

DSA



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Lecture TC-1

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```
def isPrime(num):
```

```
    n = int(num)
```

```
    count = 0
```

```
    for i in range(1,  $\sqrt{n} + 1$ )
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```
        if n % i == 0:
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            count += 2
```

```
    if count == 2
```

```
        return True
```

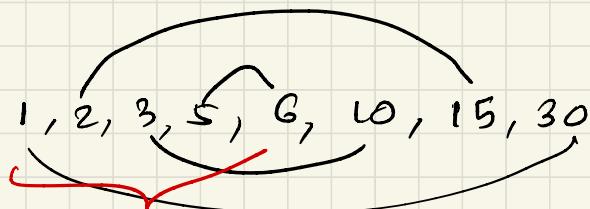
```
    else:
```

```
        return False
```



0

num = 30



$\sqrt{n} + 1$

$5 \times + 1$

range(1, 6+1)

count += 2

Lecture TC-2

Big O notations

$$\log N < \sqrt{N} < N < N \log N < N\sqrt{N} < N^2 < N^3$$

$$< 2^N < 3^N < N!$$

A.P. & G.P.

$$T_n = a + (n-1)d$$

$$T_k = ar^{k-1}$$

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2} [2a + (n-1)d]$$

$$S_k = \frac{a(r^k - 1)}{r-1}$$

Lecture 3 : Introduction to Arrays

(2)

Given n elements in a list. count no. of elements which have at least 1 element greater than itself present in the list

[2, 5, 1, 4, 8, 0, 8, 1, 3, 8]

$$\rightarrow 8 - 3 = 5$$

Brute Force Approach :

```
cnt = 0
for i in range(len(l)):
    for j in range(len(l)):
        if l[j] > l[i]
            cnt += 0
        break
```

return cnt

$O(N^2)$

Optimized Algorithm

1. find largest value & no. of times it occurs
cnt
2. Return $n - \text{cnt}$

$\text{max} = l[0]$

for i in range($\text{len}(l)$):

if $l[i] > \text{max}$:
 $\text{max} = l[i]$

$\text{cnt} = 0$

for i in range(0, $\text{len}(l)$):

if $l[i] == \text{max}$:
 $\text{cnt} += 1$

return $n - \text{cnt}$

$O(N)$

③ Given N array elements, check if there exists a pair (i, j) s.t. $\text{arr}[i] + \text{arr}[j] = k$

arr : $[3, -2, 1, 5, 6]$

$(0, 0) \quad (0, 1) \quad (0, 2) \quad (0, 3) \quad (0, 4)$
 $(1, 1) \quad (2, 2) \quad (3, 3) \quad (4, 4)$

for i in range($0, \text{len}(l)-1$):
 for j in range($i+1, \text{len}(l)-1$):

 if $\text{arr}[i] + \text{arr}[j] == k$:

 return True

return False

for $i = 0$
 $i = 1$

$j = 1, N$
 $j = 2, N$

$O(N^2)$

iterations = $\frac{n(n-1)}{2}$

④ Given a list, reverse the list

Brute force

```
| def reverse-list(l) :  
|     return l[::-1]
```

$O(N)$

$S(N)$

Optimized Algorithm

```
n = len(l)           swapping  
for i in range(0, n//2):  
    l[i], l[n-1-i] = l[n-1-i], l[i]
```

$O(N)$ $S(1)$

⑤ Given the list, rotate the list (right rotation)

$$A = [1, 2, 3, 4] \rightarrow [1, 2, 3] \rightarrow [3, 4, 1, 2]$$

$$B = 2$$

$$B = B \% n$$

$$\text{part 1} = A[: (n - B)]$$

$$\text{part 2} = A[-B :]$$

for x in part1:
part2.append(x)

Lecture 4: Prefix sum

- ⑥ Given an array of N elements, find sum of all elements from index " s " to " e "

Brute Force

$$\text{sum} = 0$$

for i in range ($s, e+1$):
 $\quad \text{sum} += A[i]$

return sum

TC: $O(N)$

SC: $O(1)$

But if there are multiple pairs of (s, e)

TC: $O(N * Q)$ SC: $O(1)$

Prefix sum: sum of all elements starting from s to e

$$ps = [0]^* N$$

$$ps[0] = A[0]$$

for i in range(1, n):

$$ps[i] = ps[i-1] + A[i]$$

sum from index 4 to 8

$$ps[8] - ps[3]$$

sum from index 0 to 6

$$ps[6]$$

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find the equilibrium index of an array

→ sum on left = sum on right

```
for i in range(1, n):  
    if ps[i-1] == ps[n-1] - ps[i]:  
        return True  
    return False
```

[1	2	3	10	3	2	1]
0	1	2	3	4	5	6		

$$ps[2] = ps[6] - ps[3]$$

(8) find the count of special indices in an array
if that element is removed,

sum of even indexes = sum of odd - a

$$N = \text{len}(A)$$

$$\text{even-PS} = [0 \text{ for } i \text{ in range}(N)]$$

$$\text{odd-PS} = [0 \text{ for } i \text{ in range}(N)]$$

$$\text{even-PS}[0] = A[0]$$

$$\text{odd-PS}[0] = 0$$

for i in range(1, N):

if $i \% 2 == 0$:

$$\text{even-PS}[i] = \text{even-PS}[i-1] + A[i]$$

$$\text{odd-PS}[i] = \text{odd-PS}[i-1]$$

else

$$\text{odd-PS}[i] = \text{odd-PS}[i-1] + A[i]$$

$$\text{even-PS}[i] = \text{even-PS}[i-1]$$

$$\text{count} = 0$$

for i in range(N):

if $i == 0$:

$$\text{even-sum} = \text{odd-PS}[N-1]$$

$$\text{odd-sum} = \text{even-PS}[N-1] - \text{even-PS}[0]$$

else:

$$\text{even-sum} = \text{even-PS}[i-1] + \text{odd-PS}[N-1] - \text{odd-PS}[i]$$

$$\text{odd-sum} = \text{odd-PS}[i-1] + \text{even-PS}[N-1] - \text{even-PS}[i]$$

if even-sum == odd-sum:

$$\text{count} += 1$$

return count

⑨ Pick from both sides!

Given an array of A of N elements, select B elements ; some from left / right to get all maximum sum

"get prefix sum array"

if $B == N$
return $ps[N-1]$

$$\text{max-sum-possible} = ps[N-1] - ps[N-B-1]$$

for i in range(B):

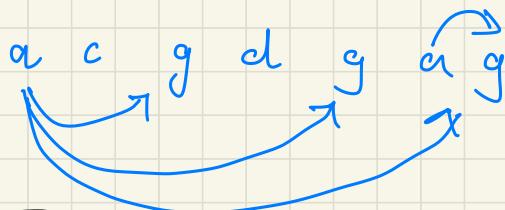
$$\text{prospect} = ps[i] + ps[N-1] - ps[N-B+i]$$

if prospect \geq max-sum-possible :

$$\text{max-sum-possible} = \text{prospect}$$

return max-sum-possible

Lecture 5 : Carry forward



find (a, g)
pairs s.t. $i < j$

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→ 4 pairs

Brute force

```
cnt = 0  
for i in range(len(l)):  
    for j in range(i+1, len(l)):  
        if l[i] == 'a' and l[j] == 'g':  
            cnt += 1  
  
return cnt
```

TC: $O(N^2)$

SC: $O(1)$

Optimized

```
ans = 0, count = 0  
for i in range(len(l)-1, -1, -1):  
    if l[i] == 'g':  
        count += 1  
    if l[i] == 'a':  
        ans += count  
  
return ans
```

carries forward the num of "g"'s
adds to the count for subsequent "a"'s

TC: $O(N)$

SC: $O(1)$

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Given an array of N elements, count the no. of leaders in array if its strictly greater than all the element on its right

15 -1 7 2 5 4 2 3
⇒ 5

cnt = 1
max = A[-1]

for i in range(len(A) - 2, -1, -1):

if A[i] > max:
cnt += 1
max = A[i]

return cnt

(12) find the closest minmax

length of smallest subarray which has at least one occurrence of min & max element

$$\text{ans} = \text{len}(A)$$

$$\text{min-index} = -1$$

$$\text{min-value} = \min(A)$$

$$\text{max-value} = \max(A)$$

for i in range($\text{len}(A) - 1, -1, -1$):

if $A[i] == \text{max-value}$ and $\text{min-index} == -1$:

$$\text{ans} = \min(\text{ans}, \text{min-index} - i + 1)$$

if $A[i] == \text{min-value}$

$$\text{min-index} = i$$

$$\text{max-index} = -1$$

for i in range($\text{len}(A) - 1, -1, -1$):

if $A[i] == \text{min-value}$ and $\text{max-index} == -1$:

$$\text{ans} = \min(\text{ans}, \text{max-index} - i + 1)$$

if $A[i] == \text{max-value}$:

$$\text{max-index} = i$$

return ans

(13) Given N bulbs in an initial state, find minimum number of switches needed to turn ON all bulbs

a switch also changes state of all bulbs on the right $[0\ 1\ 0\ 1] \xrightarrow{\uparrow} [1\ 0\ 1\ 0] \xrightarrow{\uparrow} [1\ 1\ 0\ 1]$

```
start_idx = None  
for i in range(len(A)):  
    if A[i] == 0:  
        start_idx = i  
        break
```

```
if start_idx == None:  
    return 0
```

min_swatches = len(A) - start_idx

```
for i in range(start_idx, len(A) - 1):  
    if A[i] == A[i + 1]:  
        min_swatches -= 1
```

return min_swatches

(14) Given an integer element A.

Decide whether its possible to divide the array into one or more subarrays of even length st. the first and last element of all subarrays is even

$$[2, 4, 8, 6] \Rightarrow [2, 4], [8, 6]$$

$$[2, 4, 8, 7, 6] \Rightarrow \times$$

$n = \text{len}(A)$

if $n \% 2 == 1$:
return False

elif $A[0] \% 2 == 1$ or $A[n-1] \% 2 == 1$:
return False

else:
return True

Lecture 6 : Subarrays

How many subarrays are there?

$$\frac{N^2(N+1)}{2}$$

- ⑯ Find sum of every subarray

Brute force

$$n = \text{len}(A)$$

for i in range(n):

 for j in range(i, n):

$$\text{sum} = 0$$

 for k in range(i, j+1):

$$\ \text{sum} += A[k]$$

 print(sum)

using prefix sum

$$ps = [0]^* n$$
$$ps[0] = A[0]$$

for i in range(1, n):

$$ps[i] = ps[i-1] + A[i]$$

for i in range(n)

for j in range(i , n):

if $ps[j] == 0$:
print(ps[j]):

else:

print(ps[j] - ps[i-1])

(16) Find the sum of all subarrays

Brute Force

$n = \text{len}(A)$

$\text{res} = 0$

for i in range(n):

 for j in range(i, n):

 sum = 0

 for k in range($i, j+1$):

 sum += $A[k]$

 print(sum) \leftarrow sum of a subarray

 res += sum

 print(res) \leftarrow sum of all subarrays

$[a_0, a_1, a_2, a_3]$

$\Rightarrow [a_0]$

$[a_0, a_1]$

$[a_0, a_1, a_2]$

$[a_0, a_1, a_2, a_3]$

$4^* a_0 + 6^* a_1 + 6^* a_2 + 4^* a_3$
(1)(4)

$[a_1]$

$[a_1, a_2]$

$[a_1, a_2, a_3]$

(2)(3)

$[a_2]$

$[a_2, a_3]$

(3)(2)

$[a_3]$

(4)(1)

Optimized

```
n = len(A)
```

```
ans = 0
```

```
for i in range(n):
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```
    ans += (i+1) * (n-i) * A[i]
```

```
return ans
```

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Find the contiguous non-empty subarray within an array A of length N, with the largest sum

$$[1, 2, 3, 4, -10] \Rightarrow 10$$

$n = \text{len}(A)$

$\text{max_sum} = \min(A)$

$\text{sum} = 0$

for i in $\text{range}(n)$:

$\text{sum} += A[i]$

$\text{max_sum} = \max(\text{max_sum}, \text{sum})$

if $\text{sum} < 0$:

$\text{sum} = 0$

return max_sum

(18) Given a subarray of size N , find the subarray of size K with the least average
return the first index of the subarray

$$n = \text{len}(A)$$

$$\begin{aligned} ps &= [v]^* n \\ ps[v] &= A[0] \end{aligned}$$

$$\min\text{-sum} = \min(A), \text{temp-sum} = 0$$

$$\text{ans} = 0$$

for i in range(l, u):

$$ps[i] = ps[i-1] + A[i]$$

for j in range($0, n-k+1$):

if $j == 0$:

$$\text{temp-sum} = ps[k-i]$$

else:

$$\text{temp-sum} = ps[j+k-1] - ps[j-1]$$

if $\text{temp-sum} < \min\text{-sum}$:

$$\begin{aligned} \min\text{-sum} &= \text{temp-sum} \\ \text{ans} &= j \end{aligned}$$

return ans

Kadane Algorithm

(19)

Find the maximum sum of contiguous array

A where sum < B

n = len(A)

if B > min(A) :

max = min(C)

for i in range(n) :

sum = 0

for j in range(i, n) :

sum += A[j]

if (sum <= B) and (sum > max) :

max = sum

return max

else :

return 0

(20) Given an array A of N elements, containing only 0's and 1's. Return all the indices which can act as center of alternating subarrays of length $2^* B + 1$

$$A = [\underline{1}, \underline{0}, \underline{1}, \underline{0}, 1]$$

$$B = 1$$

$$\text{length} = 2^* 1 + 1 = 3$$

\Rightarrow indexes [1, 2, 3]

$n = \text{len}(A)$

if $B \leq 0$:

return list(range(0, n))

subarray-len = $2^B + 1$

if subarray-len % 2 == 0 :

return []

ans = []

prev = A[0]

start = 0

for i in range(1, n) :

if start > n - subarray-len :
break

if $A[i] == \text{prev}$:
start = i

if $(i - start + 1 == \text{subarray-len})$:

ans.append(start + (subarray-len // 2))

start += 1

prev = A[i]

return ans

Lecture 7 : 2D Arrays

② Given $N \times N$ matrix, return an array of its anti-diagonals

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 4 & 0 \\ 3 & 5 & 7 \\ 6 & 8 & 0 \\ 9 & 0 & 0 \end{array}$$

Explanation on Pg. 31 →

Code on Pg. 32 →

1	2	3
4	5	6
7	8	9

$$j = 0 + 2$$

$$i = 0 \quad j = 0 \quad Bj = 0$$

1	2	3
4	5	6
7	8	9

while ($j \geq 0$):

$B[0].append(1)$

$i \rightarrow 1$

$j = -1 \quad \times$

$Bj \rightarrow 1$

$j = 1 \quad i = 0 \quad Bj = 1$

$B[1].append(B[0, 1])$

$i \rightarrow 1 \quad j = 0$

$B[1].append(4)$

$j = 2 \quad i = 0 \quad Bj = 2$

$B[2].append(3)$

(5)

(7)

$i = 1, 2$

$j = 2 \quad i = 1 \quad Bj = 3$

while ($i < 3$):

$B[3].append(8)$

$i \rightarrow 2 \quad (8)$

$j = 1$

$Bj = 4$

$i = 2$

$j = 2 \quad i = 2 \quad Bj = 4$

$B[4].append(9)$

```
# @return a list of list of integers
def diagonal(self, A):
    sizeOfMatrix = len(A)
    B = [[] for _ in range(2* sizeOfMatrix -1)]
    # print(B)
    Bj =0
    for j in range(sizeOfMatrix): (Upper Triangle)
        i = 0
        while(j >= 0 ):
            # print(i,j)
            B[Bj].append(A[i][j])
            i+=1
            j-=1
        Bj+=1
    # print(B) (Lower Triangle)
    for i in range(1,sizeOfMatrix):
        j = sizeOfMatrix-1
        while(i < sizeOfMatrix ):
            # print(i,j)
            B[Bj].append(A[i][j])
            i+=1
            j-=1
        Bj+=1
    for Bi in range(2 *sizeOfMatrix -1):
        while (len(B[Bi])< sizeOfMatrix):
            B[Bi].append(0)
    # print(B)
    return B
```

Lecture 8 : Interview Problems

(22)

Given matrix, print boundary in clockwise direction

$i = 0, j = 0$

while $N \geq 1$:

for k in range ($0, N-1$):

 print ($A[i][j]$)

$j += 1$

1	14	15	19
8	9	10	20
7	12	11	21
6	24	23	22

$N \leq 4$

for k in range ($0, N-1$):

 print ($A[i][j]$)

$i += 1$

for k in range ($0, N-1$):

 print ($A[i][j]$)

$j -= 1$

for k in range ($0, N-1$):

 print ($A[i][j]$)

$i -= 1$

$i += 1, j += 1$

$N = N - 2$

if $N \% 2 == 1$

 print $A[N//2][N//2]$

(23) Make maximum no. of consecutive 1's

by swapping a 0 with 1

0 1 0 0 0 1 1 ↗ 1
1 1 1 0

$n = \text{len}(A)$

$\text{left} = [0]^* n$

$\text{right} = [0]^* n$

$\text{ans} = 0$

count 1's

for i in range(n):
if $A[i] == "1"$:
 count 1 += 1

if count 1 == n :
 return n

count 1's on left

if $A[0] == "0"$:

 left[0] = 0

else:

 left[0] = 1

for i in range(1, n):

if $A[i] == "0"$:

 left[i] = 0

else:

 left[i] = left[i-1] + 1

count l's on the right

right[n-1] = int(A[n-1])

for j in range(n-2, -1, -1)

if A[j] == "D":

right[j] = 0

else:

right[j] = right[j+1] + 1

L = 0

R = 0

for k in range(n):

if A[k] == "D":

if k == 0:

L = 0

else:

L = left[k-1]

if k == n-1:

R = 0

else:

R = right[k+1]

total = L + R + 1

if total > countl: # no l's to swap

total = countl

ans = max(ans, total)

total = 0

return ans

(24) Given an integer A. Generate a square matrix 1 to A^2 elements

$$A = 4 \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 12 & 13 & 14 & 5 \\ 11 & 16 & 15 & 6 \\ 10 & 9 & 8 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

Same logic as (22)

(25)

Return maximum size subarray of A w/
all non-negative elements. If there are multiple
subarrays, choose the one with lowest starting
index.

$N = \text{len}(A)$

maximum = 0

start-index = 0

count = 0

[5, 6, -1, 7, 8]

0 1 2 3 4

for k in range(N):

if $A[k] > 0$:

if count == 0:

$i = k$ # starting pt. of the subarray

count += 1

if $A[k] < 0$ or ($k = N-1$):

if count > maximum:

start-index = i # start pt. of answer

maximum = count # len of answer

count = 0

return $A[\text{start-index} : \text{start-index} + \text{maximum}]$

lecture 9 : Bit Manipulations - 1

Converting any system to decimal

① $(100110)_2$

$$= 1 \cdot 2^5 + 0 \cdot 2^4 + 0 \cdot 2^3 + 1 \cdot 2^2 + 1 \cdot 2^1 + 0 \cdot 2^0$$

$$= (37)_{10}$$

② $(13)_8 = 8^1 \times 1 + 8^0 \times 3$

$$= (11)_{10}$$

Converting from decimal to binary

① $(1037)_{10} = (10000001101)_2$

\nwarrow $2048 + 8 + 1$

OR

$$\begin{array}{r} 1037 \\ 568 \\ 184 \\ \vdots \end{array}$$

dividing by 2

end reverse the remainders

\wedge - XOR

$\&$ - AND

$|$ - OR

$$a \wedge a = 0$$

$$a \wedge 0 = a$$

$$a \wedge 1 \rightarrow \begin{cases} a & \text{odd} \\ a+1 & \text{even} \end{cases}$$

$$a \mid \rightarrow \begin{cases} a \\ a+1 \end{cases}$$

$$a \& 1 \rightarrow \begin{cases} 0 \\ 1 \end{cases}$$

$$(11)_{10} = (1011)_2$$

$$(22)_{10} = (10110)_2$$

$$(44)_{10} = (101100)_2$$

$$\underbrace{11 << 1} == 11 * 2$$

left shift operator

$$\underbrace{11 >> 1} \text{ right shift operator} == 11 // 2$$

Check if 6th bit is ON/OFF

$$\begin{cases} x \& (1 << (k-1)) \\ x >> (k-1) \& 1 \end{cases}$$

$$k=6$$

26 Count the number of bits which are ON

Brute Force

```
int = 0  
while  $x \neq 0$  :  
    if  $x \& 1$  :  
        cnt += 1  
     $x = x \gg 1$   
return cnt
```

$O(\log N)$

Trick

```
int = 0  
while  $x \neq 0$  :  
     $x = x \& (x - 1)$   
    cnt += 1  
return cnt
```

(27) Given an array, find integer that occurs only once. (All others appear twice)

$n = \text{len}(A)$

$\text{res} = A[0]$

for i in range(1, n):

$\text{res} = \text{res} \wedge A[i]$

return res

$$a \wedge a = 0$$

Lecture 10 : Bit Manipulation -2

Represent -3 in binary

+3 : 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1

$$\begin{array}{r} \text{2's complement} & 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 \\ + & \hline & 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 \end{array} \Rightarrow -3$$

(28)

Help from Sam.

If Alex solves a question \rightarrow score doubles
takes help \rightarrow score + 1

Initial score : 0

Target: 5

Ans. (2) help
taken

help	1
solves	2
solved	4
help	5

if $A == 0$:
return 0

cnt = 0

while A :
cnt += 1

$A = A \& (A-1)$

return cnt

In hindsight of the story, this problem basically is checking the ON bits

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Given an array of integers A. Two integers appear only once & all others twice.

Find them.

$$[1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 1 \ 2 \ 4] \Rightarrow [3, 4]$$

$$\text{xor} = 0$$

$$\text{answer} = [0, 0]$$

for i in range (n):

$$\text{xor} \wedge= A[i]$$

$$\text{xor} == 7 \quad [0111]$$

$$\text{msb} = 0$$

while xor :

$$\text{xor} = \text{xor} \& (\text{xor}-1)$$

$$\text{msb} += 1$$

finding most significant bit

$$\text{set 1} = []$$

even no. set

$$\text{set 2} = []$$

odd no. set

for e in A :

if $e >> (\text{msb}-1) \& 1$:

 set 1.append(e)

else:

 set 2.append(e)

for x in set 1:

$$\text{ans}[0] \wedge= x$$

for y in set 2:

$$\text{ans}[1] \wedge= y$$

return sorted(ans)

80 Maximum Satisfaction

Given an array A on N integers. $A[i]$ represents quality of the i^{th} fruit. Pick four fruits s.t. satisfaction value will maximum.

$a \& b \& c \& d$
↑
bitwise AND

Find maximum satisfaction value.

This means we have to check which MSB is ON using the integer's 32 bit binary rep"

ans = 0

for i in range(32, -1, -1):
temp = ans | ($1 << i$)

if check(temp, A) == 1:

 ans = temp

return ans

def check(x, A):
 cnt = 0

for a in A:
 if (a & x) == x:
 cnt += 1

 if cnt == 4
 return 1

return 0

(31) Excel column number

$$\text{"AB"} \Rightarrow 28 \quad ((1)(26^1) + (2)(26^0))$$

$$\text{"YZ"} \Rightarrow 25(26) + (26)(1)$$

$$N = \text{len}(A)$$

$$\text{ans} = 0$$

for i in range(N-1, -1, -1):

$$\text{ans} += (\text{ord}(A[i]) - 64)^* (26^{**}(N-1-i))$$

return ans

Lecture 11 - Modular Arithmetic

① Linearity in modular addition

$$(a+b) \% M = \left[(a \% M) + (b \% M) \right] \% M$$

② Linearity in modular multiplication

$$(a^* b) \% M = \left[(a \% M)^* (b \% M) \right] \% M$$

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Power function using Recursion

```
def power(a, b) :  
    if b == 1 :  
        return a  
    x = power(a, b//2)  
    if b % 2 == 0 :  
        return x*x  
    else :  
        return x*x*a
```

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Leap Year or not!

```
if A % 400 == 0 and A % 100 == 0:  
    return 1  
  
elif A % 100 != 0 and A % 4 == 0:  
    return 1  
  
else:  
    return 0
```

(34)

Find LCM

$$(2, 3) \Rightarrow 6$$

$$(9, 6) \Rightarrow 18$$

$$gNum = \max(A, B)$$

$$lcm = gNum$$

while True :

if $A \% gNum == 0$ and $B \% gNum == 0$:

$$lcm = gNum$$

break

$$gNum += 1$$

return lcm

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Find GCD

$$(24, 32) \Rightarrow 8$$

Pseudo code :

lNum = min(24, 32)

gcd = lNum

while gcd >= 1 :

if A % lNum == 0 and B % lNum == 0 :

gcd = lNum

break

lNum -= 1

return gcd

Lecture 12: Sorting

l. sort(l)

$O(N \log N)$

l-new = sorted(l)

Types of sort :

- ① Selection sort
- ② Bubble sort
- ③ Insertion sort
- ④ Merge sort
- ⑤ Quick sort
- ⑥ Heap sort
- ⑦ Counting sort
- ⑧ Radix sort
- ⑨ Bucket sort

(3B) Given an array, remove every element from array one by one ; cost to remove is the sum of all elements in it. Find minimum cost to remove all elements.

A.sort(reverse=True)

ans = 0

for i in range(len(A)):

 ans += A[i] * (i+1)

return ans

Q7 Find the minimum difference of an array
min. value is $\min(|A[i] - A[j]|)$

where i, j are distinct.

Brute Force

ans = INF

$O(N^2)$

for i in range(n):

 for j in range($i+1, n$):

 ans = min(ans, abs(A[i] - A[j]))

return ans

$[1, -5, 3, 5, -10, 4]$

$\Rightarrow 1$

$[-10 \quad -5 \quad 1 \quad 3 \quad 4 \quad 5]$
 $\underbrace{-10}_{5} \quad \underbrace{-5}_{6} \quad \underbrace{1}_{2} \quad \underbrace{3}_{1} \quad \underbrace{4}_{1} \quad \underbrace{5}_{1}$

Optimized

$n = \text{len}(A)$

$A.\text{sort}()$

$\text{ans} = \text{INF}$

for i in range($n - 1$):

$\text{ans} = \min(\text{ans}, A[i + 1] - A[i])$

return ans

$O(N \log N)$

(88) Given an array of N distinct elements,
find count of Noble elements

[1 -5 3 5 -10 4]
2 1 3 5 0 4

$\Rightarrow \underline{3}$

- go to every no.
- counts less than no. == no. itself

Optimized

| l.sort()

| cnt = 0

| for i in range(len(l)):

| | if A[i] == i :

| | | cnt += 1

| return cnt

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Noble elements when elements are not distinct.

$$[-10 \quad 1 \quad 1 \quad 3 \quad 100]$$

$$0 \quad 1 \quad 1 \quad 3 \quad 4$$

$l.sort()$
 $check = [0]^n$

for i in range(n):

if $l[i] = l[i-1]$:

$check[i] = check[i-1]$

else

$check[i] = i$

$cnt = 0$

for i in range(n):

if $l[i] == i$:

$cnt += 1$

return cnt

★ Comparators and Key

④D

Sorting the array based on no. of factors

```
def count-factors(x):  
    cnt = 0  
  
    for i in range(1, x+1):  
        if x % i == 0:  
            cnt += 1  
  
    return cnt
```

$$l = [12, 9, 1, 8, 7]$$

l.sort(key=count-factors)

→ [1, 7, 9, 6, 12]
 1 2 3 4 6

```
def cmp(a, b):
```

```
    cnt a = count-factors(a)  
    cnt b = count-factors(b)
```

```
if cnta == cntb:
```

```
    return 0
```

```
if cnta > cntb:
```

```
    return 1
```

↑ means it should be
on the left

```
if cnta < cntb:
```

```
    return -1
```

i/p [1, 7, 6, 9, 12]

```
from functools import cmp_to_key
```

```
l.sort(key=cmp_to_key(cmp))
```

→ [1, 7, 9, 6, 12]

1 will be compared to 7 first

1 < 7 returns -1

so, 1 will be before 7

1 ⇔ 6 1 before 6

& likewise

for all elements to get final sorted list

comparisons can be used for complex comparisons

Another example :

```
def descCmp (a,b) :  
    if a > b :  
        return -1  
    elif a < b :  
        return 1  
    return 0
```

-1 here means
a should be on
the left
(lower case or
greater value on
left)

$l = [1, 2, 9, 12, 6]$

$l.sort(\text{key} = \text{cmp_to_key}(\text{descCmp}))$

→ $[12, 6, 9, 7, 1]$

41 Given an array A of N integers. Arrange them in such a way that they form the largest number

[2, 3, 9, 0]

→ 9320

from functools import cmp_to_key

def compare(a, b):

 if a+b > b+a:
 return -1

 else:
 return 1

A . sort (key = cmp_to_key(compare))

if A[0] == "0":
 return 0

return ":".join(A)

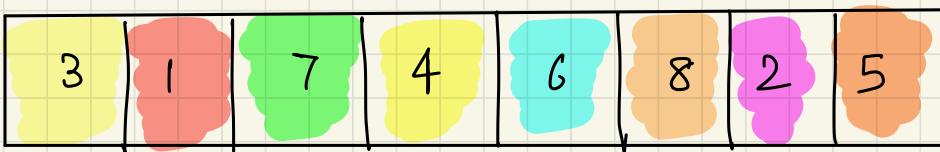
★ Link to the blog :

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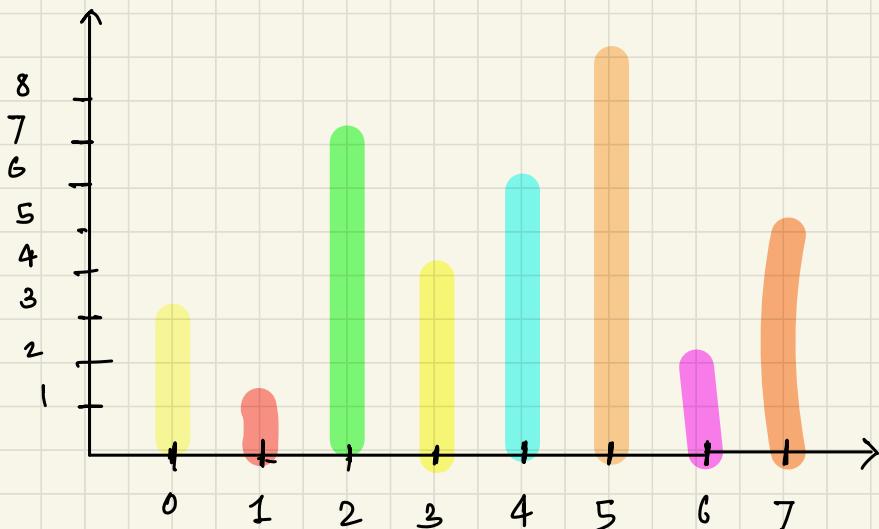
★ Video for visualizing sorting algorithms

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Array Visualization



$N = 8$



def swap(arr, a, b):

temp = arr[a]

arr[a] = arr[b]

arr[b] = temp

swaps elements at
index "a" & "b"

1. Selection Sort

- in-place sorting algorithm, meaning the sorted items use the same storage as original elements

Ex. $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1, 4, -6, 2 \end{bmatrix}$

$i = 0$ to 3 $j = i + 1$ to 3

$i = 0$,

curr-min = 1
min-idm = 0

$j : 1 \quad x$

$j : 2 \quad curr-min > arr[2]$
curr-min = -6
min-idm = 2

$j : 3 \quad x$
swap ($1, -6$) $\Rightarrow [-6, 4, 1, 2]$

$i = 1$

& so on

```
1 def selection_sort(self, unsorted, n):
2
3     # iterate over array
4     for i in range(0, n):
5
6         # initialise with first value
7         current_min = unsorted[i]
8
9         # min_index initialiser
10        min_index = i
11
12        # iterate over remaining unsorted items
13        for j in range(i, n):
14
15            # check if jth value is less than current min
16            if unsorted[j] < current_min:
17
18                # update minimum value and index
19                current_min = unsorted[j]
20                min_index = j
21
22        # swap ith and jth values
23        swap(unsorted, i, min_index)
```

TC : $O(N^2)$

SC : $O(1)$

2. Bubble Sort

- bubble or sinking sort repeatedly passes over the list, comparing adjacent elements.
- Items are swapped depending on sorting condition

Ex. [64, 34, 25]

i = 0 to 1 swapped = False

i = 0 j : 0 to 1

j = 0 64 > 34 → swap → [34, 64, 25]
swapped = True

j = 1 64 > 25 → swap → [34, 25, 64]

i = 1 j : 0 to 0
(n-1-1) (61)

i = 1 j = 0 34 > 25 → swap → [25, 34, 64]

- Larger values are bubbling to the end as program executes.

```

1  def bubble_sort(self, unsorted, n):
2      """ bubble sort algorithm """
3
4      # iterate over unsorted array up until second last element
5      for i in range(0, n - 1):
6
7          # swapped conditions monitors for finalised list
8          swapped = False
9
10         # iterate over remaining unsorted items
11         for j in range(0, n - 1 - i):
12
13             # compare adjacent elements
14             if unsorted[j].value > unsorted[j + 1].value:
15
16                 # swap elements
17                 swap(unsorted, j, j + 1)
18                 swapped = True
19
20         # no swaps have occurred so terminate
21         if not swapped:
22             break

```

TC:

Best case: when array is sorted

"n-1" comparisons

$O(N)$

Worst case: sorting a descending array

$\frac{n * (n-1)}{2}$ comparisons $O(N^2)$

Average rate: $O(N^2)$

SC: O(1)

3. Insertion sort

- builds the final array one item at a time.
- each object encountered on the outer loop is put between current closest minimum and maximum elements.

Ex. $[9, 6, 7, 2, 5, 8]$
0 1 2 3 4 5

$i = 0 \quad x$

$i = 1 \quad val = 6$

hole = 1

$arr[0] > val \rightarrow arr[1] = 9$

hole = 0

$arr[0] = 6$

$[6 9 7 2 5 8]$

$i = 2 \quad val = 7$

hole = 2

$arr[1] > 7 \rightarrow arr[2] = 9$

holes = 1

$arr[0] > 7 \times$

$arr[1] = 7$

$[6 7 9 2 5 8]$

& so on

```
1 def insertion_sort(unsorted, n):
2     """ insertion sort algorithm """
3
4     # iterate over unsorted array
5     for i in range(1, n):
6
7         # get element value
8         val = unsorted[i].value
9
10        # insertion "hole" is at index i
11        hole = i
12
13        # loop backwards until a value greater than current value is found
14        while hole > 0 and unsorted[hole - 1].value > val:
15
16            # swap elements towards correct position
17            unsorted[hole].value = unsorted[hole - 1].value
18
19            # move backwards
20            hole -= 1
21
22        # insert value into correct position
23        unsorted[hole].value = val
```

TC : $O(N^2)$

SC : $O(1)$

Lecture 13: Strings

ASCII

'A' - 65

'a' - 97

'0' - 48

'B' - 66

'b' - 98

'q' - 57

:

'Z' - 90

'z' - 122

'A' → 65 → (010000001)₂

'a' → 97 → (01100001)₂

flip from lower to upper &
vice-versa by add/subtract

ord ('a') = 97

$$\underline{\underline{2^5 = 32}}$$

chr (97) = 'a'

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Given a string flip the case of chars.

def flip(A):

l = list(A)

for ix in range(len(l)):

l[ix] = chr(ord(l[ix]) ^ 32)

return ''.join(l)

Follow-up

If any character is in uppercase, convert it to lowercase

l = list(A)

ans = ""

for c in l:

if c > 'A' or c < 'Z':

c = chr(ord(c) ^ 32)

ans += c

else:

ans += c

return ans

43 Given the string in lowercase, sort it.

Brute Force

str → list

list.sort()

"".join(list)

[a g d c a b]

⇒ [a a b c d g]

O(N log N)

Trick

freq = [0]*26

ans = ""

for x in A:

 freq[ord(x) - ord('a')] += 1

a b c d e f g h
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

freq [2 1 1 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 ...]

for i in range(26):

 for j in range(freq[i]):

 ans += chr(97+i)

return ans

TC:

const. time

→ [a a b c d g]

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Given a substring, reverse it

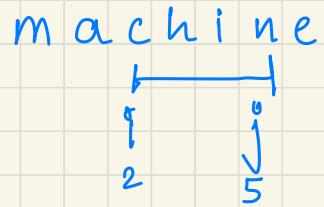
① convert to list

② while $i < j$:

$$l[i], l[j] = l[j], l[i]$$

$$\begin{array}{l} i+1 \\ j-1 \end{array}$$

③ return " ".join(list)



(45)

Reverse the words in a sentence

"I am a slave"

① sentence.split()

② Reverse the list

③ join()

OR

$l = s.split()$

$i=0 \quad j=len(l)$

while $i < j$:

$l[i], l[j] = l[j], l[i]$

$i += 1$

$j -= 1$

return "" .join(l)

46 Given 2 strings, find the length of longest common prefix string

"professor"

"project"

⇒ 3

ans = 0

for i in range (min(len(a), len(b))):

if a[i] == b[i]

ans += 1

else :

break

return ans

(4T) Find longest common prefix string
in N strings

ans = 0
 $n = \text{len}(l)$

$\min\text{-word_len} = \text{len}(l[0])$

for word in l :

if $\text{len}(\text{word}) < \min\text{-word_len}$:

$\min\text{-word_len} = \text{len}(\text{word})$

[professor
project
pronunciation
pronouns]

for i in range($\min\text{-word_len}$) :

for j in range($n-1$) :

if $l[j][i] == l[j+1][i]$:

ans += 1

else :

break

return ans

Alternative solutn :

```
def longestCommonPrefix(self, A):
    size = len(A)

    # if size is 0, return empty string
    if (size == 0):
        return ""

    if (size == 1):
        return A[0]

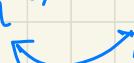
    # sort the array of strings
    A.sort()

    # find the minimum length from
    # first and last string
    end = min(len(A[0]), len(A[size - 1]))

    # find the common prefix between
    # the first and last string
    i = 0
    while (i < end and A[0][i] == A[size - 1][i]):
        i += 1

    pre = A[0][0: i]
    return pre
```

(48) Check if a string is palindrome

"nayan"  "nayan!"

Brute Force

```
if l == l[::-1]:  
    return 1  
return 0
```

$O(N)$

Optimized

```
i = 0 , j = n-1  
while i < j:  
    if a[i] != a[j]  
        return False  
    i += 1  
    j -= 1  
return True
```

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Find the longest palindrome substring

a **a b c c b a d**

def helper(l, r) :

 ↗ while ($l \geq 0$ and $r < \text{len}(A)$) and
 $(A[l] == A[r]):$

$$\begin{aligned} l - &= 1 \\ r + &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

 return ($A[l+1 : r]$)

res = ""

for i in range(len(A)):

 odd-sub = helper(i, i)

 even-sub = helper(i, i+1)

 if len(odd-sub) > res:

 res = odd-sub

 if len(even-sub) > res:

 res = even-sub

return res

check
if the
substring
is a
palindrome

abba

$$l = 0 \text{ to } 3$$

$$\underline{\underline{l=0}}$$

helper(0, 0) \rightarrow a

res = "a"

helper(0, 1) \rightarrow a

res = "a"

$$\underline{\underline{l=1}}$$

helper(1, 1) \rightarrow b

res = "b"

helper(1, 2) \Rightarrow l=0 r=3 l=-1 r≤4

res = "bb"

x

[0: 4]

$$l=2$$

helper(2, 2) \rightarrow "b"

helper

(5D) Given a string, find no. of vowel substrings

"ABEC" \Rightarrow

"A"

"AB"

"ABE"

"ABEC"

"E"

"EC"

cnt = 6

vowels = []

cnt = 0

for i in range(len(A)):

if A[i] in vowels:

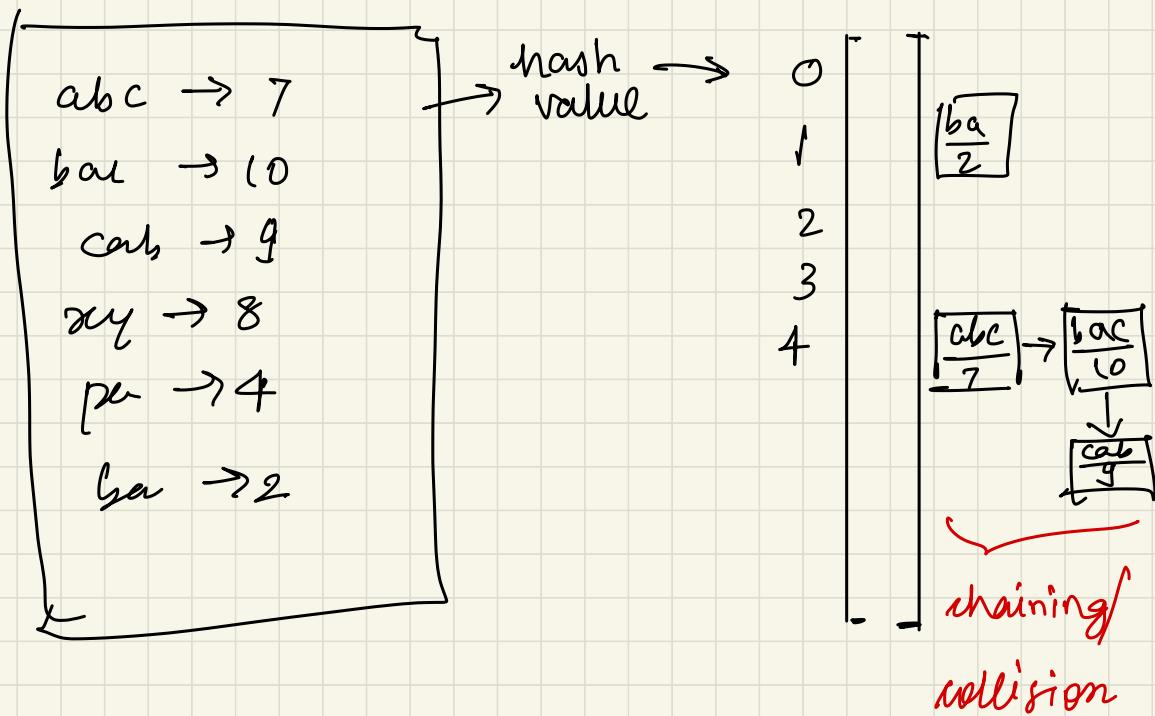
cnt += len(A) - i

return count 2,10003

Lecture 14 : Hashing - I

Hash maps : maps any keys to values

- space-efficient solution to store K-V pair
- fast access of data
- check if a key is present
- Insert K-V pairs
- Update K-V pairs



Hash maps should be able to

- map the values
- indexable based on keys
- get in $O(1)$ time

51 Given an array, you have Q queries.
Return count of elements in array for each query

$[1 \ 1 \ 10^9 \ 0 \ 10^9 \ 0]$

$Q = [1 \ 0 \ 10^9]$ $] \text{int size}$

$\Theta(N * Q)$

Brute Force

```
freq = {}  
for val in arr:  
    if val in freq:  
        freq[val] += 1  
    else:  
        freq[val] = 1
```

Using dictionary

```
for query in Q:  
    if query in freq:  
        return freq[query]  
    else:  
        return 0
```

(S2) Given an array, check if there exists a subarray with sum = 0

Brute Force

```
n = len(arr)
```

```
for i in range(n):
```

```
    for j in range(i, n):
```

```
        sum = 0
```

```
        for k in range(i, j+1):
```

```
            sum += arr[k]
```

```
        if sum == 0:
```

```
            return True
```

```
return False
```

$O(N^3)$

Using Prefix sum

```
n = len(arr) ← calculate prefix sum
for i in range(n):
    for j in range(i, n):
        if ps[j] - ps[i-1] == 0
            return True
return False
```

TC: $O(N^2)$

SC: $O(N)$

Using carry forward

```
n = len(arr)
```

```
for i in range(n):
```

```
    sum = 0
```

```
    for j in range(i, n):
```

```
        sum += arr[j]
```

```
        if sum == 0:
```

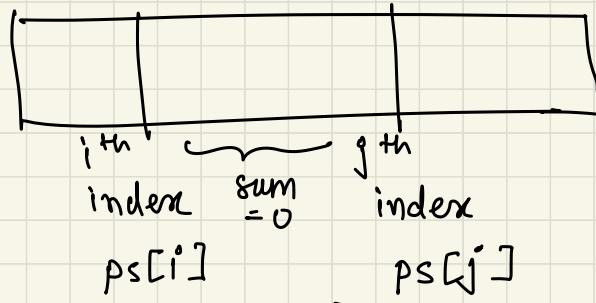
```
            return True
```

```
return False
```

TC: $O(N^2)$

SC: $O(1)$

Trick



```

sum = 0
freq-ps = {}
for i in range(n):
    sum += arr[i]
    if sum in freq-ps:
        return True
    freq-ps[sum] += 1
return False

```

easy code →

TC: $O(N)$

SC: $O(N)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 N &= \text{len}(A) \\
 ps &= [0]^N \\
 ps[0] &= A[0]
 \end{aligned}$$

```

for i in range(1, N):
    ps[i] = ps[i-1] + A[i]
if (0 in ps) or
    (len(set(ps)) != N):
    return 1
else:
    return 0

```

(53)

Given an array A, find the first repeating element.



return the first occurrence of
repeating element otherwise return
-1

$N = \text{len}(A)$

$\text{freq} = \{ \}$

for i in A :

 if i in $\text{range}(N)$:

 if $A[i]$ in freq :

$\text{freq}[A[i]] += 1$

 else:

$\text{freq}[A[i]] = 1$

for e in A :

 if $\text{freq}[e] > 1$

 return e

return -1

(54) Given an array of N elements, call a pair of distinct indices in that array special if elements at those indices are equal. Find a special pair s.t. the distance b/w pair is minimum

```
min-dist = sys.maxsize
freq = {}
```

```
idx = 0
```

```
for i in A:
```

```
    if i not in freq.keys():
        freq[i] = idx
```

```
    else:
```

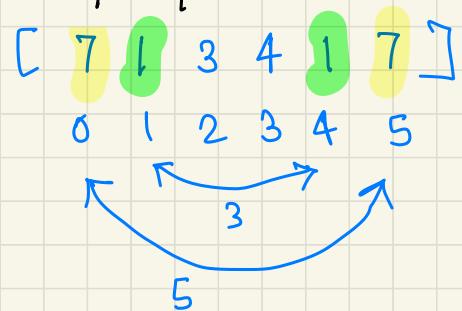
```
        min-dist = min(min-dist, idx - freq[i])
        freq[i] = idx
```

```
idx += 1
```

```
if min-dist == sys.maxsize:
    return -1
```

```
else:
```

```
return min-dist
```



(55) Largest Continuous Sequence zero sum

$$[1 \ 2 \ -2 \ 4 \ -4] \Rightarrow [2 \ -2 \ 4 \ -4]$$

$n = \text{len}(A)$

$\text{mydict} = \{\}$

$\text{max} = -\text{sys.maxsize} - 1$

$\text{ps} = [0]^*n \quad \text{ps}[0] = A[0]$

for i in range(n):

$\text{ps}[i] = \text{ps}[i-1] + A[i]$

for i in range(n):

if ($\text{ps}[i]$ in mydict) or ($\text{ps}[i] == 0$):

if ($\text{ps}[i] == 0$):

$\text{dist} = i + 1$

if $\text{dist} > \text{max}$:

$\text{max} = \text{dist}$

$\text{start} = -1$

$\text{end} = i$

else:

$\text{dist} = i - \text{mydict}[\text{ps}[i]]$

if $\text{dist} > \text{max}$:

$\text{max} = \text{dist}$

$\text{start} = \text{mydict}[\text{ps}[i]]$

$\text{end} = i$

else:

$\text{mydict}[\text{ps}[i]] = i$

if $\text{max} != -\text{sys.maxsize} - 1$:

return $A[\text{start} + 1 : \text{end} + 1]$

return []

(56) Given a string, check if the letters can be rearranged to create a palindrome

```
freq = {}  
oddC = 0  
S = set()
```

```
for i in range(n):  
    if A[i] in freq:  
        freq[A[i]] += 1  
    else:  
        freq[A[i]] = 1
```

```
for i in range(n):  
    if freq[A[i]] % 2 == 0:  
        continue  
    elif A[i] in S:  
        continue  
    else:  
        S.add(A[i])  
        oddC += 1  
if oddC > 1:  
    return 0  
else:  
    return 1
```

(57) Given an array A, find if its COLORFUL or not.

3245 → 3, 2, 4, 5, 32, 24, 45, 324, 245

all of product of digits are different

```
A = str(A)
n = len(A)

check = set()

for i in range(n):
    prod = 1

    for j in range(i, n):
        prod = prod * int(A[j])

        if prod in check:
            return 0
        else:
            check.add(prod)

return 1
```

Lecture 15 - Hashing II

(58)

Given N array elements, count distinct elements in every window of size K

N [1 2 1 3 2 1 2 1 1 2 3] $K=4$

\Rightarrow [3, 3, 3, 3, 2, 2, 2, 3]

$N-K+1$

Brute Force

```
ans = []
for i in range(n-k+1):
    l = []
    for j in range(k)
        if A[j+i] not in l:
            l.append(A[j+i])
    ans.append(len(l))
```

TC : $O(N)$

Using frequency mapping

```
for i in range(n-k+1):  
    freq = {}  
    for j in range(k):  
        if A[j+i] not in freq:  
            freq[A[j+i]] = 1  
        else:  
            freq[A[j+i]] += 1  
    ans.append(len(freq))
```

TC : O(N)

Optimize space complexity in frequency mapping

```
freq = {}  
n = len(arr)
```

```
# 0, 1, 2, ... k-1  
for i in range(k):  
    if arr[i] in freq:  
        freq[arr[i]] += 1  
    else:  
        freq[arr[i]] = 1
```

```
ans = []  
ans.append(len(freq))
```

```
# a1 ... ak ; remove a0 ; add ac ; so on  
for end in range(k, n):  
    if arr[end] in freq:  
        freq[arr[end]] += 1  
    else:  
        freq[arr[end]] = 1
```

```
element-to-remove = arr[end-k]  
freq[element-to-remove] -= 1
```

```
if freq[element-to-remove] == 0:
```

```
    del freq[element-to-remove]
```

```
ans.append(len(freq))
```

```
return ans
```

(59) Given N array elements, check if there exists a pair (i, j) s.t. $\text{arr}[i] + \text{arr}[j] = k$

[1 2 5, 7, 3, 2, 1]

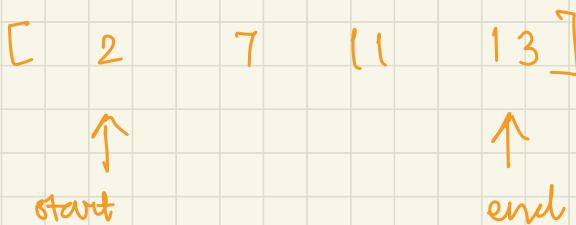
Brute Force

$k=12$

```
for i in range(n):
    for j in range(i+1, n):
        if A[i] + A[j] == k:
            return True
return False
```

TC: $O(N^2)$

Using two-pointer approach ON THE SORTED ARRAY



① $K \leq 9$

start + end (15) $>$ K \times

end -= 1

start + end (13) $>$ K \rightarrow end -= 1

start + end (9) $= = K$ ✓

② $K = 18$

start + end (15) $< K \rightarrow$ start += 1

start + end (20) $> K \rightarrow$ end -= 1

start + end (18) $= = K$ ✓

TC : $O(N \log N)$

Optimized

```
freq = {}
```

```
for i in range(n):
```

```
    if arr[i] in freq:
```

```
        return True
```

```
else:
```

```
    if arr[i] not in freq:
```

```
        freq[arr[i]] = 1
```

```
return False
```

60 Given an array of elements A and a non-negative integer B. Check if there exists i and j s.t. $A[i] - A[j] = B$ $i \neq j$

hashmap = {}

for i in A:

if $A[i]$ in hashmap:

hashmap [$A[i]$] += 1

else:

hashmap [$A[i]$] = 1

if len(A) < 2

return 0

for i in range(N):

a = $A[i]$

b = $A[i] + B$

if $a = b$:

if b in hashmap:

return 1

else:

if $\text{hashmap}[b] > 1$:

return 1

case when

$B = 0$

so num - num = 0

return 0

num's freq should

be > 1

(61) Given N elements of an array, find the

longest sequence which can be rearranged to form
a sequence of increasing consecutive numbers

$$[100, 4, 200, 1, 2, 3] \rightarrow [1, 2, 3, 4]$$

Brute Force

1. sort()

i = 0

while $i < N$:

count = 1

prev = arr[i]

i += 1

while $arr[i] == prev + 1$:

prev += 1

i += 1

count += 1

ans = max(ans, count)

TC: $O(N \log N)$

Using dict

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
[98 99 7 6 5 4 32 100 97]

freq = {}

{ 2 : 1

for i in range(n):

3 : 1

if A[i] in freq:
freq[A[i]] += 1
else:
freq[A[i]] = 1

4 : 1

ans = 0

5 : 1

for i in range(n):

6 : 1

if A[i] - 1 in freq:
continue

7 : 1

else:

98 : 1

val = arr[i]

: }

count = 0

while val in freq:

count += 1

val -= 1

ans = max(ans, count)

TC: O(N)

(62) Given an array of integers A and target B. Find out the first continuous subarray which adds to B, otherwise return -1

$$\text{ps} \quad [1, 3, 6, 10, 15] \Rightarrow [2, 3]$$

$B = 5$

Solution 1:

$$\begin{aligned} N &= \text{len}(A) \\ \text{ps} &\approx [0]^* N \\ \text{ps}[0] &= A[0] \end{aligned}$$

freq { 1 : 0
 3 : 1 }

$$\text{for } i \text{ in range}(N):$$

$$\text{ps}[i] = \text{ps}[i-1] + A[i]$$

$\text{freq} = \{\}$
 $\text{for } i \text{ in range}(N):$
 $\quad \text{if } \text{ps}[i] - B \text{ in freq}:$
 $\quad \quad \text{return } A[\text{freq}[\text{ps}[i] - B] + 1 : i + 1]$

elif $\text{ps}[i] - B == 0:$

$\quad \quad \text{return } A[:i + 1]$

elif $\text{ps}[i]$ not in freq :

$\quad \quad \text{freq}[\text{ps}[i]] = i$

$\text{return } [-1]$

freq { 1 : 0
 3 : 1 }

$i = 2$
 $6 - 5 = 1$ in freq
 $A[0+1 : 2+1]$
 $A[1 : 3]$
 $[1 2 3 4 5]$

Solution 2 :

start-index = 0
end-index = 0
curr-sum = 0

while (start-index < N) and (end-index < N) :

 if start-index > end-index:
 end-index = start-index
 curr-sum = A[end-index]

 if curr-sum < B :
 curr-sum += A[end-index]
 end-index += 1

 if curr-sum > B :
 curr-sum -= A[start-index]
 start-index += 1

 if B == curr-sum :

 return A[start-index: end-index]

return [-1]

(63)

Given an array of N strings A . B contains a string of size 26 denoting the order. Return 1 iff given words are sorted lexicographically in order defined in B .

$A = ["hello", "sealer", "interview"]$

$B = "adbhqrstijkluvw\dots"$

$h < s < i$

same order as in $A \implies$ return 1

$hb = \{ \}$

for i in range($\text{len}(B)$):

$hb[B[i]] = i$

for i in range(1, $\text{len}(A)$)

$\text{prev} = A[i-1]$
 $\text{curr} = A[i]$

$j = 0$

$\text{flag} = \text{False}$

while $j < \text{len}(\text{prev})$ and $j < \text{len}(\text{curr})$:

if $hb[\text{prev}[j]] < hb[\text{curr}[j]]$:

$\text{flag} = \text{True}$

break

elif $hb[\text{prev}[j]] > hb[\text{curr}[j]]$:

$\text{return } 0$

else:

$j += 1$

if not flag and $\text{len}(\text{prev}) > \text{len}(\text{curr})$:

$\text{return } 0$

$\text{return } 1$

Lecture 16 : Recursion - 1

(64)

factorial

```
def fact(n):  
    if n == 0:  
        return 1  
    return n * fact(n-1)
```

$$\text{fact}(4) = \underline{\underline{24}}$$

$\text{fact}(4) \rightarrow 4^* \text{fact}(3) \rightarrow 4^* 3^* \text{fact}(2) \rightarrow$
 $4^* 3^* 2^* 1^* \text{fact}(0) \leftarrow 1^* 3^* 2^* \text{fact}(1) \leftarrow$

(65)

Fibonacci

ix:	0	1	2	3	4	5
v:	0	1	1	2	3	5...

def fib(n):

if n == 0:

 return 0

if n == 1:

 return 1

return fib(n-1) + fib(n-2)

$$\begin{array}{rcl} \text{fib}(3) & \longrightarrow & \text{fib}(2) + \text{fib}(1) = \underline{\underline{2}} \\ & & \swarrow \quad | \\ & & \text{fib}(1) + \text{fib}(0) \\ & & | \quad 0 \end{array}$$

(66) Check if a string is PALINDROME or not using Recursion

Brute Force :

```
def checkPalindrome(s):
    if len(s) <= 1:
        return True
    if s[0] == s[-1] and solve(s[1:-1]):
        return True
    return False
```

Optimized

```
def isPalindrome ( w , s , e ) :  
    if s >= e :  
        return True  
    if w [s] == w [e] :  
        return isPalindrome ( w , s + 1 , e - 1 )  
    return False  
def solve ( word ) :  
    return isPalindrome ( word , 0 , len ( word ) - 1 )
```

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Print reverse string using Recursion

```
import sys  
sys.setrecursionlimit(10**6)  
  
def printrevstring(ip_string, s, e):  
    if s >= e:  
        return ip_string[s]  
    print(ip_string[e], end="")  
    return printrevstring(ip_string, s, e - 1)  
  
def main():  
    ip = str(input())  
    print(printrevstring(ip, 0, len(ip) - 1))
```

Lecture 17 : Recursion - 2

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Sum of digits using Recursion

```
def sumDigits(num):
```

```
    if num <= 0:  
        return 0
```

```
    dig = num % 10
```

```
    return dig + sumDigits(num//10)
```

NOTE:

1. no other variable was declared
2. no. of function calls : $\text{len}(\text{str}(x))$
or
 $\log_{10} x + 1$

SC: $O(\log N)$

3. How to calculate time complexity

For a number N ,

$$\underbrace{T(N)}_{\text{time taken for whole fn to execute}} = T(N/10) + O(1)$$



$$T(N/(100)) + 2^* O(1)$$

⋮

$$T(N) = T\left(\frac{N}{10^K}\right) + K^* O(1)$$

O

What will $T(0)$ return (in $O(1)$)

when?

$$\frac{N}{10^K} = 0 \quad 10^K > N$$

$$K > \log_{10} N$$

$$TC: \log_{10} N * O(1)$$

TC: $O(\log_{10} N)$

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Power function

$$\begin{array}{r} 2^{10} \\ \downarrow \\ 2^9 \times 2 \\ \vdots \\ 2^8 \times 2 \times 2 \\ \ddots \end{array}$$

```
def power(a, n):  
    if n == 0:  
        return 1  
    return a * power(a, n-1)
```

Finding T.C.

assume time taken as $T(a, n)$

$$\begin{aligned} T(a, n) &= T(a, n-1) + O(1) \\ &= T(a, n-2) + 2^1 O(1) \\ &\quad \vdots \\ &= T(a, 1) + (n-1)^* O(1) \\ &= T(a, 0) + n^* O(1) \end{aligned}$$

almost instantly returns 1

TC: $O(N)$

SC: $O(N)$

Optimized Power Function

```
def power(a, n):
```

```
    if n == 0:  
        return 1
```

```
    if n % 2 == 0:
```

```
        return power(a, n//2)
```

```
        power(a, n//2)
```

```
    else:
```

```
        return power(a, n//2) * power(a, n//2) * a
```

T.C.

$$T(a, n) = 2^k T(a, n/2) + O(1)$$

$$T(a, n) = 2^K \cdot T(a, \frac{n}{2^K}) + (2^K - 1)O(1)$$

$$2^K > n$$

$$K > \log_2 n$$

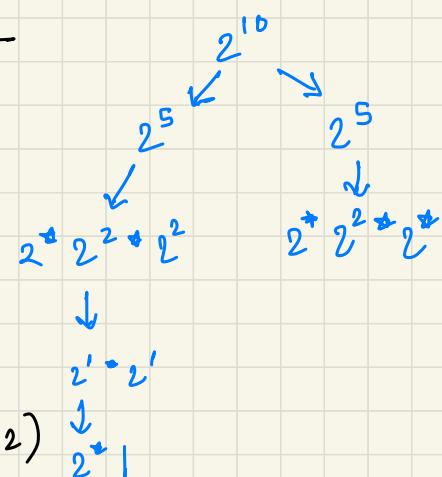
$$= n \cdot O(1) + (n-1)O(1)$$

(TC $\sim O(N)$)

No improvement

(SC: $O(\log N)$)

Improved



Time-optimized Power Function

```
def power(a, n):  
    if n == 0:  
        return 1  
    x = power(a, n//2)  
    if n%2 == 0:  
        return x*x  
    else:  
        return a*x*x
```

This time, we store the function call in a var & its being called only once thus reducing time for us.

TC

$$T(a, n) = T(a, n/2) + O(1)$$

↓

$$T(a, n/4) + O(1)$$

⋮

$$T(a, n) = T(a, n/2^k) + k * O(1)$$

$k > \log_2 n$

$$= O(1) + \log_2 n * O(1)$$

$$= O(\log N)$$

[TC : O(log N)]

[SC : O(log N)]

70 Finding remainder for a division by a large number ex. $2^{100} \% 7$

Using Modular Arithmetic Property

```
def mod-power( a, n, m):  
    if n == 0:  
        return 1  
  
    x = mod-power( a, n//2, M)  
  
    if n%2 == 0:  
        return (x*x)%M  
  
    else:  
        return (a*(x*x%M))%M
```

* Calculating TC for a recursive relation

Q.1. $T(N) = 2^* 2T(N-1) + O(1)$

\downarrow

$2^2 * T(N-2) + 2^2 O(1) + O(1)$

\downarrow

$2^3 * T(N-3) + 2^2 O(1)$
+ $2^1 O(1)$
+ $2^0 O(1)$

\cdot

$= 2^K T(N-K) + (2^K - 1) O(1)$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{O(1)}$

when $K=N$

$$T.C. = 2^N O(1) + (2^N - 1) O(1)$$

$T.C. : O(2^N)$

Q.2.

$$T(N) = 2 T(N/2) + O(1)$$

:

$$2^K T(N/2^K) + (2^K - 1)O(1)$$

↓

$$2^K > N$$

$$K > \log_2 N$$

$$N^* O(1) + (N-1)O(1)$$

TC : $O(N)$

Q.3

$$T(N) = 2T(N/2) + O(N)$$

$$\downarrow \\ [2^0 T(N/4) + O(N/2)]$$

$$= 2^1 T(N/4) + 2^1 O(N/2) + 2^1 O(N)$$

:

$$= 2^K T(N/2^K) + 2^{K-1} O(N/2^{K-1}) +$$

$$\sum_{i=0}^{K-1} 2^i O(N/2^i) \quad ; \quad 2^0 O(N/2) +$$

$O(N)$ is added K times

i.e. $N \cdot \log_2 N$ times

$$= 2^K T(N/2^K) + \sum_{i=0}^{K-1} 2^i O(N/2^i)$$

$$K > \log_2 N$$

$$= N \cdot O(1) + N^{\log_2 N}$$

TC : $N + N \log N$

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Return an array of integers representing
gray code sequence

Ex. 2

[0 1 3 2]

00 01 11 10

```
def code (A) :  
    if A == 1  
        return [0, 1]  
  
    value = code (A-1)  
  
    ans = value.copy()  
  
    for i in range (len(value)-1, -1, -1):  
        ans.append ((1 << (A-1)) + value[i])  
  
    return ans  
return code (A)
```

code (2)

value = code (1) = [0, 1]
ans = [0, 1]

i : 1 to 0

i=1 ans.append (2 + value[1]) → [0, 1, 3]

i=0 ans.append (2 + value[0]) → [0, 1, 3, 2]

Lecture 18 - Subsequence & subsets

Subarrays: contiguous segment of an array

Non-contiguous segments:

subsequence
depends on the order
sets

Ex.

[2, -3, 5, 6, 7, 10]

-3, 6, 7 → subsequence

-3, 7, 6 → subset

① All subarrays are subsequences

② All subsequences are subsets

Q. How many subsequences for an array of N elements? ⇒ 2^N

(72) Given N elements, check if there exists a subsequence which has sum of its elements as 12.
arr = [2, 1, 3, -1, 4]

$$k = 0$$

[1, -1] → True

Brute Force

[-2, 6, 4]

0 0 0 - []

0 0 1 - [4]

0 1 0 - [8]

-1 0 0 - [-2]

0 1 1 - [6, 4]

1 0 1 - [-2, 4]

1 1 0 - [-2, 6]

1 1 1 - [-2, 6, 4]

for i in range (2^{n+1}) :

 sum = 0

 for j in range (n) :

 if $i \& (1 << j) \neq 0$

 sum += A[j]

 if sum == K :

 return True

 return False

Ex.

[-2, 6, 4]

K = 2

[-2, 4]

1 0 1 (bit representation)

for $i = 5 \Rightarrow \text{sum} = 2$

TC: $O(2^{N+1})$

Using recursion

```
def check(arr, k, i):  
    if i == len(arr):  
        if k == 0:  
            return True  
        return False  
    if check(arr, k - arr[i], i + 1) or  
        check(arr, k, i + 1):  
        return True  
    return False
```

$[-2, 6, 4]$

$k = 2$

True

$\underline{\text{check}}([-2, 6, 4], 2, 0)$

True

$\text{check}(arr, 4, 1)$

$\rightarrow \text{check}(arr, 2, 1)$

$\text{check}(arr, -2, 2)$

$\text{check}(arr, 4, 2)$

True

73) Find the sum of all subsequences

Brute Force

$$\text{all-sum} = 0$$

for i in range (2^N) :

$$\text{sum} = 0$$

for j in range (n) :

if $i \& (1 << j) != 0$

$$\text{sum} += A[j]$$

print (sum)

$$\text{all-sum} += \text{sum}$$

return all-sum

TC : $O(2^N * N)$

Optimized

```
ans = 0  
for i in range(n):  
    ans += (arr[i] * 2n-1)  
  
return ans
```

TC : O(N)

74 Given N array elements, find sum of max of every subsequence

Brute Force

```
maxes = []
for i in range (2 ** n):
    max = -sys.maxsize - 1
    for j in range (n):
        if arr[i << j] != 0
            if arr[j] > max:
                max = arr[j]
    maxes.append(max)
return sum(maxes)
```

TC : $O(2^N * N)$

Optimized

In every subsequence where max(arr) is present

→ max(arr) will be the max → 2^{N-1} subse-

2^{nd} largest (arr) → 2^{N-2} subsequ-

& likewise

```
sum = 0  
arr.sort()
```

```
for i in range(n):  
    sum +=  $2^i * arr[i]$ 
```

```
return sum
```

TC: $O(n \log n)$

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Find the sum of ($\max - \min$) of every subsequence.

$$\min_sum = 0$$

$$\max_sum = 0$$

for i in range(n):

$$\max_sum += 2^i * arr[i]$$

$$\min_sum += 2^{n-i} * arr[i]$$

$$\text{return } (\max_sum - \min_sum)$$

TC : $O(n \log n)$