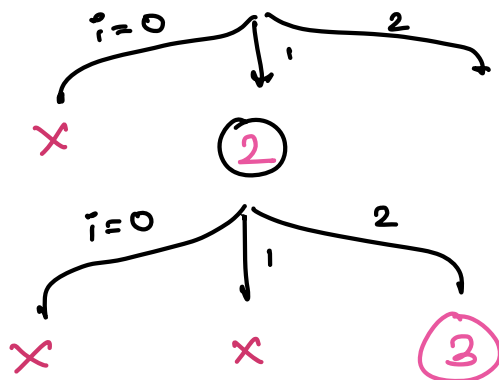
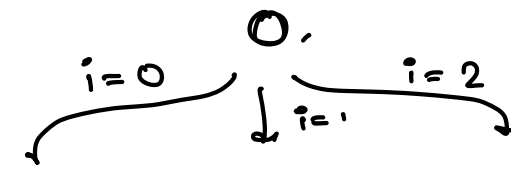
TC =  $O(n! * n)$

SC =  $O(n)$

arr = {a, b, c}

ans = {a, b, c}

vis = {T T T}



abc

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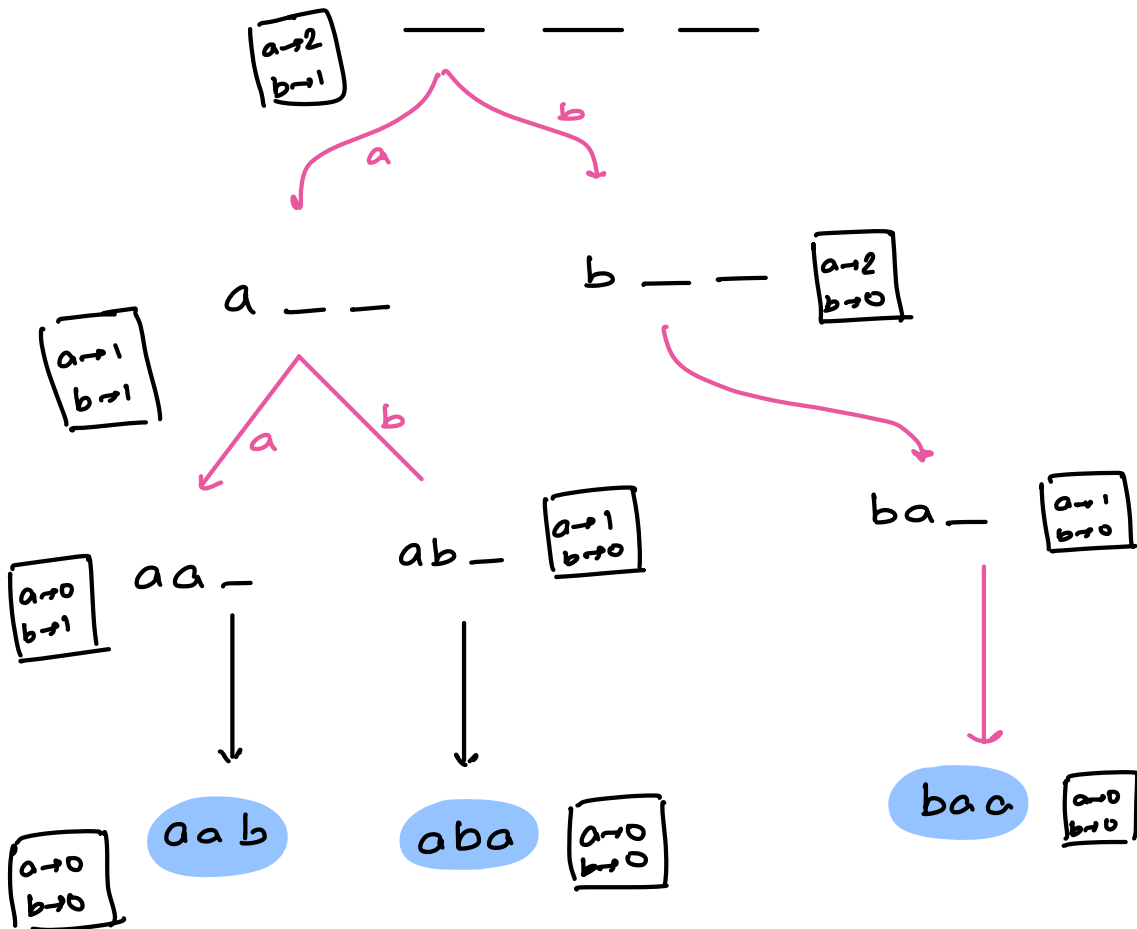


## Permutations 2

Print all permutations of given char array

str: [a, b, a]  $\rightarrow$  O/p {aba, aab, baa}

$$\text{MISSISSIPPI} \Rightarrow \frac{N!}{f(0)! f(1)! f(2)! \dots f(z)!}$$



```

void permute (farr[26], N, ans[N], idx)
{
    if (idx == N) { print(ans), return; }

    for (i = 0; i < 26; i++)
    {
        if (freq[i] > 0)
        {
            freq[i] -= 1;

            ans[idx] = (char)(i + 'a');

            permute (farr, N, ans, idx + 1);

            freq[i] += 1;
        }
    }
}

```

$$TC = O(N!)$$

$$SC = O(N)$$

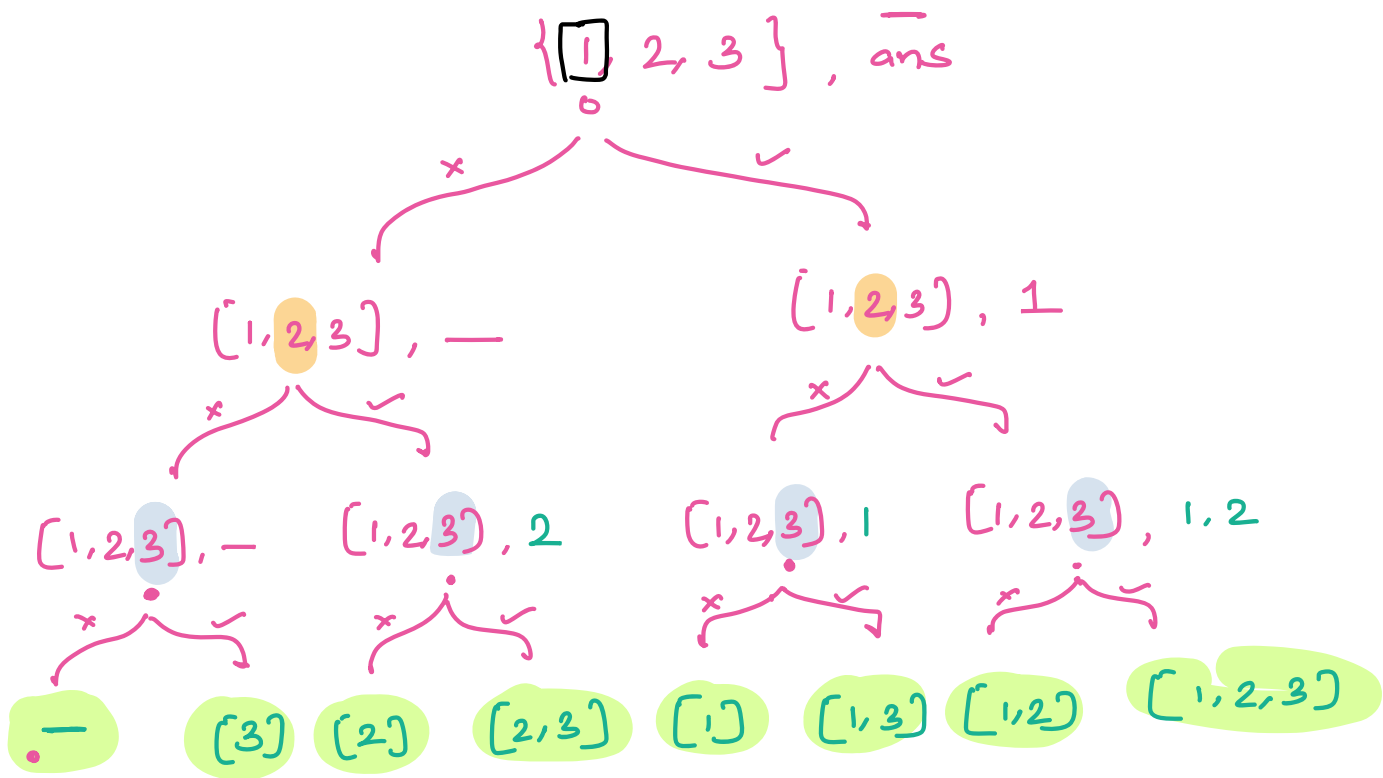
## \* Subsets

Given an array with distinct integers. Print all subsets using recursion

arr[] = {1, 2, 3}

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} [], [1], [2], [3], \\ [1, 2], [2, 3], [1, 2, 3] \\ [1, 3] \end{array} \right\}$

# subsets =  $2^n$



```
subsets (arr [], idx, AL <I> ans)
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if (idx == arr.length) { print(ans) return; }
```

```
subsets (arr, idx+1, ans); // Not Include
```

```
ans.insert (arr[idx]);
```

```
subsets (arr, idx+1, ans);
```

```
ans.remove (ans.size()-1);
```

```
} // Include
```

$$Tc = O(2^n) * n$$

$$Sc = O(n)$$